

# Making every print an intelligent decision

#### **COST SAVINGS**

- Recovers output costs via pay-for-print/copy/scan
- Decreases print volume

### ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

 Significantly reduces unnecessary printing and printing waste

#### **SECURITY**

- Secures documents by holding print jobs until their owners authenticate themselves at the device
- Ensures that only authorized people can use your printers, copiers, and multifunction devices

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## Pharos Systems International Resume for Education and Library Markets

#### **Company Overview**

- Founded in 1992 in Auckland, New Zealand
- Global headquarters in Rochester, NY and R&D in Auckland, NZ
- Over 1,500 customers in more than 30 countries
- 98% customer retention rate since 2002
- Pharos designs for hardware independence and has a solution for every make and model
  of printer, copier, and multifunction device

#### **History of Leadership and Innovation**

- 2009 Best of Show and Best Software Solution, Print & Imaging Summit Innovation Awards
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- 2008 US patent 7,366,799 for efficiently managing a group of single function or multifunction output devices
- 2008 US patent 7,362,461 for efficiently, accurately, and reliably tracking all networked and local print generated by servers, workstations, and laptops
- 2007 Best Case Study Presentation, Gartner Print & Imaging IT Innovation Award
- 2006 Gartner Cool Vendor in Print Markets and Management
- 2006 US patent 7,075,669 for a single networked control, authentication, and management interface across a wide range of networked and non-networked output devices
- 2005 Microsoft Software Company of the Year, New Zealand
- 2004 First embedded solution for multifunction printers (Pharos iMFP solution); Pharos Blueprint® Enterprise launched
- 1998 Enterprise output assessments
- 1993 First Uniprint implementation

#### Product Portfolio for Higher Education, K-12, and Library Customers

#### Software

- Uniprint® tracks, controls, charges for, and reports on network printing
- Off-The-Glass® tracks, controls, charges for, and reports on copying
- SignUp manages computer reservations

#### **User Interface Solutions**

- integrated Multifunction Printers (iMFPs) Pharos software embedded in the MFP enables users to access the interface to Uniprint/Off-The-Glass from the device's touchscreen control panel; Pharos has iMFP solutions for all the leading printer manufacturers
- Omega PS150 a digital controller powered by Pharos software with a full-color touchscreen that displays the user interface to Uniprint/Off-The-Glass
- Omega PS60 a digital controller powered by Pharos software that releases print jobs after users authenticate themselves
- Customer Services Kiosk a self-service station that allows patrons to deposit cash into their accounts to pay for print, copy, and other fee-based library services

#### **Openness and Scalability**

- Connects easily to external data sources such as authentication services, billing systems, and accounting systems
- Compatible with more than 30 different card vendors
- Suitable for a wide range of environments, from small, single-server to large, distributed
- Scripting tools and powerful system of plug-ins to meet unique customer requirements
- External Device Interface (EDI) for integrating a variety of external components

## **Pharos Uniprint/Off-The-Glass Features and Applications**

Monitor	User & Job Tracking	<ul> <li>Printing, copying, and scanning tracked at user, transaction, and device level</li> <li>Unprinted jobs tracked and costed to measure waste savings</li> </ul>
	Audit	<ul> <li>Transactions tracked and reported by job owner, time, device, document name, and various other job characteristics to create a complete audit trail for every print/copy job</li> </ul>
	Device Utilization	<ul> <li>Detailed records kept on each device, including total page volume, color page volume, amount charged, cost centers charged, users charged, etc.</li> </ul>
Cost	Accounting	<ul> <li>Direct real-time links to accounting systems such as Blackboard, CBORD Odyssey, CBORD CS Gold, and Heartland Payment Systems OneCard</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Multiple purses supported in Pharos-internal accounts and from select billing systems</li> </ul>
	Cost Recovery	<ul> <li>Extensive options for charging for print/copy/scan based on attributes of job, user, and output device</li> <li>Jobs disallowed/stopped if user has insufficient funds</li> <li>Can require funds in advance or charge in arrears</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Confirms print cost and debits user before printing proceeds, and provides ability to secure a print job by configuring a password protect option</li> </ul>
	Departmental Chargeback	<ul> <li>Job costs can be allocated by user to a grant, contract, department, or any other cost center</li> <li>Chargeback done in real time as printing is released or pages are copied/scanned</li> </ul>
Control	Authentication and Security	<ul> <li>Authentication by ID card (magnetic stripe, proximity, or barcode) or by entering user ID; in either case, can require users to enter a password for extra security</li> <li>Authenticate to Uniprint-internal account, Active Directory, LDAP, campus billing systems, library</li> </ul>
		management systems, SIP2 (SIRSI), Innovative Interfaces, etc.
		<ul> <li>Anonymous logon enabled (registration by PIN code)</li> <li>Custom authentication through plug-in scripts</li> </ul>
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	Authorization	<ul> <li>Authorization based on payment models, users, and devices</li> <li>Access to printers can be locked, even in open networks</li> </ul>
	Informed Print	<ul> <li>Responsible printing encouraged via pop-ups that inform users of print costs</li> <li>Active response from user can be required</li> </ul>
	Limiting / Color Access Control	<ul> <li>Access to color printing can be restricted based on user group and file/application type</li> </ul>
	Secure Release Here pull printing	<ul> <li>Jobs held until their owners authenticate themselves at the device, protecting confidential documents</li> <li>Jobs can be released at any Pharos-enabled printer, even across multiple servers</li> <li>Unprinted jobs purged automatically after a specified time</li> </ul>