

INTRODUCTION TO

ROTARY DIE

CUTTING

APPLETON, WI
Wednesday, March 27 &
Thursday, March 28, 2019
8:00AM - 5:00PM

COURSE DESCRIPTION

AICC's new two-day course will focus on how to safely produce quality boxes at speed on < 4 color machines. Participant learn the why behind best practices and then learn by doing. They will gain experience as they explore each section of the machine with expert trainers and suppliers. By this method, participants will have a deeper understanding of the concepts, practicing them in a hands on environment, and building standard operating procedures to take best practices back to their home plants by the construction of standard operation procedures, one point lessons, and checklists.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Apply the correct methods/tools needed to conduct key production performance requirements
- Create employee buy-in and reduce turnover; Improve accuracy of production data; get everyone involved in preventing problems.
- Measure Production using: MSF per staff hour; overall equipment effectiveness; speed; set-up time; quality
- Use multiple process improvement tools: key performance indicators; project planning; identify waste in time, dollars and effort; crew meeting management

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

This interactive seminar was created for those eager to become properly equipped to serve customers with a better understanding of simple flexography and die cutting on corrugated substrates. There is value for: • Press Operators and Crew • Pre Press Workers • Supervisors • Designers • Sales Professionals • Quality & Process Improvement Personnel Customer Service Representatives

INSTRUCTORS



Mark Keller

23 years with Fox Valley Technical College and nine years of Flexographic Printing industry experience with Belmark Corporation. Mark is very active in the industry via board and committee membership and often

judges printing competitions. He specializes in seminars, workshops, testing and trial runs for business and industry. Contact Mark at (920) 831-5403 or keller@fvtc.edu.



Scott Gehrt

Scott has 14 years with FVTC as a Flexographic Printing Instructor and 12 years of flexographic printing industry experience. Scott has extensive experience on press, seminar, testing and trials, teaching Technical Diploma, and

Associate degree programs on wide web, corrugated, and narrow web equipment. Contact Scott at 920-996-2882 or gehr@fvtc.edu

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COURSE PRELIMINARY AGENDA:

Day One | Wednesday, March 27 | 8:00AM - 3:45PM

8:00 am Welcome & Program overview
9:00 am Anilox Roll Fundamentals
10:15 am Water Based Inks
Noon **Lunch**
12:45 pm Breakouts
• Experience On Press
• Anilox Care & Maintenance
• Building Standard Work
3:45 pm Question & Answer Session

Day Two | Thursday, March 28 | 8:00AM - 4:00PM

8:00 am Corrugated Die-Cutting
9:45 am Flexo Plates & Press Practices
11:45 am **Lunch**
12:30 pm Breakouts
• Experience On Press
• Cutting Dies
• Print Plates
3:30 pm Wrap up & Question & Answer session
4:00 pm Adjourn

WHAT MEMBERS SAY?

“I am always amazed at the amount of knowledge that AICC instructors have and their willingness to teach it to us.”

- **Aaron Haney, Operator, Buckeye Corrugated**

“I enjoyed putting dollars to time wasted and things we can do to improve efficiency.”

- **Aaron Galbraith, Production Supervisor, Buckeye Container**

“I most enjoyed seeing best practices and work class examples.”

- **Robert Frazier, Continuous Improvement Manager, Akers Packaging**

