

*Gibbons Company requires a*

# **Fashion & Fashion Accessories Buyer**

***Gibbons Company is seeking a highly motivated individual as a Buyer for its Department Store in Hamilton.***

*This is a senior position within the Gibbons Company reporting directly to the CEO. The successful candidate will have a minimum of five years current buying experience in the Fashion and Accessory areas with a successful track record of sourcing merchandise from international markets, meeting sales and profitability goals, as well as a solid understanding of OTB planning structure.*

***Candidates should have the following skills:***

- *Excellent written and verbal communication skills*
- *Proficiency in Retail Information Systems, and in Microsoft Office Suite, with a strong emphasis on spreadsheet work in Excel*
- *Proven experience of sourcing private label and branded goods*
- *Full understanding and demonstrated practice of OTB planning and implementation*
- *Full understanding of LC components*
- *Able to manage the receipt of the flow of goods and control inventory levels*
- *Ability to negotiate at a senior management level*
- *Good mathematical acumen*
- *Be self-motivated with high energy level and a strong work ethic*
- *A willingness to travel a minimum of 6 weeks per year*
- *An optimistic personality that can work with all team members within the company*
- *Must be flexible with working hours which include weekends both on and off the island*
- *A college degree or equivalent in work experience*

*Salary will be commensurate with experience. Benefits include comprehensive medical insurance, life insurance, contributory pension plan, employee assistance program and discounts at the Gibbons Group of Companies.*

***Please apply in writing, enclosing a resume and references to:***

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***Application Deadline***  
*February 10th, 2012*



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