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Currently pursuing a career in the printing industry I have recently graduated from Flexographic Trade School in Ft. Mill, SC. While attending the school I obtained over 384 hours of actual live work press operation in a little over 16 weeks. This is to include make ready, manual plate mounting, color matching, setting impression(gap to gap), waste matrix, die cut, and perfect impression on a Mark Andy 2200, 8 color, UV, and water based press.

Now set with the confidence and a basic knowledge of press operation, ink care, stock, and product standards(copy and color book) I know that I will be an outstanding addition to your team. Understanding in order to make the right decision you need to know a little more about me. Attached is my resume, job specific and goal oriented I know it will help in the process on whether or not I am a suitable candidate for this job. I trust you'll find all the information you'll need.

Prior to attending the school I worked as a quality assurance inspector for a label printing company. Assuring as a final audit that the color was right, size, amount to be shipped, cleanliness, proper shipping standards for pallets, core label and case label matching, and that all standards were met according to the customer before the labels could leave the shipping docks.

Given the chance now I understand and think that I can produce the quality of product that is set by the customer standards at the press operator side of the business. I was fortunate enough to get a short bit of experience operating a GALLUS 410, 16" wide, 16 color press, hot stamp and emboss in California. I was afforded 2 weeks and run actual live work. I have brought samples of my work that I ran while I was there.

Thank you for your time and consideration and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,
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Objective: To secure a career as a press operator with an outstanding company that is known for their high standard and quality assurance.

Skills:

- Confidence to operate an 8 color, Mark Andy 2200 and 16 color, Gallus 410 narrow web, UV and water based ink presses.
- Ability to work with tight schedule, under pressure, and with minimal supervision
- Understanding of plate making and mounting
- Color matching or press checks(PMS standard)
- Annilox care and maintenance
- Webbing / Turn bar
- Multiple hot stamps and embossing experience
- De-lamination and re-lamination
- Setting impression with even pressure and gap to gap
- PH sensitivity in water based inks
- Die cuts; pre-made dies, mag dies, stepped, butt cuts, face slits, sheeter, air eject, and roll to roll with perf blade.
- Rotary screens
- Doctor blade systems

Work Experience:

- Worked for a label company as a quality assurance inspector as a final audit before the labels were shipped to the customer. Checked for the proper color, size, die cut and durability standards for the stock that the labels were run on. Understanding color standards and keeping track of bad labels that were produced, bad stock that was brought in and returns from the customer. Keeping and updating retain folders with samples of jobs run. Ensuring the highest overall quality and standard of labels to be shipped.
- Attended 4 weeks of pre-press computer class and 16 weeks of press operator course at the Flexographic Trade School in Ft. Mill, SC. Acquired over 384 hours of live work on the press. Was sent as a temporary press operator to California where I ran various labels for various wine distributors. They included multiple hot stamps and multiple embossing with very high attention to detail quality. This was to gain experience operating another type of press as well.
- Clean up and maintenance of the presses and understanding of troubleshooting to lesson down time on the press.
- Responsible for understanding the duties of all those who help and work around me.

Education:

Flexographic Trade School, Ft. Mill, SC 08/08-01/09

References:

Available upon request