

Ashlar-Vellum Channel Partner Newsletter

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Software Release News



Because of all the extra feedback we've received on the first release candidate of Graphite™ v10, our team has a number of additional things that need to be fixed before we go to full release. With both western and orthodox Christmas holidays in play, the second release candidate of Graphite is anticipated in mid January.



The latest versions of Cobalt™, Xenon™ and Argon™ are in beta testing now and expected to go to first release candidate in mid January. Full release will be sometime after that, depending upon what is found in this first candidate by our beta testers.

Collins, Karpenko & Bou to Kiev

Mike Collins and Vladimir Karpenko traveled to Kiev, Ukraine to work with new members of our team there training them on the packaging market and some of the technical aspects of using Rules™ and SteelRules™ software. Following the training they were joined by Robert Bou to work on in-depth Quality Assurance and further product testing.



Mike Collins, left, talks about why certain functions of Rules are important to the packaging and sales display industry with our technical teams in the Kiev office.

Holiday Hours



All of us at Ashlar-Vellum wish you and yours a blessed holiday season. The Ashlar-Vellum administrative offices will be on reduced staff **December 21st** through **January 8th**. During this time, orders placed will be processed through our European offices and hardware keys shipped from our US or EU suppliers as needed. Requests for demos will be monitored. Technical support will be handled as usual through our website.

Q4 User News



The fourth quarter edition of the *Design Explorer* went out earlier this month to users and prospects around the world. This month featured:

- Graphite v10 in Candidate Release
- Graphite v10 Upgrades
- Collins, Karpenko & Bou to Kiev
- Welcome Steve van Wyk
- Cobalt, Xenon & Argon v9
- Cobalt, Xenon & Argon v9 Preview Edition
- Cobalt Xenon & Argon v9 Upgrades
- www.ashlar.com 3.0
- New Kinetics™ Video
- Holiday Greetings
- *Not Your Daily Grind* Success Story