Part 9: Miscellaneous Features

Instant Documents

You can create new documents of any type from within an idea space using instant document templates. This comes in handy when you want to quickly expand upon some ideas in a new TextEdit document or perform some advanced drawing in a new Photoshop document.

Inserting an Instant Document
Instant documents are accessible via the Insert button's popover, the Insert > Instant Document menu, or by right-clicking on an idea space background and choosing Insert Instant Document. A copy of the selected template will be embedded into your project and placed upon your idea space for editing.

Creating an Instant Document Template
Use your other application to create a document you'd like to use as a template to your hard disk. Save it with a good name like "Adobe Illustrator Client Template". Then choose Insert > Instant Document > Add File as Instant Document which will copy the template into personal Curio repository.

Apply Idea Space Style...
Save As Idea Space Style...
Save As Idea Space Template...

Paste
Paste As   ▶
Select All

Insert Instant Document...   ▶

Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Photoshop
Apple Keynote
Apple Numbers
Apple Pages
Apple TextEdit
Microsoft Excel
Microsoft PowerPoint
Microsoft Word
OmniGroup OmniGraffle
OmniGroup OmniOutliner

Add File as Instant Document...