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JASON ROBERTS

Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Environmental Health & Safety, Oregon State University, 1996.

Associate Degree, Ricks College, 1993.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jason Roberts has over 15 years working with international brands as they make efforts to increase their Compliance Programs. He is also an excellent educator and an expert at causal analysis. As a leader, Jason Roberts looks at the larger picture and understands what can be done to fix the main causes of the symptoms that are outwardly shown.

- 18 years experiences in implementing CSR in international supply chains, with a focus on Environmental, Safety and Health (ESH) Management and extensive knowledge of Social and Labor Management
- 5 years experiences as ESH Manager for International Heavy Lift Helicopter Manufacturer and Operator
- International experience with factories; has performed ESH activities in over 20 countries, with extensive experience in Asia, South America and Europe
- A globally recognized leader in educating and training ESH principals to large or small groups, Brand representatives and Factory teams in many countries throughout the world
- Possesses the ability to analyze data to determine causal and root causes and determining the best way to reduce those causes to prevent future incidents
- Creator of effective audit and assessment tools and systems – designed as more than a ‘check-the-box’ audit but as tools that foster and facilitate factory growth, learning and improvements
- Extremely knowledgeable about Environmental, Safety, Health in Factories who manufacture in Supply Chain environments as well as in the Companies who contract with those factories

SPECIALTIES

- Collaboration activities
- Causal Analysis
- Total Cost and Return on Investment
- NGO partnerships
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- CSR strategy
- Stakeholder engagement
- Risk management Community investment.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Environment site auditing and assessment
- Occupational exposure evaluations
- ISO14000, SA8000



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- OHSAS18000
- Audit and Assessment Tool Creation
- Return on Investment and True Cost Analysis
- Causal Analysis Assessments in large and small organizations

TRAINING COURSES

- ASSE – 2001-2010
- NSC – 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008
- Oregon GOSH – 2006, 2009
- LEAN – 2007, 2008, 2009
- Causal Analysis – 2005
- Speaking with Impact I & II – 2004, 2005
- Asbestos Inspector – 2000
- Lead Inspector – 2000
- HAZMAT - 1999

AWARDS

- Boy Scouts of America – Eagle Scout (1986)
- Oregon State University Men’s Basketball – Slats Gill Award (1996)
- Oregon State University – Global Difference Maker (2010)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE)
- National Safety Council
- Phylmar Regulatory Roundtable



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