

BREAKING NEWS

EUROPEAN SCHOOLS ADOPT NEW SIMULATOR OFFER

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In the current economic crisis, schools are facing increasing budget constraints and are trying to find new methods of cost-effective training. In printing schools, consumables (paper and ink) are often acquired through sponsorship and thus dependant on external goodwill and supplier budgets. This combined with the decrease in other resources often leads to print machines sleeping in the pressroom.

To improve students' skills, practice on presses is essential. The best way to achieve this in the present situation is to use print simulators in combination with real presses. Waste and consumables reduction associated with increased knowledge and confidence for the trainees, this is what we call a winning investment!

For example, in the last few months, a half-dozen German and Finnish schools have installed Sinapse print simulators and integrated them into their training curriculum.

Some of them took advantage of the special offer for a package of Sheetfed offset (SHOTS) and Flexo (PackSim-Flexo) simulators. This package allows schools to acquire simulators for two of the most widely-used printing processes for an exceptionally advantageous price. As many of the schools do not have print presses for both processes, this also allows their students to acquire the process knowledge and go "hands-on" with the simulator.

A number of these new users were present at the recent Sinapse User Days. 45 teachers and industrial trainers from 16 different countries and 4 continents were present for the 3-day meeting hosted by the largest graphic school in the Netherlands, the Grafisch Lyceum Rotterdam (<http://www.glr.nl/>)



Teachers and trainers working on the Heatset simulator at the user meeting, GLR, Rotterdam.

For more information about the simulators and the special offer for schools, contact us at : info@sinapseprint.com

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