

Guide for using the Color Inc ROES Presenter Tool

Opening and Closing the Presenter Tool

1. To view the Packages tab, click on the “Presenter” button on the right side of the ROES main screen, near the “Folder” and “Zoom” buttons.
2. A new window should open with the presenter options showing.
3. If at any time you want to exit the Presenter tool, click on the “Close” button in the lower right corner of the Presenter window.
4. You will notice that the main Presenter screen is broken into sections; the top section, which we will call the **presentation** section, is where you would go to display your images. The middle portion of the screen, or the **thumbnail** section, is the area where your photos will be displayed. Finally, the bottom portion of the window, which shows your button controls, from which we will look especially at the “Slide Show” and “Settings” Buttons.



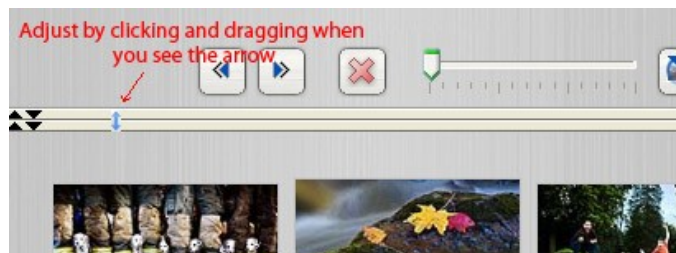
In this guide, we will examine each of these sections in detail; we will also take a closer look at the slide show tool.

Thumbnail Section

This is an essential section for presenting. Here you view your image thumbnails.



1. When you open the presenter window, ROES should keep the folder that you had been using for ordering images as the current folder.
2. If you need to select a different folder, click on the “folder” button. This allows you to select the folder containing the images you would like to present. Clicking the upside-down triangle to the right of the “Folder” button will bring up folders on your computer that you have recently used. Once you select your folder you will see the images begin to load in the thumbnail area.
3. To adjust the way you view the images, use the “Zoom” button, located to the left of the “Folder” button. This adjusts the size of the thumbnails for your viewing convenience.

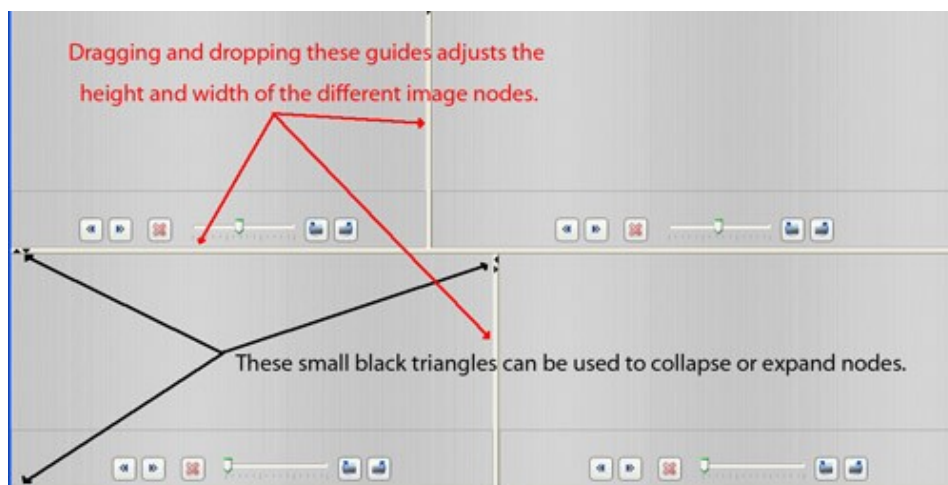


- To adjust the actual area that the thumbnails will fill, click and drag where you see the adjustment arrow, as shown at right.
- You can open and save folder viewing preferences as well. Once you have folder you would like selected, you can click on the “Open and Save” button, and then on the “Save Arrangement” option to save the folder you currently have selected. You can also open saved arrangements using this button.

Presentation Section

The presentation section is a great aid for showing off your images; here you can view from one to four of your images at one time.

- You should see at least one of the areas in which to show images at the top of the the screen.
- To make an image visible in a presentation node, click on the needed image in thumbnail area; drag the image to the desired node and drop it there. It should show up them in that node. Sometimes there is a slight lag when dragging and dropping images, so **be patient**; ROES can take time to load.
- Once you have positioned the image in the correct node, you also can adjust the position of the image by clicking and dragging. If the whole image is showing, no adjustment can be made.
- All of the nodes have these common buttons at the bottom, regardless of how many you have.
 - The left and right arrow buttons allow you to cycle through images within your folder.
 - The red “X” button allows you to remove a picture from the viewing lineup (it will not delete it from your computer, just hide it from view.)
 - The zoom slider allows you to adjust zoom for each image individually.
 - The rotation buttons allow you to rotate the image clockwise or counterclockwise.
- There is a wide variety of options for adjusting the layout of the image nodes, as shown below.



