



# DIAMOND ASSOCIATES

Providing Search and Consulting Services for the Abrasives Industry

*Conducting successful searches for experienced professional staff - Consulting for technical and market development - Advising on prospective acquisitions - Evaluating new products*

Diamond Associates, Inc. is a consulting firm exclusively committed to the abrasives industry. Our company provides a unique offering of search and consulting services, such as:

- ◆ Personalized search services based on sound industry knowledge resulting in qualified candidates for your professional needs.
- ◆ Consulting services for technical and market developments and new product assessment by established research and development professionals.
- ◆ Research and consultation sessions regarding company acquisitions.

## RON GRIEGER, Ph.D.

President and Founder

Ron Grieger has over 30 years of experience in abrasives. After receiving his Ph.D. from Purdue University in 1973, he joined General Electric Superabrasives as a Product Engineer. He was promoted to Manager of Diamond Engineering in 1976. In 1980 Ron joined GE Lighting Business Group as Advanced Process Engineering Manager. In 1983 he moved on to GE Medical Systems as Engineering Manager for the X-Ray Tube Generation Business.

In 1985 Ron moved back into the abrasives industry by joining GTE Valdiamant as Operations Manager. This later became Phoenix Crystal, a consulting company that provided engineering services to plants in China and Texas. He joined Norton Company in 1992 as Divisional Vice President. During his career in industry, Ron has hired over 50 people in technical operations, sales, and quality. He has a large network of industrial contacts and has developed a reputation of hiring exceptional talent. Ron started his current business in consulting in 1998.

## OUR CLIENTS

Diamond Associates' clients extend throughout the world. Our client companies range from small to large, from precision grinding and finishing to rough cutting, and includes all market sectors of abrasives and industrial materials.

## OUR CANDIDATES

We present candidates to you that are pre-screened for your specific requirements. Our in-depth experience in the abrasives industry enables quick and detailed understanding of position responsibilities and effective evaluation of candidates in a timely manner.

## OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

We have recruited for over 40 companies for Sales Directors, Regional Sales Managers, R&D Managers and Engineers, Manufacturing Managers, Corporate Officers, and consultants across North America, Europe, and Asia.

### TESTIMONIALS

*"It was great to work with you again in filling our opening for a Market Development Engineer. For us to fill that job in one week with your help was amazing."*

*"Ron Grieger has a remarkable understanding of the superabrasives industry and a broad range of contacts within that industry. He has an ability of teaming up specialized people with clients that have very unique needs."*

*"Ron Grieger is an excellent listener and has done a fantastic job of finding and prescreening candidates. We are thrilled by our most recent hire."*

*"Ron Grieger is a very knowledgeable and professional recruiter with extensive experience and contacts within the abrasives industry... Thanks to Ron we recently filled a position that had long awaited the right candidate for our company."*

*"Your services were exemplary."*

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