

# Overview

The Aras Innovator Conversion Server is a framework to manage file conversion processes used to transform native files into other viewable formats such as TIFF or PDF files.

The following sections describe the procedures needed to create a DLL called 'MyWordConverter' that integrates a file converter for Microsoft Word 2016's 'Save to PDF' feature as an example for use with the Conversion Server.

The steps required are:

1. Set up the required software.
2. Create the custom converter DLL.
3. Deploy the project.

A full code example can be found in [Appendix B](#) at the end of this document. The remainder of this document describes the procedures required for each step.

## Important

This document is only an example for integrating a file conversion utility with the Conversion Server. The example in this document is not meant for production use. Microsoft Word is not intended for use as a file converter without the direct interaction of the end user.

