DPS Pro App Publishing | Course Overview

COURSE DESCRIPTION

With the Digital Publishing Suite Pro license you can offer a wide array of services. From building in-company single issue or kiosk applications to selling your DPS services as an agency. But it takes a few steps to create your favourite iPad, iPhone and Android applications. This 1 day course is specifically aimed at companies who own a DPS Pro license and want to find out how you can create these applications.

This course will focus on iPad apps but iPhone & Android app training is also available on request. Please note that after course support can be arranged for your specific publishing requirements.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- People interested in learning to create iPad apps from within Adobe InDesign.
- · People who have a DPS Pro license.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

- · Creating Multi-folio & Newsstand apps
- · Managing the DPS account
- · Using the DPS Dashboard
- · Navigating the Apple provisioning portal
- · Using Apple iTunes Connect
- · Finalising Apps with DPS App Builder
- Tips and analytics

PREREQUISITES

It is highly recommended that students have a thorough knowledge of the Adobe DPS system before entering this course or have attended the Adobe DPS Content Creation course.



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Course outline

GETTING STARTED

Understanding the difference between a single folio and multi folio app

How to register as an Apple Developer

DPS ACCOUNT MANAGER

Managing users

Creating documents for multiple devices

Understanding the role of the master account

Using admin and app builder accounts

Setting up application accounts

Setting the correct information

Using the Web Viewer

Setting up a paywall

DPS DASHBOARD

Finishing a folio

Using metadata

Understanding the publishing procedure

The difference between an App Store & Ad Hoc build

Publishing to the distribution server

Creating a product ID

Setting the publishing date

Updating content

APPLE PROVISIONING PORTAL

Getting to the Provisioning portal

Creating P12 certificates

Creating a Bundle ID

Finding your device UDID number

Creating P12 push certificates

Creating MobileProvision certificates

APPLE ITUNES CONNECT

Using iTunes Connect

Managing your Apple contracts

Managing your applications

Creating a new application

Inserting the necessary information

Selling your publications as retail content

Using a Shared Secret

Adding free or retail subscriptions

Using Newsstand

Finishing your App Store page and upgrading your

status

DPS APP BUILDER

Installing DPS App Builder

Choosing the correct app type

Changing the app behaviour options

Customising in-app terminology

Creating app icons and splash screens using Adobe

Photoshop

Setting up subscriptions and Newsstand

Using social sharing

TESTING

Downloading the .IPA file and synchronising with iTunes

Creating a sandbox user for retail content

Testing Newsstand covers

Testing subscriptions

Downloading the .ZIP file

Using Application Loader

FINISHING

Creating an app update

Tips for app approval by Apple

Linking from your site to the App Store

Using 3rd party services for sales and analytics

Using DPS analytics