Uploading Files as Part of a Review

A Reviewer may upload any files that the reviewer deems appropriate to the review. They can also download or remove their own attachments prior to submitting a review (figure 6.2).



Figure 6.2

Editors Viewing, Downloading, Editing and Uploading Reviewer Attachments

You may download, remove or edit Reviewer attachments when submitting a decision. This means that you have control over what attachments or files are sent to the Author when communicating a decision to them.

After a Review is submitted, you can access all Reviewer Attachments from the Submit Decision page and from the View Reviewer and Editor Comments page by clicking on the View Reviewer Attachments link (figure 6.3).



Figure 6.3

You can then download attached files, upload edited files and remove attached files. For any file you upload, you can allow the Author and/or Reviewer access to the file by clicking on the checkboxes *Allow Author Access* and/or *Allow Reviewer Access* (figure 6.4).

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inter a Description, set V ttachment.	iewing Permissions, Browse and Attach to upload a revised version of the Reviewer's
	Insert Special Character
Description:	Comments
File Name:	Browse
Viewing Permissions:	Allow Author Access
	Allow Reviewer Access
	Attach This File
	Back Proceed

Figure 6.4

Notes

* These attachments are not available via email and must be accessed via the EES site.

Warning

Attachments may contain information regarding the originator's identity, including any information that may appear on a file's *Properties* on Windows and *Get Info* on Macintosh. This means that the Author may be able to access the Reviewer's identity by looking at the properties of a document.

There are a couple of ways this can be avoided:

1. Instruct Reviewers to clean their Word file

Reviewers should clean up their Word file before uploading it as a Reviewer Attachment. Microsoft has a tool that can help them with this: it can be downloaded from http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?familyid=144e54ed-d43e-42ca-bc7b-5446d34e5360&displaylang=en.

2. Create a PDF

Download the Reviewer's file, edit it if necessary and convert the file into PDF. This requires Adobe Acrobat Professional and it is important that Acrobat is configured in such a way that it does not convert the Word document properties and information. In Word 2003 and Adobe Acrobat 6.0, this can be set as follows:

Reviewerのファイルをダウンロードしなさい、そして必要なら、それを編集しなさい、そしてファイルをPDFに変換しなさい。これはAdobe Acrobat Professionalを必要とする、そして、AcrobatがWordドキュメントの特性と情報を変換しないような方法で構成されるのは、重要である。Word 2003とAdobe Acrobat6.0では、以下の通りこれを設定することができる:

• Choose Change Conversion Settings from the Adobe PDF menu in Word (figure 6A)

VordのアドビPDFメニューから「Change Conversion設定」を選びなさい。

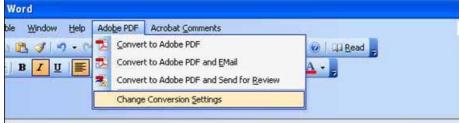


Figure 6A

・ On the *Settings* tab, make sure the checkbox beside *Convert Document Information* option is unchecked (Figure 6B). 設定タブでは、「Convert Document情報」オプションの横のチェックボックスが確実に抑制されなくなるようにしなさい(図6B)。



Figure 6B

· Click OK to save your settings and return to the Word document.

Note: The PDF you create could contain your personal information.

3. Create a New Document

- Open a new Word document and copy and paste the relevant text and information from the Reviewer file to this new document.
- Send this new document to the Author instead of the original Reviewer attachment.

Notes: The new document properties may contain your Personal information. If you want to remove this, use one of the other methods above.