## Production for Designers

Session Three: February 10, 2020

#### **Review Session Two:**

What is Media and the language used to work "in" media.

The History of Print.

Introduction to Specifications.

### Todays Agenda:

Review Assignment samples
FTP sites
Raster, Vector and Imaging formats
Job Tickets
Mid-Term Project

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### PRINT MEDIA



### PRODUCT LOGISTICS

Has anyone purchased a smart phone?
A computer? Headsets?
Shoes, sneakers, clothing?

## PRINT LOGISTICS



## MARKET, PROMOTE AND SELL

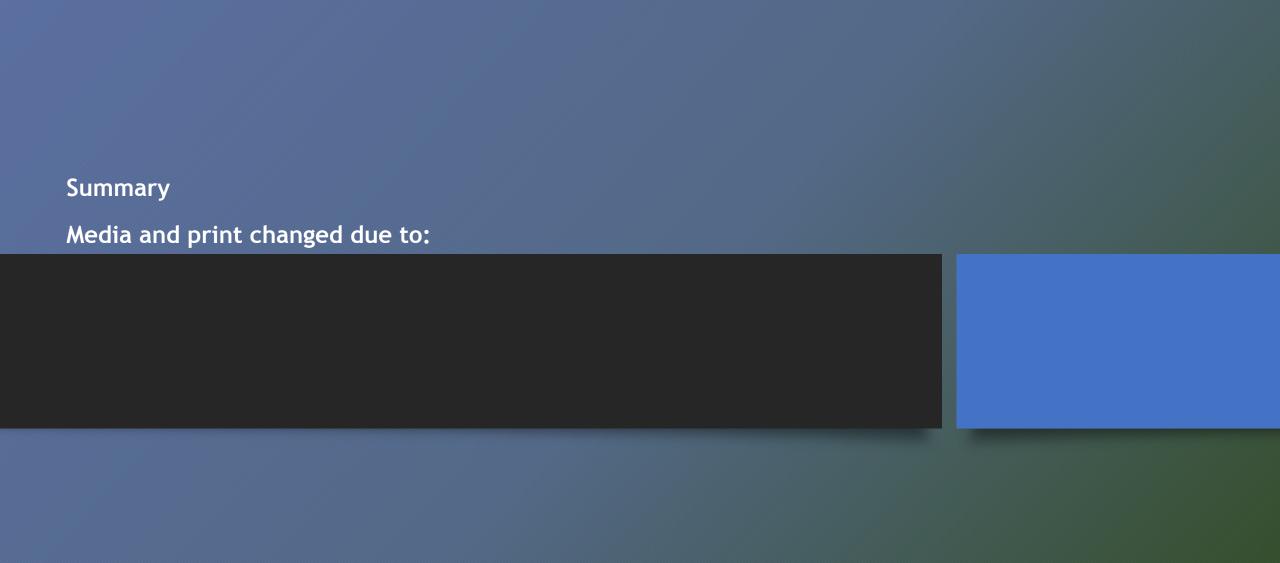
Direct Marketing?
Signage?
OOH?
Direct Mail?

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Catalogs
Direct Marketing



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- 3)The depression/recession, financial decline during the end of the first decade of the 2000's.

#### **Job Tickets**

Just as a creative project should start with a creative brief, any print project should start with the development of a job ticket.



## What is a print-based Job Ticket?

https://www.efi.com/library/efi/documents/454/efi\_fiery\_central\_br\_en\_us.pdf

https://www.sepriep.com/DSF/documentation/en/CSH/AdminHelp/Production/Production\_Job\_Ticket.htm

https://www.adobe.com/studio/print/pdfs/JDF-WP\_A9\_updates\_july08.pdf

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http://www.printms.net/product2.htm

https://www.cip4.org/what-is-jdf.html

https://www.cip4.org/what-is-jdf/jdf-for-the-print-service-provider.html

### File Storage, FTP Sites

What is correct file storage?

