# IC3D Suite Solution Partner in the Nordic and Baltic countries

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#### iC3D Suite

### Bringing Brands to Life!





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## Bio: Kevin Chop

- Principal Packaging Graphics Director, Innovation R&D for Diageo (Norwalk, CT)
- Optimize the key deliverables of design and technical packaging ensuring the brand's equity is appropriately communicated and delivered through the latest printing/manufacturing techniques, vendors, and technologies.

#### Previously:

- Applied technology and science across the gamut of package printing and manufacturing processes for 18 years in the prepress packaging environment.
- Directed the implementation of numerous fully functional color management programs from concept-to-print.



## Do you know Diageo?

- Diageo is the world's leading premium drinks business with an outstanding collection of beverage alcohol brands across spirits, beer and wine.
  - These brands include: Johnnie Walker, Crown Royal, J&B, Windsor and Buchanan's whiskies,
     Smirnoff, Ciroc and Ketel One vodkas, Baileys, Captain Morgan, Tanqueray and Guinness



## Agenda

- Problem
- Vision
- Search
- iC3D Suite
- Success
- Results

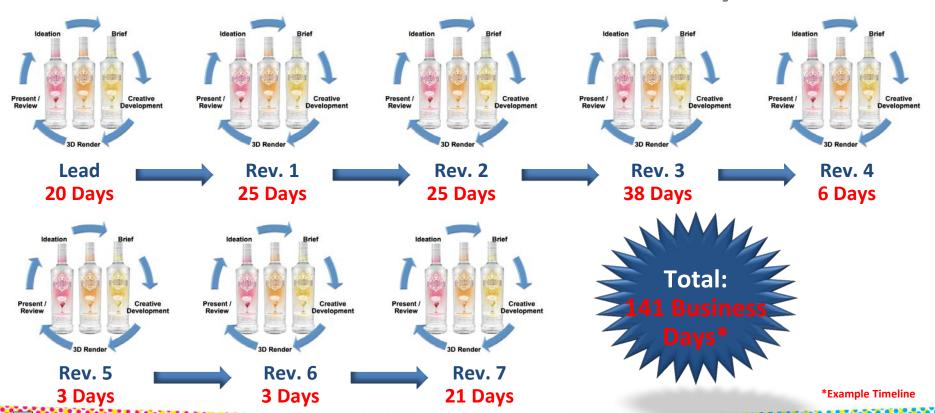


### Creative Life Cycle

- To bring a brand to life, it takes several rounds of iterations, mockups, and meetings using tools that are expensive, manual and time-consuming.
- The lifecycle of bringing a product to shelf can take months, costing thousands of dollars.



## Problem - Creative Lifecycle



## Vision – Simpler, Faster, Better

- Reduce time to market
  - Real-time "Digital Prototyping" multiple iterations
  - Smooth transition into commercialization
  - In store competitive visualizing
  - Faster Stakeholder alignment
- Reduce costs
  - Onsite physical prototypes/proofs



# Vision – Reduce Time to Market





### Vision - Technical Asks...

- Real-time "Digital Prototyping"
  - React to feedback immediately
- Seamless integration into commercialization
  - Technical Tools
  - Direct link to Adobe Illustrator
  - Importing and exporting file types
- Embrace Diageo brand color management program - CxF



### Search...

- No complete commercial solution
- The birth of a partnership iC3D Suite
  - Initial briefing with CES development team
  - Communicated our needs



### iC3D Suite | A Brief Overview

- iC3D Suite is the first real-time, all-in-one packaging design solution that lets you generate live 3D digital mockups on-the-fly.
  - Including cartons, POP displays, labels, flexibles, bottles, shrink wraps, shelf visualization & more!



### Diageo & iC3D Suite

- Diageo is at the initial phase
- General vibe is very positive
- Onsite service is welcomed
- Sessions take hours versus days
- Physical comps for validation & networking



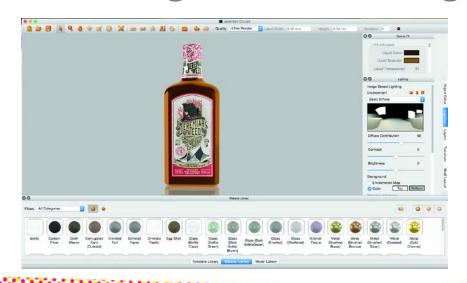
### Success Looks like...

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### Results

• Stunning, accurate results are available to share among teams in a tangible way.





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