

Digital Decor Printing Expert Course

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Course Details

DDP EXPERT Course DDP-EX

Start Date: on request

End Date:

 incl. University Certificate

 Feldkirchen, Carinthia, Austria

 English/German

End of the registration period

Duration and total hours of training

- 3-month professional training
- About 135 hours of professional training incl. theoretical and practical sessions
- The in-classroom teaching is divided in on-site and online lectures
- With a total of three on-site live trainings at reputed industry companies
- The course is designed to study next to students' current job responsibilities
- Spaces are limited to allow for an optimal learning environment in small groups
- The language of instruction is English or German

Description

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What is the Target Audience?

The DDP Expert course is designed for employees already working in the digital surface decoration industry, whether with analog or digital printing presses. At the same time the course addresses employees from neighboring or related industries, which are planning to enter the world of digital decor printing. Typical professional educations addressed are decor designers, pre-press operators, print operators, production operators, shift supervisors, printing and R&D engineers, quality operators, quality engineers and print production managers. The program is also suited for employees interested in a career change.

Course content

- ✓ Digital decor printing – design, prepress, printing and post-processing
- ✓ Analog decor printing – short overview
- ✓ Color management and inks
- ✓ Digital decor printing – quality assurance
- ✓ Co-existence of analog and digital printing
- ✓ Market data, trends and innovation in digital decor printing
- ✓ Sustainability, environmental protection and CO2 prevention
- ✓ Soft skills for working in the digital age
- ✓ Live trainings at production sites of industry leading companies:

Section 1: Color management

Section 2: Flatbed decor production

Section 3: Roll-to-roll decor production



Course price

Per participant: **Euro 19.000.-**
DIPA members receive **20% discount**

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Participants benefits

- Fast learning curve
- Learn from leading digital surface decoration industry experts
- Excellent networking opportunities
- Certificate will be provided by DIPA Academy and University of Applied Sciences Carinthia (Austria) after successful completion of the course
- In addition, ECTS credits can be earned that can be used for graduate study
- Solidify obtained theoretical knowledge with live-trainings at industry leading companies

Employer benefits

- Obtained knowledge of employees can be applied immediately in operations
- Relatively short period, where employees are off work
- Employees learn from leading digital surface decoration industry experts
- Employees get exposed to the latest methodologies, which allow supporting internal process improvements and projects
- The cooperation between DIPA Academy and the University of Applied Sciences Carinthia (Austria) assures a high level of quality

