

Successful Launch of DuPont™ Cyrel® and Esko Equipment at Alaniya Flex, Tashkent, Uzbekistan



In September 2024, a significant milestone was achieved for **Alaniya Flex** in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, as the company successfully installed a new line of cutting-edge equipment by **DuPont™ Cyrel®** and **Esko**, two leaders in the field of flexographic printing solutions. This installation included the advanced **CDI Crystal 4260**, **XPS Crystal 4260**, **Cyrel® 2000 Dryer** and **2000 Light finisher** units, all carefully set up by specialists from DuPont and Esko. With this installation, Alaniya Flex now boasts its third complete line for producing flexographic printing plates, solidifying its position as a major player in the prepress industry within Uzbekistan and the broader Central Asian market.

Since its foundation in 2016, Alaniya Flex has built a strong reputation for providing high-quality prepress services and plate manufacturing for flexographic printing. The company has become a trusted name in Uzbekistan, known for its dedication to quality and its commitment to keeping up with global industry standards. This latest expansion, made possible through collaboration with DuPont and Esko, enables Alaniya Flex to meet the rising demand for advanced flexographic solutions in Uzbekistan.

"The packaging market in Uzbekistan is highly dynamic and rapidly evolving. Recently, there has been significant investment in this sector, driven by the country's population growth. We are witnessing the emergence of numerous start-ups, the establishment of new production facilities, and the installation of advanced printing presses. Our objective is to align with these positive market developments and advance the field of flexographic printing in collaboration with DuPont and our customers"

says **Alexander Kosachev**, Sales Account Manager, CIS countries DuPont™ Cyrel® Flexographic Solutions.

The installation of the **CDI Crystal 4260** and **XPS Crystal 4260** represents a major step forward for Alaniya Flex in terms of quality, efficiency, and productivity. The **Esko CDI Crystal 4260** is recognized in the industry for its ability to produce high-resolution images on flexographic plates, contributing to sharper and more detailed print results.

Its counterpart, the **Esko XPS Crystal 4260**, provides precise UV LED exposure, which improves the accuracy and consistency of plate exposure and enhances repeatability and overall print quality. Together, they form a powerful duo that ensures exceptional quality in the production of flexographic printing plates, reducing both time and labor while maintaining consistency across print runs.

The addition of the **Cyrel® 2000 Dryer** and **2000 Light Finisher** further complement this line, bringing advanced drying and finishing capabilities to Alaniya Flex's operations. This equipment provides efficient drying and processing of plates, ensuring they are ready for use in a shorter time frame, thus reducing downtime and improving turnaround times for clients. These machines contribute to a streamlined workflow, enabling Alaniya Flex to maintain the highest standards of quality and speed for its customers.

This latest collaboration between Alaniya Flex, DuPont™ Cyrel®, and Esko reflects the strength of the partnership between these companies and their shared commitment to advancing the field of flexography in Uzbekistan. Both DuPont and Esko are leaders in developing solutions that drive efficiency and quality in flexographic printing, and Alaniya Flex is proud to bring these innovations to the Uzbek market. Together, they are not only elevating the standards of prepress and printing plate production in the region but also working toward fostering growth and innovation in the local printing industry.

As Alaniya Flex continues to expand its operations and invest in advanced technology, it remains dedicated to delivering top-quality services that meet the evolving needs of its clients. This recent investment underscores the company's commitment to providing world-class prepress and plate-making solutions, setting a new benchmark for quality and innovation in the region.

With this new line of DuPont and Esko equipment, Alaniya Flex is well-positioned to lead the market in Uzbekistan, helping businesses achieve superior print quality through the power of advanced flexographic technology.

Sergey Kim, Director of Alaniya Flex, expressed his deep gratitude to the representatives of DuPont and Esko for their contribution to the implementation of this project. He noted:

"This project would not have been possible without professionalism of DuPont and Esko specialists, their innovative approach and support. Thanks to their equipment and technologies, we can offer our customers the highest quality products. We are proud to partner with industry leaders like DuPont and Esko, and we are confident that we will reach new peaks of excellence together."

The launch of the new equipment line will allow Alaniya Flex to significantly increase productivity, improve product quality and meet the growing needs of customers. We are optimistic about the future and are confident that our cooperation with DuPont and Esko will bring even more success."



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