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A Packaging Professional with extensive Leadership experience of over 25 years in FMCG & Pharma packaging. In depth knowledge of technical, commercial aspects of the Packaging development function.

KEY SKILLS

- Expertise in Packaging Development. Providing Packaging strategy to organization for successful product launches.
- Technical & Commercial knowledge of all Packaging materials, Packaging Designing,
 Plastic Moulds, Packaging technologies & packaging m/cs.
- Packaging development Projects Cost Optimization Of Packaging, new Packaging Trends etc.
- Innovative Packaging development Projects –from concept to final to implementation..
- Packaging vendor development, vendor audit and vendor rating.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION:

- Two Years Post Graduate Diploma (Full Time) in Packaging Technology from Indian Institute of Packaging, Mumbai in 1990.
- M. Inst. Pkg., Institute of Packaging, UK.(Member)

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION:

B.Sc from Punjabi University in 1988.

CAREER HISTORY:

TORRENT PHARMA LIMITED ,AHMEDABAD

General Manager ,Head-Packaging Development.

APR 2018 - Till date

- ♦ Heading Packaging Development team of 35 professionals at TRC (Torrent Research Center).
- ◆ Leading Development & Commercial Teams of Packaging development for USA, Europe, Brazil, Row & Domestic markets.

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- Development of Packaging to suit new Formulations.
- ♦ Supporting Organization on Strategic initiatives in Packaging arena.
- ◆ Handling Packaging development of different forms Tab/ capsules, Dermatology & Ophthalmic etc.
- Packaging Design & Development for Cosmetics range(SPF, Face Wash, shower gel etc)

BRITANNIA INDUSTRIES LIMITED ,BANGALORE

Head- Packaging Development.

July 2017 – MAR 2018

- Heading the centralized team of Packaging Development in the organization.
- ♦ Taking care of Packaging development activities of all Food, Dairy & Snacks business.
- ♦ Selection of Packaging based upon Product properties, Line speed & Cost requirements.
- Cost Efficiency initiatives in Packaging.
- ♦ Working on New concepts /new Formats & new innovations in packaging.
- ◆ Coordination with Purchase, Marketing & Mfg units for developments.

WOCKHARDT LIMITED,

Associate Vice President, Head, Packaging.

November 2000 - June 2017:

Job Responsibilities: .

- ♦ Leading a team of twenty four packaging professionals Taking care of Packaging development activities of 8 Manufacturing facilities in India & Abroad..
- ♦ Development of new packs for whole group: Pharma division, Biotechnology, OTC division.
- ◆ Packaging strategy for development of new formulation products for USA, EU & Brazil Markets.
- ◆ Value addition in Packaging via New Pkg.Project on innovation, New technology, cost reductions, standardization etc.
- Provide support to evaluate & purchase international Packaging M/cs like cartoning, labeling,
 Bottle filling, Assembly lines etc.

Special Assignments & Achievements.

Winner of Packaging Awards Worldstar 2002 and Indiastar 2002 : for Developing Anti counterfeiting packaging - for Blister, Strip & Label packs .

Developed Child Resistant –Compliance pack for US market

Other Developments:

- Undergone one week intensive trainings on Team Building, Performance coaching etc to name a few.
- Certified as interviewer for company recruitments with training on Interviewing Skills.
- **❖** Sucessfully completed "Performance Coaching & Mentoring Programme.
- International Exposure: For international Packaging Projects Visited / worked with nationalities of UK, USA, Italy, Germany, France, Switzerland, Taiwan, Singapore, Hongkong & China etc.

UNITED BREWERIES LIMITED ,BANGALORE

Manager- Packaging Development & Purchase.

September 1998 - November 2000

Job Responsibilities:

- ◆ Development of new/ modified packaging for beer.
 - Packaging Vendor selection & cost negotiations.
- ◆ Development of designs & artwork with Ad. Agencies like HTA,Mudra,Contract,Lintas etc Special Assignments Undertaken:
 - ❖ Worked On Beer In PET Bottles Latest International Trend.
 - Worked on "Twist off crown caps" New Concept.
 - ❖ Achieved Cost saving of approx. Rs. 3 millions in crown corks & Glass bottles.
 - Developed solutions for tearing/scuffing problems in beer labels.

HIMALAYA DRUG CO.,BANGALORE

Asst. Manager- Packaging Development

Feb 1998 - Sept1998:

Job Responsibilities:

- ◆ Development of new packages for: Cosmetic /OTC Division Shampoo, Hair Conditioners, Facial Creams & Scrubs, Hair oil, Body oil, Tooth paste, Liquid soap, herbal teas etc..
- Work out costing for all new packs for Launch.
- Vendor development & commercial Negotiations.

NESTLE INDIA LIMITED, MOGA

Sr. -Packaging Technologist

Sept 1994 - Feb1998:

Job Responsibilities:

- ♦ Development of new product packs.
- Conduct machine trials on the production lines for the feasibility of new pkging material.
- Attending line complaints and coordinating with suppliers to eliminate the causes.

Special Assignments Undertaken:

- Reduction in Packaging material losses in Milk powders and cereals.
- ❖ Undergone trainings on HACCP ,"KAIZEN" and "5S".

MAX INDIA LIMITED Dec 1990 - Mar1994:

Major Job Responsibilities and Achievements.

- ◆ Development Of Plastic Film Properties According To Customer Requirements.
- ◆ Prevention Of BOPP Rolls Damage During Transportation By Improved Packaging.

Personal Information:

Date of Birth : Aug 10, 1968

Marital Status : Married

(Umesh Chander Joshi).