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JOB SPECIFICATION

Job Title:	Department:
Toolmaker – Bench Hand	Toolroom
Reporting to:	Responsible for:
Toolroom Manager	N/A

Key Contacts: Internal	Key Contacts: External
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Designers ▪ Production Management ▪ Quality Control ▪ Toolroom Leading Hand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tool suppliers

Company Overview:
<p>Brandauer is a unique family owned business that has been established in Birmingham for nearly 150 years. Specialising in the design, build and manufacture of both precision press tools and components the Company supplies parts and expertise services to customers from such diverse sectors as: Telecommunications, Plumbing, IT, Automotive, Aerospace, Medical etc. The Company has undergone, and is continuing to undergo, aggressive change management initiatives designed to see it compete on a global basis into the future.</p>

Job Purpose:
<p>To build, repair and maintain complex multi-stage progression press tools to fine tolerances, with the target of enabling them to run successfully “first-time” in a production environment utilising Bruderer high speed presses. The successful applicant will have experience of high volume, precision press toolmaking, utilising tungsten carbide modules, and can exhibit exceptional organisational skills.</p>

Key Responsibilities:

- Building and developing new press tools – progression and single stage - feeding back into Designs to update and improve technical drawings and documentation.
- Producing new tools, repairs and maintenance to pre-determined standard times and estimates.
- Using recognised problem solving techniques to analyse tool problems.
- Strip and rebuild of tools for maintenance/ repair and re-grind.
- Organising logistics for Spares/ repairs.
- Analysis and actioning of tool problems in Production.
- Management of the tool tryout process.
- Mentoring of trainees and apprentices.
- Promoting and utilising the Company's Health & Safety requirements.
- Championing the use of appropriate PPE.
- Promoting and striving to improve 5s Standards.

Knowledge, Skills and Experience:**Essential:**

- Apprentice trained.
- Appropriate Craft or Technician Qualification.
- Flexible, adaptable and multi-skilled.
- Good communication, planning and scheduling skills.
- Attention to detail.
- Ability to read, translate and feedback technical information.
- Good numeracy and literacy skills.
- A "team" player.
- Ability to work successfully on own initiative.

Preferred:

- Previous Press toolmaking experience.
- Previous experience of working with Tungsten Carbide tooling.

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Authorisation	Signature & Date
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Manager	
HR Manager	