



PDF Week is an entirely new type of PDF Association event.

The PDF Association is co-locating in-person meetings of its [Technical and Liaison Working Groups](#) with those of [ISO TC 171 SC 2](#) - ISO's home for PDF technology standards.

PDF Week is how PDF's technical community gets together to advance various aspects of PDF technology and a chance to observe and learn about the ISO standardization process.

The event offers unique opportunities for PDF developers, technical product managers and other PDF technology stakeholders:

- Promoting your perspective and agenda in-person
- Learning from industry colleagues, international representatives and end users
- Networking and group events
- Observing and participating in ISO meetings
- Building links from technical activities through to ISO standardization

Location:

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

AFNOR, 11 rue Francis de Pressensé,
93210 La Plaine Saint-Denis, Paris

Wednesday

Chambre Nationale des Commissaires de
Justice, 44 Rue de Douai, 75009 Paris

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Attending PDF Week

Registration

Attendees must register for PDF Week before **April 17**. During registration you will be asked to specify whether you intend to participate in any ISO WG meeting during PDF Week.

NOTE: We will email you two weeks before registration closes to ensure that you are planning to take a PDF Week seat. Reconfirmation of intent to attend in-person is **required**.

[Register for PDF Week](#)

Physical location and access

PDF Week Paris 2023 will be held at AFNOR on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 11 rue Francis de Pressensé, 93210, La Plaine Saint-Denis, Paris.

Wednesday's meetings will be held at the Chambre Nationale des Commissaires de Justice, 44 Rue de Douai, 75009 Paris on Wednesday.

All attendees must bring a photo ID in order to access the buildings.

Remote access to the meetings

Teleconference access is available to PDF Association working group members and ISO delegates participating via their country's member body organization. Members wishing to attend remotely will be notified of meeting-times and will receive calendar invitations through the usual means.

Participating in ISO meetings

PDF Week is closely integrated with meetings of ISO TC 171 SC 2, the organization managing ISO standards for PDF technology. Unless they specifically register as not attending any ISO meeting during PDF week, all participants are required by ISO to:

- be listed in the ISO Global Directory, and
- register on ISO's website for the specific meetings you may attend.

If you are not already listed in the ISO Global Directory the PDF Association will add you based on your registration for PDF Week. Once listed, ISO will send you your ISO username and password. Once you have an ISO login you are ready to finalize your registration for PDF Week:

- Go to <https://sd.iso.org/meetings> and login with your ISO credentials, and
- Select each working group in ISO TC 171 SC 2 that you wish to attend.

For all PDF Week attendees we recommend registering for all ISO TC 171 SC 2 meetings occurring during PDF Week; there's no cost or obligation and it eases logistics during the conference.

Contact PDF Association Standards Director and ISO Committee Manager [Betsy Fanning](#).

PDF Week Overview

Evening events are discussed following the detailed Agenda.

Tuesday May 2 - at AFNOR

Time	Room A	Room B
0830 - 0900	Registration and Networking	
0900 - 0915	Opening remarks	-
0915 - 1045	Deriving HTML TWG	-
1045 - 1100	Coffee break	
1100 - 1245	LaTeX Project LWG	
1245 - 1400	Lunch	
1400 - 1545	PDF/UA TWG	Forms TWG
1545 - 1600	Coffee break	
1600 - 1730	PDF/UA Processor LWG	Digital Signature TWG

Wednesday May 3 - at Chambre Nationale des Commissaires de Justice

Time	Room A	Room B
0900 - 1045	PDF Accessibility LWG	SC 1 WG 9 (0900 - 1100)
1045 - 1100	Coffee break	
1100 - 1245	WG 9 (PDF/UA)	SC 1 WG 11 (1100 - 1300)
1245 - 1400	Lunch	
1400 - 1545	Reuse TWG	SC 1 WG 12 (1400 - 1600)
1545 - 1600	Coffee break	
1600 - 1730	Doc/RM LWG & WG 10 (File Format)	







Thursday, May 4 - at AFNOR



Time	Room A	Room B
0900 - 1045	3D PDF TWG/LWG & RichMedia TWG	PDF Technology MWG
1045 - 1100	Coffee Break	
1100 - 1245	WG 7 (Engineering)	Accessibility LWG
1245 - 1400	Lunch	
1400 - 1545	PDF TWG	Accessibility LWG
1545 - 1600	Coffee Break	
1600 - 1730	WG 8 (PDF)	Accessibility LWG

