



Adobe InDesign CS4 - Intermediate

Two-Day Course

Windows and Macintosh

Course Overview:

Enhance your current skills with this amazing page layout program by discovering more powerful and automated features. This course is designed for those individuals already accomplished using the program and who are looking for creative and quicker ways to use some of Adobe InDesign's more enhanced features.

Course Content:

- Deleting program preferences: Preference settings: Document and printing presets
- Library set-up
- Enhanced Typography Controls: hyphenation, optical margin alignment, paragraph composer
- Using the eyedropper tool, quick apply feature, open type and glyph sets, special characters, text variables
- Nested Paragraph Styles
- Advanced Bullets and Numbering
- Advanced Text linking
- Tables: Creating and Formatting with Table and Cell Styles
- Rotating a spread
- Applying effects to images, colouring grayscale images, anchoring objects, nested graphics
- Clipping Paths
- Outline Type
- Type on a path
- Anchoring objects
- Pen tools, Pencil tools and Scissors
- Effects: object styles, drop shadows, feathering, corner effects, transparency effects
- Converting Shapes and Corner Options
- Paths & Shapes: Using the Pen tool, working with the Pathfinder panel
- Preflight: Package and Links panels

Note: As of April 2009 DPA Communications will offer Adobe Acrobat, InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver and Flash courses on version CS4 (Creative Suite 4). If you are currently using previous versions see the CS3 version of this course outline for any differences in training course content. Please contact DPA for more details or to have an instructor contact you.