

UPDATE: GOOD MORNING. THIS IS YOUR XINET UPDATE FOR MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th

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XINET TEAM COMMUNICATION – LensCrafters Operational Pilot Week # 3, Update # 3

Good Afternoon!!! It is Friday, August 10th and this is the XINET WEEKLY PROJECT UPDATE for this week. This is an LensCrafters operational pilot that is baby stepping into a full-scale launch.

Here is a quick update on the current project status:

* The XINET server is up and fully operational at full speed. This week we experienced some issues with access privileges and the ability to see the METADATA. These issues have been identified and quickly resolved. We have confirmed that users who experienced log-on and privilege issues can now fully access the XINET system.

* Approx. 40% of all LensCrafters files have been tagged with METADATA. Kudo's to Nicole Neal.

* Studio users printing to the OPI (Open PrePress Interface) printer queues, those that swap out the lo-resolution images with the hi-resolution images, experienced some print slow down issues. The issue has been identified and additional speed benchmark testing will occur today and next week.

* Studio users also reported an issue with collecting for output files from CS2. Layout will need to be re-linked to the hi-resolution imagery prior to Collect for Output. Quark layouts automatically link.

* Project details and documentation can be found on WorkspHERE at <https://rcw.mtgworksphere.com/gm/folder-1.11.166041>

=== > TO REACH THE XINETs WEBNATIVE POINT YOUR BROWSER TO 10.2.16.72 < ==

=== > STUDIO USERS CAN ACCESS THE FULL PRESS VOLUMES AT GO >Server > d01svrm72 < ===

FOR ACCESS, PASSWORD, OR LOG-ON ISSUES CONTACT THE HELP DESK

XINET Solution Objectives in Operational Pilot:***Primary Objectives***

- * Centralized digital asset repository for all released mechanicals
- * Properly tag digital assets with appropriate METADATA for agency re-use
- * Web-centric, browsable database and graphical representation of files/imagery/layouts with privileged-based permissions

Secondary & Tertiary Objectives

- * Triggers, actions and notifications
- * OPI (Open PrePress Interface) printing

Key benefits you will see in XINET today are:***Art Directors and Core Creative***

- * Browsing of BLESSED and RELEASED images, PDF, and InDesign files using the browser similar to how you use Getty Images
- * Ability to download LO-RES images to be placed in your layouts

Studio

- * Ability to quickly create mechanicals that link to the hi-res imagery that the Art Directors used from the BLESSED artwork volume
- * Ability to control the usage of blessed artwork and to be notified when images are being used

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- * Ability to search for PDF files and support imagery in READ-ONLY mode to check to see if we are in possession of certain imagery or to have collaborative conversations with your clients

THIS WEEK PENDING TASKS – to be completed by Friday, August 17th:

- * All released LensCrafters job are being properly tagged with METADATA and we anticipate having a good amount of images/jobs tagged by Friday, August 17th. Approximately 40% of the jobs have been tagged in the last week or so.
- * Review METAGROVES METADATA plug-ins to allow for METADATA to be tagged to the physical image asset. Maroyln, Shaun and Nicole will review with a scheduled demo with the developer this week. We re-enforce that all image assets are being routed through Nicole.
- * Studio will test OPI to the Veris Digital Proofer.
- * Build a alert trigger to prompt Nicole Neal that a release mechanical has been moved into the XINET system that requires validation of METADATA or tagging.
- * The VPN access for Lynn Pulsifer has been submitted and approved. I.T. is awaiting the FOB from DMSP (expected early next week).
- * The AppleScript of the Folder creation with Rapp defined folder structure is being tested.

IF YOU NEED ANY SUPPORT WHILE USING THE XINET SYSTEM, INCLUDING FUTURE ENHANCEMENT REQUESTS PLEASE CONTACT THE HELP DESK OR SEND IN A TRACK-IT TICKET. We are actively tracking all problems and functionality request and future

updates will address those with timeline guidances.

Our updated timelines for this initiative are as follows:

- 8/17 EOW (end of week) Update on tagged LensCrafters assets within XINET
- 8/17 EOW (end of week) Re-Group of Studio Roundtable on OPI printing, including testing to Veris Digital Proofer
- 8/20 - 8/24 Touch point with core creative on ability to browse assets, re-distribute cheat sheets for logging into WebNative and browsing imagery.
- 8/31 Target date for all assets for LensCrafters to be tagged
- 8/31 Identify project plan for other Luxottica brands to be migrated into XINET

Thanks!

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