Friday, May 5 - at AFNOR





Time	Room A	Room B
0900 - 1015	WG5 (Archival)	-
1015 - 1030	Coffee Break	
1030 - 1200	WG5 (Archival)	-
1200 - 1300	Lunch	
1300 - 1315	ISO Update	-
1315 - 1415	SC 2 Closing Plenary	-
1415 - 1500	SC 1 Closing Plenary	-
1500 - 1545	TC 171 Closing Plenary	-




Detailed agenda - Tuesday May 2

Room A	Room B
<p>No scheduled meeting</p>	 <p>Registration 0830 - 0900 CET Pick up your name-tag!</p>
 <p>Opening session 0900 - 0915 CET Welcome to the first PDF Week!</p>	<p>No scheduled meeting</p>
 <p>Deriving HTML from PDF TWG 0915 - 1045 CET This TWG explores the opportunities and challenges in advanced reuse of PDF with a focus on pathways to HTML expression of PDF content. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review example files 	<p>No scheduled meeting</p>
 <p>LaTeX Project LWG 1100 - 1245 CET This LWG supports the enhancement of LaTeX to include creation of tagged PDF as required for accessibility purposes, including conformance with PDF/UA. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review math and display block tagging ■ Review LaTeX to PDF tagging 	
 <p>PDF/UA TWG 1400 - 1545 CET This TWG drives development of ISO 14289 (PDF/UA) and associated resources to help developers and practitioners understand the International Standard for universally accessible PDF. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Editing committee consultation on comments against the PDF/UA-2 DIS ■ Matterhorn PDF/UA-2 Test Cases ■ PDF/UA-2 Technical Note working session 	 <p>PDF Forms TWG 1400 - 1545 CET This TWG is developing new forms technology. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Discussion of PDF forms related issues



Room A	Room B
 <p>PDF/UA Processor LWG 1600 - 1730 CET This Liaison Working Group is driving the formalization of common understandings on the processing of files conforming to PDF/UA. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continued development of the role mapping table 	 <p>PDF Digital Signature TWG 1600 - 1730 CET The PDF Digital Signature TWG focuses on the integration of digital signatures into the PDF object structure and takes a PDF perspective on new feature requests. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Technical Note - Document based signatures Discussion on signature validation





Detailed agenda - Wednesday, May 3

Room A	Room B
 <p>PDF Accessibility LWG 0900 - 1045 CET This LWG is engaged in producing industry-supported example PDF files and associated content documenting techniques for achieving accessible PDF. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review progress on the website Finalize glossary terms Continue review of use cases 	 <p>SC1 Working Group 9 (Document management - Information stored electronically) Note: PDF Association members are not permitted to attend SC 1 meetings unless they are also members of SC 1.</p>
 <p>Working Group 9 (Universal Accessibility) 1100 - 1245 CET ISO TC171 SC2 WG9 develops ISO standards pertaining to supporting requirements for accessible PDF documents. Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review ballot results and comments for ISO/DIS 14289-2 	 <p>SC1 Working Group 11 (Controlled sharing of digital documents) Note: PDF Association members are not permitted to attend SC 1 meetings unless they are also members of SC 1.</p>

Room A	Room B
 <p>Reuse TWG 1400 - 1545 CET This TWG is developing a specification for “well-tagged PDF” - PDF documents leveraging “Tagged PDF” (ISO 32000, 14.8) to enable reliable reuse of document content by various types of software applications on diverse devices.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review comments on the WTPDF draft ■ Discuss publication (public, members-only, ISO) ■ Review next steps and related assets 	 <p>SC1 Working Group 12 (Digital object storage component) Note: PDF Association members are not permitted to attend SC 1 meetings unless they are also members of SC 1.</p>
 <p>DocRM LWG and Working Group 10 (File Formats) 1600 - 1730 CET WG10 is considering an NP on a concept for a Document Reference Model to facilitate understanding and interoperability of semantic structures in documents.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review ballot results and comments for ISO/NP 20271-1 	<p>No scheduled meeting</p>

Detailed agenda - Thursday, May 4

Room A	Room B
 <p>3D PDF User LWG and 3D PDF TWG and RichMedia TWG 0900 - 1045 CET The Technical and Liaison Working Groups focusing on 3D PDF develop specifications and guidance for implementing 3D PDF technology while the Rich Media TWG develops guidance on the use of RichMedia annotations, including for 3D PDF.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ TBD 	 <p>PDF Technology MWG 0900 - 1045 CET The new PDF Technology Marketing Working Group (MWG) is promoting PDF technology and the technical work of the PDF Association in terms that end users can readily understand.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <p>TBD</p>