Experience with Smugmug, Dropbox, WeTransfer

Your Cloud

Google Cloud



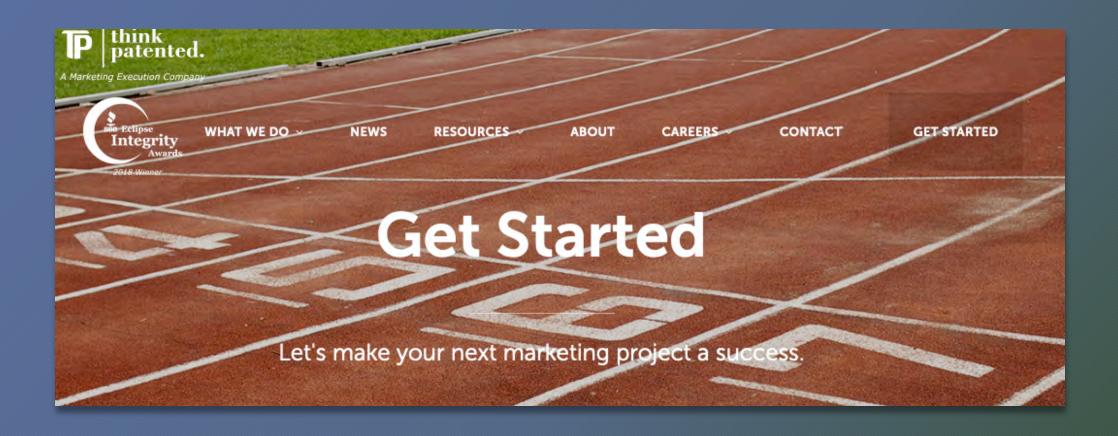
### Smugmug

https://thaddeuskubis.smugmug.com/



### Dropbox

Finder listing, Dropbox



#### FTP - File Transfer Protocol

Media, Printers, Agencies and more

# File Types

The correct file is part of the process, examine your media kit selection, speak to your print provider and determine what file type they require! Be specific regarding the purpose, the end result of the file and its use.

https://dcopy.net/support/file-formats/print-file-formats.php

http://resources.printhandbook.com/pages/file-types.php

https://www.lifewire.com/which-graphics-file-format-is-best-1701773

https://www.blueprintsvmg.com/the-print-production-process-explained/

http://www.meridianoutpost.com/resources/etools/calculators/calculator-file-download-time.php







72 dpi, TIFF

8.7 MB

1478 x 979

150 dpi, TIFF

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3080 x 2040

300 dpi, TIFF

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6160 x 4080

A <u>file</u> with the TIF or TIFF <u>file extension</u> is a tagged image file. This type of file is used for high-quality raster type graphics. The format supports lossless compression, in which no image data is lost during the compression process. This lets graphic artists and photographers archive their <u>high-quality</u> photos in a manageable amount of storage space without compromising quality. https://www.lifewire.com/tif-tiff-file-2622393

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JPEG stands for Joint Photographic Experts Group. It is a standard method of compressing photographic images. We also call JPEG the file format which employs this compression. The file extensions for this format are .JPEG, .JFIF, .JPG, OR .JPE although .JPG is the most common on all platforms. https://www.coolutils.com/Formats/JPEG

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https://graphicdesign.stackexchange.com/questions/58921/which-file-format-is-best-for-

printing

https://modassicmarketing.com/understanding-image-file-types

https://99designs.co.uk/blog/tips/image-file-types/

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\_of\_file\_formats

### Definitions

https://www.printingforless.com/images.html

https://www.exposureguide.com/resolution/

https://solutions.teamavalon.com/blog/understanding-file-resolution-and-its-importance-in-print

http://www.theprintgroup.com.au/graphic-design/images-what-is-dpi-ppi-resolution.html

http://www.updig.org/guidelines/ph\_resolution.html

# Mid-Term Assignment

Develop a multi-part project, the project needs to contain files that are PRINT ready for the following media. A newspaper ad, a magazine ad, a printed flyer or brochure and a movie style poster.

### **Next Session**

Historical review of the current print processes and discussion of the most recent print process including digital, inkjet and other print based processes.

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