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Welcome to the Autumn edition of 'Partners with Industry'

Each year CRS Australia places over 10 000 people with a disability, injury or health condition into suitable employment across the country. We can only do this with the support of employers who are looking for the right staff. In this issue we feature two employers who have found suitable staff by working in partnership with CRS Australia. We also profile one of our employment consultants and the work they do with employers. If you are interested in looking for the right staff, our local staff would love to talk to you about working in partnership.



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Colin Simon, Director Infracan Thermal Imaging and Gabriel Melo.

InfraScan search made easy by CRS Australia

When Colin Simon, Director of InfraScan Thermal Imaging Pty Ltd, needed to find a reliable employee with an electrician's background, he called CRS Australia's Chatswood office. As the requirements for the position could not be met through this office it was sent to CRS Australia's network for suitable applicants.

Colin says, 'I contacted one office and because of CRS Australia's great infrastructure I was then contacted by various other locations.'

'They were lightning fast, eager to help and with a good depth of job seekers to choose from – the demographic was perfect,' continues Colin.

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Gabriel Melo, photographed with a heat detecting Thermal Imaging camera.

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CRS Australia job seeker Gabriel Melo, was the successful candidate. He was a client of the CRS Australia Fairfield office. Gabriel, a former electrician was qualified for the position having recently completed Test and Tag - Safety Checking Electrical Appliances at TAFE.

Colin says, 'Gabriel is working out very well. His work ethic is outstanding, he is very keen to learn, shows initiative and has adapted well to the position. It is more academic than he is used to but he has made a good transition.'

'Gabriel has signed off on the "safe work method statement," which has very strict working conditions,' says Colin. 'He has passed all the safety checks and inductions, and undergoes regular site specific inductions.'

'I hope Gabriel works with us for many years, and finds the work interesting and rewarding. I will certainly come back to CRS Australia if I need more staff.'

Colin Simon took over as Director of InfraScan Thermal Imaging last year when the owner/manager retired after being in the business for 10 years.

Thermal imaging or infrared scanning is electrical maintenance used for predicting early failure of components by detecting the heat generated by loose electrical connections or frictions in the case of mechanical bearings.

It is a highly specialised industry and InfraScan has a variety of clients ranging from large corporations, shopping centres, hotels to smaller businesses. Based in Sydney, their client base covers Western Sydney and stretches as far as Canberra.

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