

Designing Accessible Documents

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Accessible Digital Office Document (ADOD) Project

adod.idrc.ocad.ca

The ADOD project provides detailed guides for creating accessible documents in a office productivity applications including Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Adobe Acrobat PDF.

Web Accessibility in Mind (WebAIM) Project

webaim.org/intro

WebAIM provides a solid overview of accessibility issues and detailed guides Word, PowerPoint and Adobe Acrobat PDF.

- Microsoft Word: webaim.org/techniques/word
- Microsoft PowerPoint: webaim.org/techniques/powerpoint
- Adobe Acrobat PDF: webaim.org/techniques/acrobat

Adobe Acrobat XI

staff.computing.yorku.ca/faculty-staff/software/free-downloads

Any PDF document should ideally be created from an accessible source document. Adobe Acrobat XI (eleven) includes tools that allow you to double-check the accessibility of the PDF and touch up issues that you may find.



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