

Let's improve a process today!



Print Smart



Print Secure



Print Responsibly



Manage Environment

Capella Technologies IPM (Intelligent Print Management)

The story is all too common. A company realizes that there's a problem with their printing process. For instance, network administrators notice that employees are wasting considerable resources and time printing multi-page, single-sided text documents on the company's best high-end color printer. Network administrators decide to solve the problem by purchasing an efficient, duplex-capable monochrome printer or MFP device. Yet three months later, the high-end color printer is still being worked into early retirement because no one is using the monochrome printer.

It's not enough to recognize a problem and devise a solution. If employee behavior remains unchanged, the problem remains unsolved. Unless, of course, there was a way to automatically generate the "correct" behavior. That's where Capella Technologies IPM comes in.

Meeting Corporate Initiatives

Capella Technologies IPM offers real process improvement. This application is the easy and practically transparent way to modify printing activities to meet corporate initiatives. Whether your company needs to:

- Reduce Costs
- Improve Security
- Ensure Compliance
- Control Access
- Enhance Environmental Responsibility

Capella Technologies IPM can help make it happen.

Best of all, IPM requires no end user intervention. Consider the above scenario. If an employee continues to print multi-page documents to the color printer, IPM could automatically force the job into a more cost-effective monochrome mode and a more environmentally-friendly duplex mode. Better still, IPM could route the entire job to a completely different printer, one that's better suited for the print job. The employee doesn't have to do anything!

IPM at Work

Capella Technologies IPM offers real process improvement. The IPM process actually consists of three stages:

- Condition
- Action
- Notification

Condition

When IPM is set up, administrators can specify a number of "conditions" that can be used to trigger specific printing activities. These conditions could include:

- Cost Center
- User Name
- Number of Pages
- Job Color
- Day of Week
- Time of Day
- Printer Comment
- Job Name
- Printer Location

Action

"Actions" allow administrators to direct or modify printer activity when specific conditions are met. For instance, print jobs from all employees from one cost center could be directed to a specific printer, or forced into monochrome mode. Print jobs from users that routinely handle confidential or proprietary information could be automatically directed to printers in more physically secure locations.

The actions available include:

- Print on Both Sides
- Print in Economode
- Print in Grayscale
- Print to a Different Queue
- Do Not Print
- Job Stamp

A single condition can prompt multiple actions. For instance, all job names starting in "http" could be forced into economode and duplex mode, minimizing the resources spent printing web pages. Likewise, multiple conditions could be required to trigger a specific course of actions.

Notification

Once the action has been implemented, it may be necessary to notify the end user of the changes that have been made. This is particularly true if the print job has been routed to a new printer.

Notification can be delivered via:

- E-Mail
- Messenger Pop-up
- Light Client Application

Actions can also be recorded and viewed in a web log.

Real Process Improvement for Your Organization

Whether you're looking to save money, save the environment or enhance compliance with privacy regulations, Capella Technologies IPM can help you take back control of your printing processes. To learn how you can make IPM work for your organization, contact your Capella Technologies representative today.

About Capella Technologies, Inc.

Capella Technologies provides Document Output Management & Job Accounting products which enable companies to format, print, monitor, allocate, archive, distribute and secure business-critical documents in the most cost-effective way possible.

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IPM (Intelligent Print Management) Diagram



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