



# Control Upgrades

## Modern Platform & Improved Facilities

- ✓ Installed around production schedules
- ✓ Obsolescence issues eliminated
- ✓ Off-the-shelf components
- ✓ Improved response times
- ✓ Enhanced diagnostics
- ✓ 24x7 remote support
- ✓ Increased reliability
- ✓ Quicker start-up
- ✓ Reduced waste

"We were pleased to have Harland Simon be the vendor of choice for the press control system on our new Uniliner press. We have been a customer of Harland Simon for many years, and have always found them to have solid products and support. Our press operators have adapted quickly to the control desk and the functionality of the overall system. Harland Simon has been consistent in their support throughout the project."

Lisa Hurm  
Director of Operations  
Pittsburgh Post-Gazette

It's reasonable to expect a press to give good service for 20 to 30 years from the time it's first installed, but its control system is likely to become a source of concern after about half that time as intermittent failures and obsolete components start to creep in. The controls will also begin to show their age in terms of limited functionality and speed of response when compared to newer equivalents. This is the time to consider a control system upgrade.

No matter who manufactured the original equipment, Harland Simon can work around your production schedules to upgrade your press control systems. Our upgrades focus on removing obsolete and problematic equipment whilst providing state-of-the-art functionality on industry-standard components. In many cases, the upgrades can be phased over a number of projects to spread the costs with each one delivering tangible benefits.

Typically, in order to minimise costs and disruption, we concentrate our efforts on the 'intelligence' of the system, eliminating those components which affect performance and reliability whilst retaining the low-level I/O and wiring. We also replace existing control desks with our renowned Prima console to give the press operators far greater functionality and flexibility.



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# Integration Automation Control

Integrate third-party equipment. Automate manual processes. Control your production with a **Harland Simon** system.

**Harland Simon** can control and manage your production throughout the entire process. For more than twenty five years we have provided solutions for the world's most demanding newspaper printers. If you're buying new equipment, our experience and technical expertise mean we can work in partnership with your choice of manufacturer to give you state-of-the-art functionality built on an industry-standard platform.

If you're considering upgrading your site, we can make your day-to-day production secure by eliminating troublesome and unsupported components. We can improve quality and reduce costs with a range of enhancements from pre-press right through to the mailroom. We can provide the tools you need to analyse production and diagnose faults quickly and offer 24x7 support when you need it. We can put you in control.



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