# Sales & Marketing | Brand Engineer | Management Consultant

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Seeking engagement with a reputable company, where I can apply my unique business insight, professional skill sets, and career experience to a positive team environment committed to success.

#### Areas of Achievement

Sales Growth, Increased Market Shares, Sales Management, Retail, Global & National Accounts, Territorial Sales, Customer Service, Budget Controls, Profit Goals, Marketing Campaigns, Seminars, Trade Shows, Graphic Design, Social Media, eCommerce, Product Development, and Project Management

#### **Computer Skill Sets**

Microsoft Office | QuickBooks | Presentations

#### Work Experience:

Management Consultant Bryan Tackett |Clarksville, TN – June 2013 to Present www.BryanTackett.com

- Advised company owners on team management, effective organizational administration, and sales and marketing strategy as an independent consultant.
- Founder of Strategic Brand Group 2013 | <u>www.StrategicBrandGroup.com</u>

#### Business Development Executive

#### Tackett Holdings | Hopkinsville, KY - July 2006 to May 2013

www.TackettHoldings.com

• Led the global investment, consulting and sourcing firm, which generating over \$2 million in annual revenues and created various original specialty brands developments such as:

Spray-X	American Aerosol		Fresh Whispers		Clean & Tidy
www.Spray-X.com			www.FreshWhispers.com		www.Clean-Tidy.com
iSource-X		American Pro Builders			<b>op-X</b>
www.iSource-X.com		www.American-Builders.com			hop-X.com

• Positioned Tackett Holdings and its subsidiaries for acquisition and facilitated a profitable transition.

#### Senior Corporate Sales Executive

#### Sprayway, Inc. | Addison, IL – March 1993 to June 2006

www.Spraywayinc.com

- Developed Deere & Company as a key global account for its product line offerings in USA, Canada, Central and South America, Australia, Asia and Europe. Represented network of 3,500 agricultural dealerships worldwide and nearly \$2.7 million in corporate chemical sales revenues.
- Increased Claire Sprayway revenues 300% from \$18 million to \$60 million from 1993 to 2005, together with the rest of the senior management team. Played a key role in increasing global chemical sales and profit margins and expanding product offerings during the same time period through strategic planning and timely introductions of top-selling products.

- Established Sprayway Singapore office and distribution center servicing Asia, Africa, Europe and the Middle East. Achieved annual revenues of \$3.5 million with key market concentrations in sewing, screen print and graphic arts trades. <u>www.SpraywaySingapore.com</u>
- Helped secure and strengthen numerous national accounts including Walmart, Sam's Club, Price Costco, John Deere, Home Depot, Quaker State, Fastenal, Naz Dar, C.R. Laurence, Pilkington, Safelite, PPG and numerous others.

#### Sales & Marketing Consultant

### Deco Chem, Inc. | Mishawaka, IN – 1992 to 1993

www.DecoChem.com

- Delivered new catalog, trade show booth, product line offerings, call center, and ISO 9000 quality management systems for ink and coatings manufacturer.
- Utilized intimate product knowledge for screen printing, roller coating, coil coating, flexography, rotary screen, letter press, and adhesives.

#### Vice President Sales

## Martin Yale Industries | Wabash, IN - 1991 to 1992

www.MartinYale.com

• Managed \$6 million account network of wholesalers, national mail orders, and super stores for manufacturer of innovative products for improving office, mailroom and print shopproductivity.

#### National Sales Manager

#### Atlas Screen Printing Supplies, Inc. | Chicago, IL – 1989 to 1991 www.AtlasScreenSupply.com

• Integrated work of national dealer network, territorial sales managers, and customer service to achieve sustained sales growth and a stronger customer base.

#### Territory Sales Manager –Northern Indiana

#### Brown Manufacturing Group |Wyoming, MI – 1988 to 1989

#### www.BrownMfg.net

• Immediately increased sales revenue and was recognized as company's Top Sales Producer.

#### Owner

#### Silk Ink Screen Printers | Hobart, IN – 1983 to 1988

- Grew local screen print business from \$50,000 to \$500,000+ in annual revenues over five years.
- Built a full sales operation with completely revised manufacturing abilities for screen printing custom multicolored designs onto textiles, glass, and paper substrates.
- Slogan became "Best Screen Printer in the Screen Print Business."

#### **Education:**

Economics & Marketing Kalamazoo College | Kalamazoo, MI – 1979 to 1982 www.Kzoo.edu

Portage High School | Portage, IN – 1975 to 1979 www.portage.k12.in.us

References and Salary History Available Upon Request