Create and Share with Bluebeam Plug-ins

Bluebeam PDF Revu CAD edition integrates with every compatible version of AutoCAD®, SolidWorks®, and Microsoft® Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint) application on your workstation. In addition, Bluebeam toolbar buttons will be added into every compatible version of AutoCAD LT®, which will open the Save As dialog or the Print configuration settings dialog. Use the Bluebeam Administrator to turn off any integration. A Windows® system printer driver is also included with all Bluebeam programs to create PDFs and other files from any Windows or CAD application.

Creating a File from AutoCAD or SolidWorks

There are three options for creating a file with Bluebeam:

1. From the user interface, click the *Create PDF* button in the toolbar. Enter the file name in the *Save As* dialog box and click *Save*.

Note: The Save As dialog includes a list of other formats available (TIFF, JPEG, BMP, etc.). Compression, resolution, anti-aliasing, and line merge can also be controlled from the Save As dialog under *Advanced*.

2. From the user interface, click the *Change Settings* button. From here, you can change the conversion settings and then click the *Create File* button to create a PDF file with intelligent features.

    Change Settings allows you to control aspects of creation as well as enhance files with content.

3. From the *Bluebeam* menu, click *Create PDF*.

    Note: If *Prompt for File Name* is unchecked in *General Settings* of the *Change Settings* menu, Revu will always create a PDF file by default and not prompt for a file name.