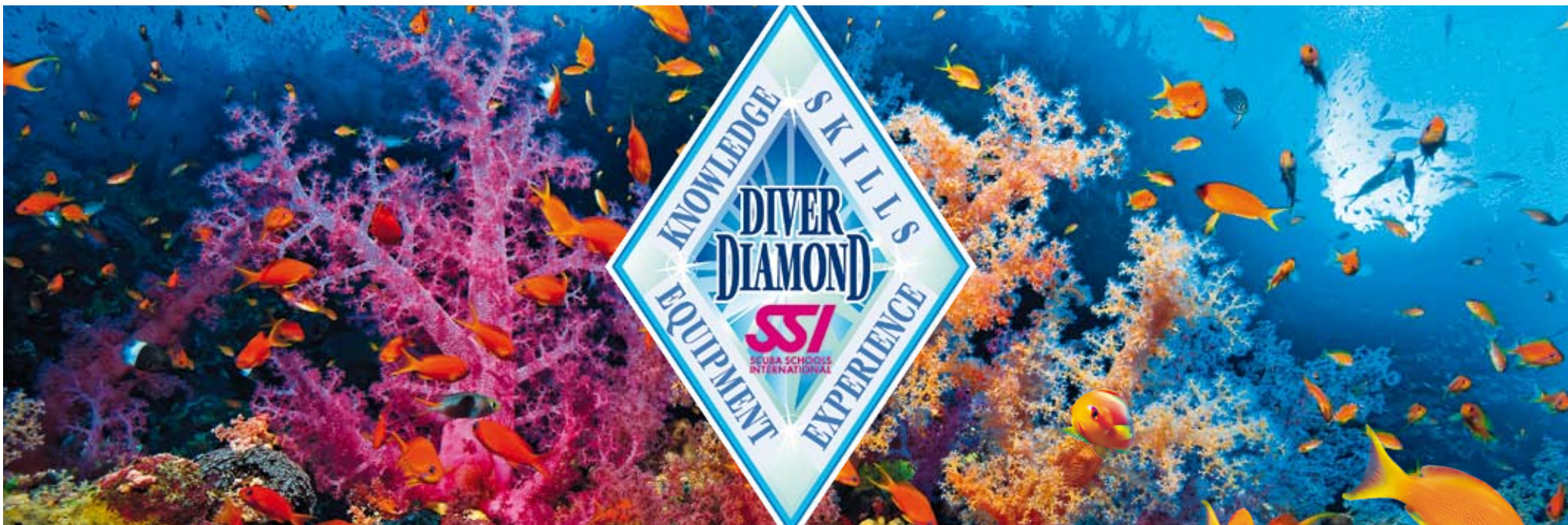


# OPEN WATER DIVER

YOUR ENTRANCE INTO THE UNDERWATER WORLD!  
START A NEW ADVENTURE AND LEARN TO SCUBA DIVE.

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# THE ULTIMATE DIVE EXPERIENCE

Diving is fun, easy and exciting. Discover a new world! Enjoy the freedom of gliding through the blue! Experience new adventures and explore undiscovered worlds. Make new friends! Scuba Diving is much easier than you might think! Be ready to enjoy a new challenge and dive into a new world! Scuba diving is a wonderful sport that offers everything from heart-pumping action to quiet relaxation. Whatever kind of experience you are looking for, a scuba training program from SSI will best prepare you for a lifetime of adventure!

SSI's water training method is the difference. Fun from Snorkel to Fin – Scuba education from Scuba Schools International (SSI) is the best way to start your scuba adventure. Why? Our training programs are designed with one goal in mind,

for you to relax and have fun when you dive! And the only way to have a great time diving is to become truly comfortable with the skills and the equipment you will use.

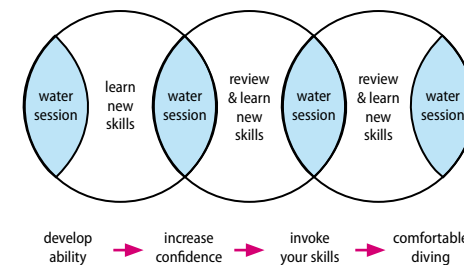
## THE DIVER DIAMOND

SSI's Diver Diamond is the cornerstone of our educational system. It emphasizes the crucial components of a great scuba education; proper knowledge, proper skills, proper equipment and experience. The Diver Diamond sets the foundation for you to become a diver rather than someone who just learns to dive.

At SSI, we don't want you to just learn to dive; we want you to love to dive. You'll love learning the SSI Way, because we make every step of

your scuba experience fun. SSI Instructors make learning come alive with personalized instruction that will put your skills to use in reality-based training scenarios. Our unique approach to dive training is known as Comfort Through Repetition. By practicing each skill you've learned throughout each level of your training, your actions become conditioned responses – second nature! SSI Training ensures you retain what you've already learned, while you continue to learn more. As a result, diving becomes fun – not an exercise in memory recall or mental gymnastics. That's how we want you to feel when you become a certified Open Water Diver – you won't have to second-guess your actions because your mind will know subconsciously and your body will respond correctly.

## COMFORT THROUGH REPETITION



When you finish your SSI training and become certified as an Open Water Diver, you'll truly be ready to begin the adventure of your dreams. Start your ultimate dive experience!



