

# ABOUT ME



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Barbara Lukasik, Colorants Lab Manager at ChromaScape, has a wide range of responsibilities from managing customer requests, running colorant schools on the intricacies of coloration in the paper industry, to collaborating with customers on a multitude of issues.

Barbara is a highly motivated, creative and versatile manager with decades of experience in the paper colorants industry. She has worked with various paper mills troubleshooting issues on paper machines and conducting color trails. Barbara has co-authored a book on the paper industry, entitled Make Paper Products Stand Out. Her ability to build relationships with customers and staff, as well as her technical expertise is impressive.

Barbara holds a Bachelor of Science in Business and a Master of Business Administration from Southern University.

Barbara grew up in a small Pennsylvania town with three brothers and three sisters. She and her husband live in Douglasville, Georgia, have three grown children and three wonderful grandchildren.

In her free time, she loves to work with wood, bringing new life to old furniture, creating art through wood and sometimes just painting with watercolors. She loves to cook and spend time with her family every chance she gets.

## Top Skills:

Regulatory Compliance • Standard Operating Procedure Development • Development and Administration of Near Hit Program for the Colorant Laboratory • Certified in Hazardous Waste Disposal and Shipping Dangerous Goods • Colorimetry Seminar Instruction

## Specialties:

Laboratory management, Process Optimization, Customer Engagement, Technical Expertise, Safety and Compliance, Innovation in Colorants, Industry Publication Author

## Experience:

Bayer/Lanxess/Kemira Chemicals: **Technical Service Representative/Supervisor/Manager for Colorants**

Bayer Corporation, Rubber Division: **Technician, Testing in Customer Service and R&D for Automotive**

Mac Plastics: **Colorist for 16 Machines, Inventory**

## Equipment Skills:

Spectrophotometer • Xenon • Fadeometer • Technidyne Brightimeter • Size Press Operations • Small and Large Pulp Beaters • UV-Vis Spectrophotometer • Coaters

