

ANNOUNCEMENT

The MPI Group, LLC is happy to announce the addition of David McConnell to our management team effective May 26, 2014. As Manager, Products & Services, David will be working closely with every department to maintain and improve our exacting quality standards while also looking to the future as we continue to evolve with the needs of today's hollow metal market.

David graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Engineering Graphics and Design from Murray State University. He began his career as an assembly worker in Murray, KY, but very quickly received and embraced an opportunity to enter the hollow metal industry as a Product Engineering Intern in McKenzie, TN. His career has progressed over the last 10+ years to lead him through that internship to become a Senior Product Engineer and now onto this management position with MPI in Corbin, KY.

David can be reached at 606-523-0461, Ext. 117 or dmcconnell@metalproductsinc.com.

David's considerable exposure and expertise in hollow metal will be very important to MPI and its customers as one of our veterans, Tom Stone, moves into semi-retirement. Luckily, Mr. Stone has opted to remain actively involved with MPI during his personal transition process, so both Mr. McConnell and the company will benefit from his knowledge and industry reputation for several more months to come.

Beginning in June 2014, David will also serve as MPI's representative on both the SDI and NAAMM Technical Committees.

We are very excited about the opportunities that are coming our way in 2014. To our tenured customers, as well as those who have most recently joined our rolls, we thank you for your patronage. With 34 years of manufacturing excellence, and multiple decades of manufacturing management and experience, MPI is poised and ready to work hard for you and your customers.

Sincerely

Bob Berry, President The MPI Group, LLC