

Achila Siyasinghe
No. 283 B
Kehelella,
Badalgama,
SRI LANKA

05th June 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Application for the Post of GSE Engineer / Manager

I am writing to express my interest in the GSE Engineer/ Manager position with TLD. I have been working in the automotive industry for over 18 years and have extensive experience in all aspects of fleet management. Which include GSE management experience with Airport and Ground services department of SriLankan Airlines for past 8 years period.

I am confident that I have the skills and qualifications that you are looking for, and I am eager to put my experience to work for your organization.

I have worked in both corporate and dealer settings, which has given me a unique perspective on the business. I have managed all aspects of fleet management/ workshop operations including GSE maintenance Planning, acquisition, commissioning, maintenance & repair, inventory control, driver training, safety programs, and customer service.

I'm presently employed as Airport Service Manager (Plant & Equipment), In charge of GSE maintenance for SriLankan Airlines, Colombo, Sri Lanka. Willing to relocate in Canada.

In addition to my skills and experience, I am also a highly motivated and driven individual. I am confident that I can bring value to your organization and help you achieve your goals and objectives.

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Sincerely,



Achila Siyasinghe (Mob +94718188484)

CV – GSE Engineer/ Manager

Achila Siyasinghe

Chartered Engineer.

BSc (Mech.) Eng., M. Tech (Industrial) Eng., Dip MIS, PG Dip (Industrial) Eng., MBA (UK), MIM (SL), FIAE (SL), CMILT (UK), C Mgr, FCPM(SL), MIET (UK), CEng (ECUK), Int P.Eng. (UK).

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name in Full : Siyasinghe Mudiyansele Achila Janaka Priyantha Siyasinghe

Nationality : Sinhalese

Religion : Buddhist

Date of Birth : 25th November 1972

Gender : Male

Civil Status : Married

Passport No. : N7018895

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- **Master of Business Administration (MBA) Degree-2018**, (Academic Level 7 under the UK FHEQ), Anglia Ruskin University, UK.
- **Master in Technology in Industrial Engineering – 2013**, The Open University of Sri Lanka.
- **Postgraduate Diploma in Technology in Industrial Engineering -2011**, The Open University of Sri Lanka.

- **BSc Mechanical Engineering Degree** – 1998, General Sir John Kotelawala Defence Academy.
- **Diploma in Management Information Systems-** 2003, Indian Institute of Management & Technology.
- **Mechanical Transport Officer’s Course-** 2006, School of Electrical and Mechanical Engineering, Sri Lanka Army.
- **Transport Management** – 2012, Construction Equipment Training Centre (CETRAC)
- **Root Cause Analysis Training-** 2016, Morten Beyer& Agnew (MBA)

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- **Fellow Member of The Institute of Automotive Engineers (Sri Lanka).** – (2013, Membership No- 001139)
- **Chartered Member – The Chartered Institute of Logistic and Transport** (2020, Membership Number – 51453)
- **Member The Institution of Engineering and Technology.** (2018, Membership number- 1100670744)
- **Member of Institute of Management of Sri Lanka.** (2014, Membership number- 1016)
- **Chartered Engineer - The Institution of Engineering and Technology.** (2021, Membership number- 1100670744)
- **Chartered Engineer – Engineering Council (UK).** (2021, Membership number- 685080)
- **Fellow Member – The Institute of Chartered Professional Managers of Sri Lanka.** (2021, Membership number- FCPM 00402)
- **International Professional Engineer (Int.PE) - Engineering Council (UK).** (2022, Membership number- 685080)

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

Present -

Organization - SriLankan Airlines Ltd (15.08.2014 onwards)

Designation - Airport Service Manager (Plant & Equipment) /(GSE Maintenance)

Job Role- As the Airport Service Manager (Plant & Equipment) division, I am responsible to manage administrative activities and workshop and GSE stores activities including budgeting, purchase Ground Support Equipment (GSE), purchase GSE spare parts, performance management on GSE, maintain GSE spare parts inventory, GSE maintenance planning, repair, training and overhaul of 420 fleet of Motorized Aircraft Ground Support Equipment, and nearly 1100 non-motorized equipment use in SriLankan Airlines. Issue of purchase recommendations.

I have the heavy vehicle Driving licence issued by Government of Sri Lanka, Competency Apron Driving Permit issued by SriLankan Airlines Ltd for all the types of Ground Support Equipment – GSE and Airside Driving Permit issued by Airport and Aviation Service (SL) Ltd to drive/operate all the types for GSE in Apron.

Overseas Factory visits & Business Meetings, Training attended to represent SriLankan Airlines.

1. Business Meeting, Factory visit – Volvo Buses India Private Limited, Bangalore, India. (20.07.2015 – 24.07.2015)
2. Factory visit & business conference - TLD Asia (Shanghai) Ltd, Shanghai and TLD Asia (Wuxi) Ltd, Wuxi, China. (15.12.2015 – 22.12.2015)
3. Factory visit & business conference – Shanghai WayCan M&E Technology Co, Ltd., Shanghai, China. (23.12.2015 – 26.12.2015)
4. Pre-delivery Inspection and technical training on SCHOPF Aircraft Towing Tractor– SCHOPF Maschinenbau GmbH, Stuttgart, Germany. (25.02.2017 – 03.03.2017)
5. Pre-delivery Inspection, Factory visit – Guinault SA Manufacturing Plant, Saint-Cyr En-Val, France & LEBRUN Manufacturing Plant, Nimy, Belgium. (05.06.2017 – 11.06.2017)
6. Pre-delivery inspection and technical training on Air Starter Units – TLD Asia Limited, Hong Kong. (26.07.2017 – 28.07.2017)

