



## **Diecutting & Diemaking 101 Workshop SAMPLE ITINERARY**

8:30am- 9:00am	<b>Coffee/Bagels</b> (optional for attendees)
9:00am- 9:15am	<b>Welcome/Opening Remarks</b>
9:15am - 9:30am	<b>Safety First</b> – sharp rule, cut resistant gloves etc.
9:30am-10:15am	<b>Steel Rule Die – CAD, Cutting Rule, Creasing Rule, Ejection Material, Kerf, Verticality test</b>
10:15am-10:30am	<b>Break</b>
10:30am-10:45pm	<b>Video Presentations of Rule Bender/Rubber Cutting Equipment</b>
10:45am-11:00am	<b>Nicking Demonstration</b>
11:00am-11:30am	<b>Ejection Material – Durometer, Open/Closed Cell, Height, etc.</b>
11:30am-12:00pm	<b>Creasing Matrix, Phenolic Counter &amp; Steel Counter</b>
12:00pm-12:30pm	<b>Lunch</b>
12:30pm-12:45pm	<b>Mounting the Die</b>
12:45pm-1:30pm	<b>The Makeready Process – Nicking – Cutting Process</b>
1:30pm- 2:30pm	<b>Introduction to Blanking and Stripping</b>
2:30pm- 2:45pm	<b>Break</b>
2:45pm- 3:30pm	<b>Diecutter Demonstration</b>
3:30pm- 4:00pm	<b>Troubleshooting / Do's and Don'ts / Question &amp; Answer</b>