Room A	Room B
 <p>Working Group 7</p> <p>1100 - 1245 CET</p> <p>WG7 supports the ISO standardization of engineering file format standards in the PDF context.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review of ballot results and comments on ISO/CD 14739-1 (PRC) ■ Review of ballot results and comments on ISO/PDTS 32007 (gITF) 	 <p>PDF Accessibility LWG</p> <p>1100 - 1700 CET</p> <p>This is a working session for the LWG to finalize their fundamentals and test cases documents.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Finalize glossary terms ■ Continue review of use cases
 <p>PDF TWG</p> <p>1400 - 1545 CET</p> <p>The main working group for PDF's core technology reviews errata and supports PDF technology developers with a variety of resources and publications.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ ISO 32000-2 errata ■ PDF specification development 	
 <p>Working Group 8 (PDF)</p> <p>1600 - 1730 CET</p> <p>WG8 supports the ISO standardization of core technology and extensions to PDF.</p> <p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Review discussion group reports ■ Review implementations for ISO/DTS 32004 	

Detailed agenda - Friday, May 5

Room A



Working Group 5 (Archival)

0900 - 1200 CET

WG5 supports the file format specifications targeting long-term preservation.

Agenda

- Review dated revision of ISO 19005-4



ISO Update

1300 - 1315 CET

ISO's Directives, the "rulebook" for ISO standards development, are updated annually. The 2022 revision included many changes. ISO Technical Program Manager, Patricia Cook, will update the delegates on these changes.

Agenda

- ISO Directives update
- Notable ISO News



ISO TC 171 SC2 Plenary

1315 - 1415 CET

TC 171/SC 2 Plenary reviews the outcomes of the week's meetings and approves the resolutions and action items. The plenary is open to all, however, registration for the Plenary is required distinct from registration for SC 2 meetings. Only one person from each country may speak or vote in the Plenary.

Agenda

- TBD



ISO TC 171 SC1 Plenary

1415 - 1500 CET

TC 171/SC 1 Plenary reviews the outcomes of the week's meetings and approves the resolutions and action items. The plenary is open to all, however, registration for the Plenary is required and only one person from each country may speak or vote on issues in this meeting.

Agenda

- TBD



ISO TC 171 Plenary

1500 - 1545 CET

The TC 171 Plenary reviews the business plan for the TC and establishes the direction for the TC's program of work. The plenary is open to all, however, registration is required distinct from SC meetings, and only one person from each country may speak or vote in this meeting.

Agenda

- TBD

Evening events

PDF Week attendees are welcome to bring registered guests to evening events.

This section will be updated with complete details in April.

Monday May 1

“May Day!”

May Day is a national holiday, so no events are planned. The PDF Association will select one or more bars or restaurants to create a meeting-place for those arriving early to PDF Week.

Tuesday May 2

“Informal dinner”

We’ll choose a few restaurants for evening discussions, and perhaps assign themes! To be determined!

Wednesday May 3

“30 years of PDF”

Celebrate PDF’s 30th birthday with dinner on the Seine!

[Victoria](#) launches at precisely 20.00. Please board between 19.30 and 20.00 at [Port Henri IV](#).

The closest Metro station is *Sully Morland*, (Metro line 7) approximately 200m from the boat dock, or you may use *Quai de la Rapée* (Metro line 5).

NOTE: Capacity for the dinner cruise is limited to 63. We will reconfirm your intent to participate during the Wednesday meetings.

Thursday May 4

“Notre Dame”

AFNOR, the hosts of these ISO meetings, will host a private tour of Notre Dame followed by cocktails.



Travel & hotel recommendations

AFNOR is on the RER-B line, north of the city centre. The local area does not include many hotels or restaurants, so we recommend that you choose a hotel near Gare du Nord and use the RER-B to travel 1 stop from Gare du Nord to La Plaine – Stade de France.

The following hotels are well-considered and near Gare du Nord. 25hours Hotel Paris Terminus Nord is preferred for members.

25hours Hotel Paris Terminus Nord

12 Bd de Denain, 75010 Paris

[Website](#)

Hôtel Whistler

36, Rue de Saint-Quentin, 75010 Paris

[Website](#)

New Hotel Gare du Nord

40 Rue de Saint-Quentin, 75010 PARIS, France

[Website](#)