Slide Show

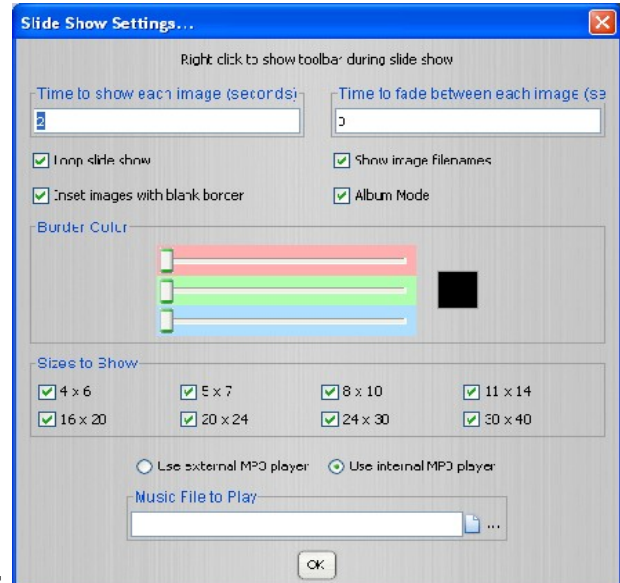
The slide show is a great tool for presenting your images in an engaging and artistic way. There is one disclaimer: **Depending on the speed of your computer and the number of images in the slide show, there can be a lag of up to 10 seconds when the slide show launches. Do not panic or restart your computer; it will soon complete loading your show.**


1. The slide show settings can be accessed using the “Settings” button on the button tool bar. Click this button to view and edit these settings.

- a. Settings include duration to show and fade between each picture, whether to loop the show, and the color of the background.

- b. There are even settings to allow for music playback from either the ROES music player source, or from another media player program.

- c. Finally, there are settings entitled “Sizes to show.” The slide show in ROES allows the user to display an image with the crop outlines for many sizes, meaning you can see how the sizes compare to each other. This is explained in more detail in later steps.





2. Once your slide show settings are finalized, you can start your show. To view your slide show, click on the “Slide Show” button in the Presenter main window.
3. The slide show window will now open. You can exit slide show mode at any time by clicking on the Stop  button .



4. During the show you can click on the image and drag it to adjust positioning on the screen.


5. The following buttons will be visible in your slide show at all times:




6. The functions of the buttons are as follows:

- a.   The buttons move between the pictures from your presentation folder.

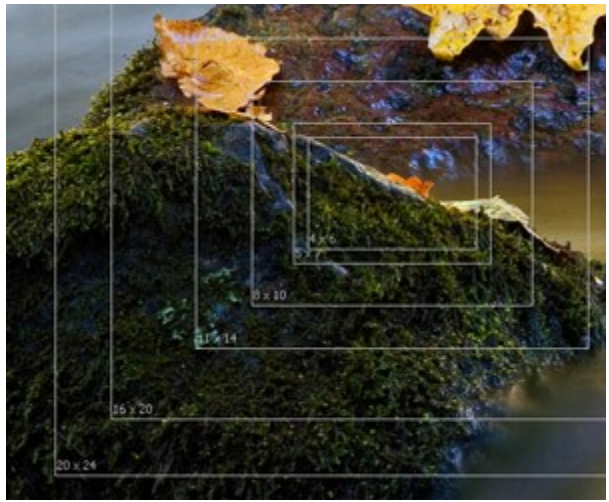
- b. To pause and resume the slide show, use this button. The red button seen here  shows that the slide show is paused. When the show is not paused, the button will be the same color as the other  buttons.


c. As mentioned above in step 2, this button  stops the slide show.


d. This button  allows you to view size guides for comparison of different image sizes, as seen at right.

By pausing the show and then clicking on the various sizes displayed, the image will be shrunk or expanded to fill that particular frame.

Using this method, you can really compare the different sizes of the same image side-by-side. The sizes shown can be seen and modified in the Settings window. (Step 1)



e.  The button removes the image that is currently shown from the slide show and from your folder. This does not delete the image, it just hides it from view for now.

f. Clicking  the button stretches the current image to fill the screen horizontally.