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# COLOR LASER PRINTER INSTRUCTIONS



#### 1 business day turnaround, we do not accept rush orders

#### Bulk orders (over 100 prints/copies) subject to 5+ business day turnaround

- 1. Create a PRINT READY FILE
  - a. File size/dimensions saved as your final print output size
  - b. High-Res (ideally 300dpi, no less than 150dpi)
  - c. Account for .25"/6mm non-printable margin around page size
- 2. Name your file(s), using appropriate file naming conventions
  - e.g. UserName\_FileName\_PageSize\_Date.pdf
- 3. Save your document as one of these file types:
  - a. PDF (preferred)
  - **b. TIFF** (must be flattened/layers merged)
  - c. Packaged InDesign Folder (compress into .zip prior to sending)
- 4. Upload or attach folder/file(s)
  - Service Bureau Dropbox Server: Finder>Go>Connect to Server>sbdropbox.mcad.edu
    Drop file into the ImagePress Folder
  - b. Google Drive (turn on sharing permissions so we have access to edit)
  - c. Attach smaller files directly to your email
- 5. With Adobe Acrobat, fill all appropriate fields in order form, include as much detail as possible
- 6. Email the completed order form, with any attachments, to sbureau@mcad.edu
- NO books or booklets with this order form, use a book order form (even if we are not binding)
- File must be saved at print size, we do not scale or make other alterations to your work (we suggest opening your tiff/pdf files in Photoshop to double check image size and resolution prior to submitting)
- We will cancel your order if we are missing information, if your file is incorrect, or otherwise unprintable
- Turnaround begins when we receive print ready files and completed order forms, in the order they were received
- Please keep an eye on your MCAD email, we will contact you there if we need any additional information.
- Once your job is complete, we will charge your PaperCut account/department listed on the order form (please ask for a quote in your email order if necessary prior to printing)
- · You will receive an email when the job is completed and on the pick up shelf
- · Orders with multiple files using the same specs should be saved as a multi-page PDF file
- See Knowledgebase and sample booklets in SB for Paper Types we have available.
- You may use your own paper (we may ask to see a sample before approving it to print), make note of that on your order form and email us to coordinate drop off
- We encourage you to set up an appointment to discuss your project

FOR BEST RESULTS: DOWNLOAD AND OPEN ORDER FORM WITH ADOBE ACROBAT

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Name:		If this project is for a class assignment	NEEDED BY
MCAD Username:		Course Name:	Date:
Charge to:		Instructor:	Time:
(department, personal, group, etc)		For Printmaking	
PLEASE NOTE: FILE(S) MUST BE PRINT READY. WE WILL NOT ALTER YOUR ARTWORK IN ANY WAY. WE DO NOT SCALE. WE DO NOT DO LAYOUT/DESIGN.			
File/Folder Name:			
Number of Pages/Files:			File Type:
Image Size (dimensions in inches):		PDF	
Number of Copies:			TIFF
Number of Copies.			Indd Folder
Paper Type:			
Color-\$0.25/print	Print Double-Sided	Stack Trim (5+ sheets, allow fo	r 1/8" bleed) - <b>\$1.00/stack</b>
B&W-\$0.02/print	Print w/ Crop Marks	Laminate (11x17 or 8.5x11 sheets	s) - \$0.50-\$1.00/sheet

#### **NOTES AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Please use this area to list any other specifications necessary:

Please pay attention to our standard turnaround times. All bulk requests should be scheduled in advance, turnaround times can be up to 5 business days.

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