

## **Notes for Digital Print World**

I am developing a form of news coverage for UK developments in PDF.

Some of this is in a blog format. The sites have got into a mess so the structure may change. The stories seem to remain the same or develop very slowly.

The most recent news has been around the Guardian PDF experiment.

<http://www.guardian.co.uk/digitaledition/subscribe>

This still has limited interest as of Sunday.

Stories over the next few months will include some information from Digital Print World. This sheet is both a reminder on what to look for and a request for further information later.

### **Job Tickets**

Jaws PDF Courier seems to use XML. What is happening with Adobe Transit? Has it changed towards a more XML approach

### **Seybold Amsterdam**

Who plans to be there? Last time Adobe seemed to be there by accident as some individuals turned up anyway. Is there a problem with a European event as budgets only exist for particular countries? Will the UK press cover an event in Amsterdam? (Not much further from Hammersmith than Harrogate)

### **What is a 'standard' Mac?**

Simon Eccles did a thorough review on Creative Suite in *Printweek* but suggested that InDesign would not get very far as it is slow on a 'standard Mac'. In the computer industry kit changes. Wordstar worked fine for MS DOS. Is the print industry different?

### **Skills**

What is happening with a skills sector such as print will be part of? It seems the BPIF is the centre for whatever is happening now. Two possibly related sectors are e-skills and skillset, covering IT and digital media. Is there any connection?

Updates probably at

<http://ipex2002.blogspot.com>

and

<http://www.atford.co.uk>

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