RESUME

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OBJECTIVE

To seek assignments in Packaging design, development and procurement with an organization, where I can display my abilities and add values in my professional experience.

Work Experience

❖ SUN PHARMA INDUSTRIES LIMITED (From June 2022 to Present)

Designation: Senior Research Scientist Packaging Development (R&D)

Key Responsibilities:

- ✓ Conceptualization/Exploration of multiple workable packaging concept based on needs/wants for pharmaceuticals dosage forms.
- ✓ Identifying potential products and approval on business case & commercial buy-in.
- ✓ Project tracking on ongoing basis to ensure compliance to defined project timelines such as stability, moudling, manufacturing and Commercialization.
- ✓ To collaborate with cross-functional departments like FDD, SCM, QA, RA, Production, Marketing, BD and PMO on establishing feasibility of new packaging initiatives and for smooth execution of packaging projects.
- ✓ Artwork development and review activity
- ✓ Development and qualification of a wide range of primary and secondary packaging solutions that are met for the needs for brand aesthetics.
- ✓ Work with QA on vendor validation and qualification across multiple internal sites and CMO's
- ✓ Work closely with packaging teams across the sites to understand the pain areas and help improve packaging processes
- ✓ Preparation of packaging documents i.e. pack style, innovator characterization report, MPC, transit study report, filling documents, justification report etc. as per product/regulatory requirement.
- ✓ To work on cost saving potential and implementation

❖ JUBILANT GENERICS LIMITED (From March 2020 to June 2022)

Designation: Senior Executive - Procurement

Kev Responsibilities:

- ✓ Procurement of all packaging material i.e. Primary, Secondary and Tertiary
- ✓ Vendor development for existing as well as new launch products for cost saving and de-risking
- ✓ Working closely with CQA team to conduct vendor audits as per the audit plan
- ✓ WC management by negotiating credit, delivery terms and MOQ with vendor on regular basis
- ✓ Assist with new product launch by working with suppliers to ensure that key milestones are achieved
- ✓ Inventory management with alternate usage of non-moving material with minimum write offs and Shelf life extension.
- ✓ Governed the entire procurement of Remdesivir during its launch
- ✓ Rejection handling in case of material got rejected by quality
- ✓ Ensuring compliance from GST point of view by forcing vendors to upload the details on monthly/quarterly basis

✓ Working closely with different CMO's in case of new launch product and making timely availability of all material at the site for continuous production.

❖ GRACURE PHARMACEUTICAL LIMITED (From March 2018 to March 2020)

Designation: Research Scientist Packaging Development (R&D)

Key Responsibilities:

- ✓ Cost Saving / Cost Control Packaging optimization and also by MOQ modification
- ✓ To support and lead all packaging development projects from development through qualification and commercialization
- ✓ To create and execute robust test plan and high quality trial report
- ✓ Preparation of successful & accurate packaging control systems (Specs, STP, BOM & Feasibility Reports)
- ✓ To collaborate closely with QA, manufacturing and procurement to find best solutions if any issue and drive mold and packing line qualification
- ✓ Responsible for the smooth execution of stability/exhibit batches packaging. Troubleshooting, if any
- ✓ To ensure suppliers technical feedback and feasibility on the component.
- ✓ Resolve quality issues through RCA, CAPA and work closely with vendors to improve quality of packaging materials
- ✓ To support risk assessment review with suppliers and plants

❖ INDIAN HERBS SPECIALITIES PRIVATE LIMITED (From August 2016 to March 2018)

Designation: Assistant Manager Packaging Development and Procurement (R&D)

Key Responsibilities:

- ✓ Development of primary, secondary and tertiary packaging material.
- ✓ Development of new products as well as tweaking of the existing products for better efficiency and requirements.
- ✓ To identify and perform Critical tests and Routine tests for the products developed.
- ✓ Preparation of packaging component Specifications.
- ✓ New vendor development for cost benefits and constant effective delivery.
- ✓ Benchmarking for identification and selection of new packaging material.
- ✓ Co-ordination with marketing, finance, processing for timely and error free launches.
- ✓ Conclude on product shelf life in coordination with R&D by conducting shelf-life studies

Internship

- Organization: Dabur India Ltd.
- ❖ Duration: 5 Month
- ❖ Project Details: To improve the extent of damages in mono-cartons at market place

Projects done at IIP

- Honeycomb making machine
- Packaging of drinking water in Reusable bottles
- Vials and Ampoules

ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

Qualification	Specialization	Institute/School Name	Board/University	Year	Percentage
PGDM	Operations	Institute of Management Technology	IMT, Ghaziabad	2023	83.86
PGDP	Packaging	Indian Institute of Packaging	IIP, New Delhi	2016	77.50
B.Sc.	PCM	M.P.G College	H.N.B.G.U	2014	66.11
Intermediate	PCM	K.V School	CBSE	2011	77.80
High School	Science	St. Clare's Convent School	CBSE	2009	77.40

Key Attributes

- Willing to take on challenges
- Open minded and willing to work in team or independently
- Hard worker and helping in nature
- Adaptable
- Quick- Learner

Achievements/ Extracurricular Activities:

- Won Star of the month award for Project Remdesivir for timely delivery irrespective of high lead time
- Won Outstanding team award for identifying & supporting the sudden launch of Jubi-R (RDV)
- Volunteered in packaging Conference held at IIP Delhi.
- Won First prize in Singing in inter college singing competition held at IIP Mumbai.

Personal Information

Date of Birth: 04th April 1993.

Marital Status: Single.

Languages Known: Hindi and English.

Hobbies: Singing, playing cricket, chess & soccer

Declaration:

I hereby declare that above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place: Gurugram

Date: (AKASH KANSAL)