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## START YOUR ADVENTURE

### QUALITY & ACCOUNTABILITY

You can be confident in the high caliber of an SSI Training Program because our quality assurance program ensures you will receive the best service possible:

- SSI is the only scuba certification agency that requires instructors to affiliate with a full-service authorized dive center.
- SSI is focused on providing you the best experience. This is reinforced through our quality assurance program (MAP) that uses feedback from students, instructors and dive centers to ensure high-quality training.
- SSI Dive Centers have been adhering to the highest level of standards for over 40 years and get updates on a regularly basis.

### INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

SSI is one of few training organizations which holds the esteemed ISO Certification (International Standards Organization) worldwide. Five SSI Programs for divers and two for dive professionals received the confirmation that they fulfill the International Quality Standards (ISO Norm 24801-1 to-3 for divers and ISO Norm 24802-1 to -2 for dive professionals). That's why the SSI Certification may carry the ISO Quality Label as one of the few in the entire industry. What this means for you is that SSI is recognized anywhere you want to dive.

Becoming an SSI Open Water Diver is the best way to start your scuba adventure! We make sure you are truly comfortable with the skills and

equipment you will use. Getting started is easy! Sign up for an Open Water course and get your feet wet with the SSI Scuba Diver program. SSI Training is designed so that you can learn the academics at your own pace, when it is convenient for you.

We will support your education with colored manuals, DVDs and free Online Training. For your pool and open water training, your instructor will personally fit you with scuba equipment so that you become comfortable in your »second skin.« You will have plenty of practice time to adapt yourself to the underwater environment before you begin your open water training dives.

Once you have completed your initial training, you will be a certified SSI Diver. SSI Certification

is recognized worldwide so your diving experiences will be limitless. The fun doesn't need to stop here! With just a little more training, you can go even further – imagine diving in underwater shipwrecks, with sharks, or becoming an underwater photographer! Check out all of the exciting specialty programs you can dive into. It's your chance to move to the next level in your diving adventures. SSI will be a reliable buddy accompanying you on your way.

Start Your Adventure Today! For more information regarding your Open Water Diver Training options, contact one of the over 2,600 SSI Dive Center locations worldwide or visit us under [www.divessi.com](http://www.divessi.com) and checkout our free Online Training. The wonderful underwater world is waiting for you!



# DIVE ONLINE

## ABSOLUTELY FREE

To make sure all of your diving experiences are the best no matter where you are around the world, SSI has created a variety of user-friendly online services, 24/7, absolutely free! No matter where you are, all you need is an active internet connection and your personal login code.

**myProfile:** Store your photo, address, and contact information, as well as view your most current certification data.

**myC-Cards:** View and print out all of your SSI Certification Cards. Forgot, misplaced, or lost your certification card? No problem. This area displays all of your training achievements.

**myDocuments:** Store the various documents you may need during your dive travels.

**myPictures:** Share pictures with your dive buddies

and your SSI Dive Center. You can store your pictures here and share them with other divers or allocate them to the dives in your logbook.

**myDiveLog:** Fill your profile with life! Record all or your best dives in digital format and share your diving dreams with your dive buddies or your SSI Dive Center/Dive Resort.

**myEquipment:** Enter all the pieces of your diving system. For each item you can enter the purchase dates, serial numbers and the authorized Dealer address you purchased the item from. You can also share this information with your SSI Dive Center so they are ready to take care of you.

**myEvents:** Travel, Courses, Training, Events or simply a Get-Together at the Dive Center – Check myEvents for all activities globally! Not just about, but always related to, diving.

**myBuddies:** Use to store the addresses of your favorite dive buddies. Keep the contact information current and email your buddy any time you want to plan a dive with them.

**myNewsCenter:** Keep your knowledge current! Check here for the latest trends, products and news from the SSI World.

**myControlCenter:** Only the Information you want! You will not be bothered with information you do not need! You decide what you want to receive!

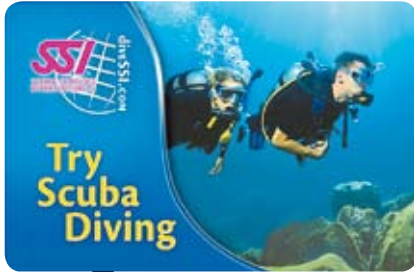
**myQuality:** We Love Diving! Therefore we want your feedback to make sure the quality we provide is at the level you deserve! Send us your experiences and your opinion regarding your training and SSI Services. We are looking forward to receiving your comments.

### APP FOR IPHONE AND ANDROID

Everything Diving is the new App from Scuba Schools International. Free, easy to install, intuitive and with everything.

- All SSI certifications In Your Pocket. Show what you can do, directly on your mobile device
- Important check lists on scuba diving: Dive planner, equipment, travel or first aid
- Important hand signals for divers
- SSI dive tables for Air and Nitrox for reference and planning
- Flow charts for First Aid and Neuro Check. For immediate help when you need it
- SSI - Partner search, around you and world wide. Find all SSI partners world wide, including a complete description of their local services

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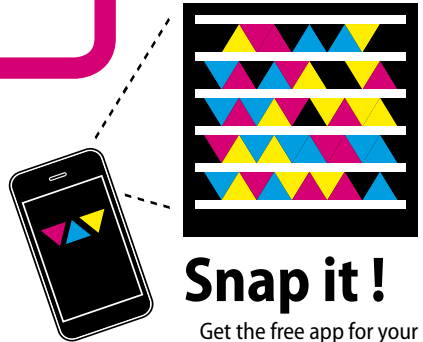
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Get the free app for your phone at: [www.gettag.mobi](http://www.gettag.mobi)

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