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The 38th annual competition


1. NF Gerner Rasmussen - Irena Arctica DK


2. NF Jmaurr Go - Torm Dulce DK


3. NF Jeppe Halkær Pedersen - Magnolia Seaways DK


4. NF Esben Sandberg Fræer - Malik Arctica DK


5. NF Stefán Þór Friðriksson - Hrafn Sveinbjarnarson IS

No 1 **Gerner Rasmussen**, *«Ribs in the snow»*, AB, containership Irena Arctica - DENMARK
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 5.000 DKK sponsored by The Danish Shipowner's Accident Insurance Association UFDS

No 2 **Jmaurr Go**, *«The Man»*, electrical officer, oil tanker Torm Dulce – DENMARK
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 5.000 SEK sponsored by Sjöfartstidningen i SWEDEN

No 3 **Jeppe Halkjær Pedersen**, *«Morning Sun in Cuxhaven, Germany»*, master, ro-ro cargo Magnolia Seaways - DENMARK
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 5.000 NOK sponsored by Norwegian Government Authority

No 4 **Esben Sandberg Fræer**, «Look Up», 2nd engineer, cargo ship Malik Arctica - DENMARK
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 450 EUR sponsored by Deck Officers Union, Iceland

No 5 **Stefán Þór Friðriksson**, «What catch are we getting»», AB, sterntrawler Hrafn Sveinbjarnarson, ICELAND
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 300 EUR sponsored by Finnlines, Finland


6. NF Halldór Jóhannesson - Rifsnes IS


7. NF Berit Bygren Sandli - Viking Sea NO


8. NF Jmaurr Go - Torm Dulce DK


9. NF Jörgen Språng - Bitflower SE


10. NF Stian W. Iversen - Feskargutten NO

Honourable mention: **Halldór Jóhannesson,** *«New way of decoration»*, master, fishing vessel Rifsnes – ICELAND
Berit Bygren Sandli, *"Welding bow thruster"*, 1st engineer, passenger ship MS Viking Sea – NORWAY
Jmaurr Go, *"Pink umbrella"*, electrical officer, oil tanker Torm Dulce, DENMARK
Jörgen Språng, *"Pumproomsession"*, cook, chemical/oil tanker Bitflower - SWEDEN
Stian W. Iversen, *"Eggumsværing steaming to the field"*, fisher, Feskargutten - NORWAY

Jury: **Werner Karrashch**, photographer and filmmaker at Viking Ship Museum in Roskilde, DENMARK
Søren Zeuth, documentary and portrait photographer
75 photos (15 each) from the national photo contests in Denmark, Iceland, Finland, Norway and Sweden competed.
Sea Health & Welfare in Denmark facilitated the judging and digital arrangement on 12th of February 2026.
A total of 778 photos from 115 seafarers have been submitted to the contest.

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5. plass 2025 Kjell Rune Gausvik - Norwegian Gannet

No 1 **Han Lwin Oo**, oiler, bulk carrier MV Scoter
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 5.000 NOK

No 2 **Rune Larsen**, «Red Light», maritime pilot
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 2.000 NOK

No 3 **Han Lwin Oo**, oiler, bulk carrier MV Scoter
Prize: Photographic equipment to the value of 1.000 NOK

No 4 **Han Lwin Oo**, oiler, bulk carrier MV Scoter
Prize: «The Digital Photography Book» by Scott Kelby

No 5 **Kjell Rune Gausvik**, «Northern Lights Raftsundet», chief officer, fish carrier MS Harald Martin
Prize: «The Digital Photography Book» by Scott Kelby

The jury also gives honourable mention to 10 other photos. All these 15 photos compete in the Nordic final.


HO 2025 Berit Bygren Sandli - Viking Sea


HO 2025 Han Lwin Oo


HO 2025 Kay Jørgensen - Prinsesse Ingrid Alexandra a


HO 2025 Kay Jørgensen - Prinsesse Ingrid Alexandra b


HO 2025 Kay Jørgensen - Prinsesse Ingrid Alexandra c



HO 2025 Kjell-Vidar Forsberg - Emma-V


HO 2025 Steffen Kalås - Ro Arctic


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HO 2025 Stian W. Iversen - Feskargutten


HO 2025 Sverre Søvdnes - Viking Sea

Berit Bygren Sandli, *"Welding bow thruster"*, 1st engineer, passenger ship MS Viking Sea
Han Lwin Oo, oiler, bulk carrier MV Scoter ● **Kay Jørgensen**, *«Into the rainbow», «Pilot whale in the Lofoten Sea», «The rescue vessel at work»,* chief engineer, research/survey vessel FF Prinsesse Ingrid Alexandra
Kjell-Vidar Forsberg, *«Emma and Milo»*, captain/fisher, MS Emma V ● **Steffen Kalås**, *«Dirty Coffe for a dirty mind»*, *«When raw power meets straps and steel»*, chief officer, fish carrier MS Ro Arctic
Stian W. Iversen, *"Eggumsværing steaming to the field"*, fisher, Feskargutten - NORWAY
Sverre Søvdnes, *«Training in old navigation methods»,* master, passenger ship MS Viking Sea

Jury: **Alfred Aase**, former press photographer/video journalist ● **Øyvind Sætre**, industry photographer
Helga Marie Sulen Sund, communication adviser, Norwegian Maritime Authority

The judging took place on the 20th of January at Norwegian Government Authority in Haugesund.
A total of 232 photos were submitted by 31 participants.