7. Factory visit & business conference – CIMC Airport Ground support Equipment Manufacturing Facilities, Beijing, China. (06.12.2017 – 12.06.2017)
8. Pre-delivery Inspection, Factory visit & business conference – Guinault SA Manufacturing Plant, Saint-Cyr En-Val, France & LEBRUN Manufacturing Plant, Nimy, Belgium. (18.03.2018 – 22.03.2018)
9. Factory visit & business conference – Haoqi Aviation Equipment Qidong Co., Ltd. Shanghai, China. (16.04.2018 – 19.04.2018)
10. Pre order Inspection, Factory visit & business conference – Timsan Aviation Equipment, Istanbul, Turkey. (26.04.2018 – 29.04.2018)
11. Pre-delivery Inspection, Factory visit– Haoqi Aviation Equipment Qidong Co., Ltd. Shanghai, China. & Factory visit & business conference-Shanghai Hangfu Airdrome Equipment Co., Ltd, Shanghai, China. (06.08.2018 – 11.08.2018)
12. Factory visit & business conference – Mallaghan Ground Support Equipment, Northern Ireland, UK. (24.9.2018 – 28.09.2018)
13. Pre dilivery Inspection, Factory visit & business conference – Timsan Aviation Equipment, Izmir, Turkey. (25.06.2019 – 28.06.2019)
14. Pre-delivery Inspection, Factory visit– Haoqi Aviation Equipment Qidong Co., Ltd.Shanghai, China. (28.08.2019 – 31.08.2019)
15. Pre-Order Inspection & business conference - Medical Ambulift (Mallaghan ML 6100T Trcuk Mounted) Danata Technical Services, Dubai International Airport, Dubai, UAE. (08.03.2022 – 11.03.2022)
16. Pre-Order Inspection, Factory visit & business conference on Towbar less Aircraft Towing Tractor– Goldhofer Airport Technology, Memmigen, Germany. (15.03.2022 – 18.03.2022)
17. Pre-Delivery Inspection, Factory visit for Roller Beds and Pallet Dollies– Haoqi Aviation Equipment Qidong Co., Ltd.Shanghai, China. (18.05.2023 – 22.05.2023)

Previous-

(1). Sri Lanka Army

Designation: - **Commissioned Officer /Mechanical Engineer/ Transport Officer - Sri Lanka Army, Sri Lanka Engineer Regiment, Independent Workshop.** (22.10.1994 – 31.01.2007) After graduation I joined with Sri Lanka Engineer Regiment, Sri Lanka Army. I was posted to the Main workshop of the regiment.

Job Role-Responsibility to manage all operational and administration activities of the transport section of Independent Workshop, Function as the Adjutant for Independent Workshop. Served as Officer In charge of the independent Workshop, Sri Lanka Army.

(2). Global Engineering Solutions (Pvt) Ltd

Designation: - Project Engineer (01.02.2007 – 25.03.2007)

Job Role-I was entrusted to manage all operational activities of the project, which undertaken by Global Engineering Solutions (Pvt) Ltd. It was an erection of steel factory building for CIC Holdings PLC, Panagoda.

(3). Dong Yang (Pvt) Ltd.

Designation: - Service Manager and Transport Manager (26.03.2007 – 31.01.2008)

Job Role- I was responsible for manage Transport section, accept imported machinery parts, purchase spare parts locally for assembly, inventory control, assembly and distribute Dong Yang rice milling machinery to local agents, which imported from South Korea.

(4). High Tech Engineering Service.

Designation: - Project Manager (01.02.2008 – 20.05.2009)

Job Role- I was entrusted to manage operational as well as administrative activities of the project, which undertaken by High Tech Engineering Service. It was a fabrication & erection of steel building warehouse for Hayleys Agriculture Holdings Limited.

(5). Business Promoters and Parteners (Pvt) Ltd.

Designation: - Deputy Project Manager (23.05.2009 – 24.05.2010)

Job Role- I was responsible to manage operational and administrative activities on company own construction equipment and hired construction equipment on projects as per the demand.

(6). Waymbco (VSB) building Systems (Pvt) Ltd.

Designation: - Project Manager (25.05.2010 – 30.07.2011)

Job Role- I was responsible to manage all operational and administrative activities of the project, which Waymbco (VSB) building Systems (Pvt) Ltd undertook to erect 'Mamuth' prefabricated six buildings including a warehouse and production facilities in Uniliver Sri Lanka Company relocation project.

(7). State Engineering Corporation of Sri Lanka

Designation: - Workshop Engineer (Officer In charge) - Central Workshop and Officer In charge of Transport Unit, Equipment & Machinery Division. (01.08.2011 - 13. 08. 2014)

Job Role- I was responsible to manage administrative activities and workshop activities including maintenance, repair, overhaul of construction machinery & equipment in an effective and efficient manner in the Central Workshop. And utilization of Total Construction Machinery fleet was 526 units including Dozers, Motor Graders, Vibrating Rollers, Dump Trucks, Prime Movers with Tailors, Backhoe Loaders, Front End Loaders, Excavators as the Officer In charge of Transport Unit.

REFEREES

(1). Name: Prof. T.M. Pallewattha, Head of Department – Civil Engineering Department, The Open University of Sri Lanka. Telephone: +94716366529, +94112881248

(2). Name: Dr (Eng). Ananda K. Handunge, CEO – Solid Tyre Division, Ferentino Tyre Corporation (Pvt) Ltd. Telephone: +94703009918

I hereby certify that the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

27th November 2023

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Achila Siyasinghe