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Profile

Seasoned international managing director with over 40 years of experience in the manufacturing, information technology, and consulting industries.

Skills Summary

- Visionary thinker with global perspective and entrepreneurial drive
- Forecast and recognition of upcoming global industrial trends
- International exposure for over 30 years within Europe, USA, and Asia
- Corporate and international business development
- Strategy, contingency planning and leadership
- Crisis executive and turnaround management
- Joint ventures, mergers, and acquisitions
- Leadership of diverse multicultural teams
- TQM and process improvement
- Managing director for 12 years (built a 200 employee company with USD 11M annual revenue)

Professional Experience

2000 - present

Laurus Solutions Corporation, Budapest, Hungary

Founder

- Development and integration of production management software

Laurus Solutions is an information technology firm targeting small and medium sized businesses. It provides production management software with customizable modules to adapt to a variety of industries. The company has 16 employees and generates an annual turnover of USD 1M.

1994 – present

ELTEC Group, Budapest, Hungary / Wernau, Germany

Founder and Chief Executive Officer

- Wire harness confection, magnetic coil production, plastics processing for automotive, commercial vehicle, machinery, medical technology, and aviation & aerospace
- Regional distribution center and sales office for Eltec Group Budapest

Eltec Group is a wire harness manufacturer for the automotive, commercial vehicle, machinery, medical technology, and aviation & aerospace industries. Main focus is in the development and assembly of customized cable sets and components and spooling, plastic injection, and remolding technologies. The company has 160 employees, generates an annual turnover of USD 10M, and has a 30% growth rate.

1983 – 1994

Prettl Group

Prettl Electric Corp. U.S.A, Greenville, SC, USA (1993 – 1994)

Head of Division & Mentor for German Graduate Engineers

- Cable confection for automotive
- Assembly automation, development

Prettl Kabelkonfektion GmbH, Pfullingen, Germany (1990 – 1993)

Head of Division

- Cable confection for automotive
- Magnetic coil production for automotive

Prettl Arbeitsplatzsysteme GmbH, Pfullingen, Germany (1988 – 1990)

Head of Engineering Division

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- Profile und modular laboratory workstations
- Assembly automation

Prettl Laminarflow und Prozesstechnik GmbH, Pfullingen Germany (1983 – 1988)

Head of Engineering

- Laminar flow and process technology
- Clean room, bio research, and wet process technology
- Designer for chip production line and wet process technology
- Developer of worldwide first clean room robot

Prettl Group is a components manufacturer for the automotive, home appliances, industrial services and consumer goods industries. The company has over 5,000 employees in 24 locations (12 countries), and generates USD 0,7B turnover per year.

1981 – 1983

G. Boley GmbH, Esslingen, Germany

Disposition Technician, Programmer

- Precision lathe developer and manufacturing (6 axes)

1980 -1981

Klimsch GmbH, Subsidiary Stuttgart, Germany

Service Technician

- Training and service
- Electronic image processing systems

1977 – 1980

Spieth GmbH, Esslingen, Germany

Service Technician

- Project development - Equipment for worldwide use at Olympic Games
- Developer of shooting, bowling and skittle facilities

1973 – 1977

ITV, Budapest, Hungary

Sales Technician

- Office machine technician for organisational automation
- Office machine technical utility

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Other Qualifications

- Patent expert in carburator and injection technology
- Instructor and member of German-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce
- Significant consulting experience and creation of two boutique consulting firms
 - International Business Consultants Inc., Alexandria, VA, USA
 - Nemzetközi Üzleti Tanácsadó Kft., Budapest, Hungary

Education

- PLC Programmer (1978)
- Landler Technical College Budapest, Certified Technician (1975 – 1976)
- Office machines –Technician (1973)
- Electronic technician apprenticeship - BEAG Budapest (electronics development) (1968 – 1971)
- Toldy Ferenc High School Diploma and locksmith apprenticeship (1964 – 1968)
- Secondary School Certificate, Budapest, Hungary (1957 – 1964)

Miscellaneous

- Mandatory Military Duty: Radio Operator during (1971 - 1973)
- Languages: Fluent English, Fluent German, Fluent Polish, Native Hungarian
- Computer skills: Windows XP, Linux OS, MS Office, OpenOffice, StarOffice, Messenger, Skype, OPS (Production Planning System, Quality Software, Item Trace Management, Intranet Application, Human Resource Application)

Affiliations

- Honorary President of the Budapest Hot Air Balloon Club