

# How To: Download Files With Metadata CS3

*This is cool...*

In the Bridge go to Preferences

Menu: CS3 Bridge - Preferences

General Tab Check the Behavior

-When a Camera is Connected,  
Launch Adobe Photo Downloader

Now whenever you connect your camera or card reader, the Bridge will open to download your photos. You will see this dialogue box after you choose **Advanced** at the bottom of the standard Dialogue box

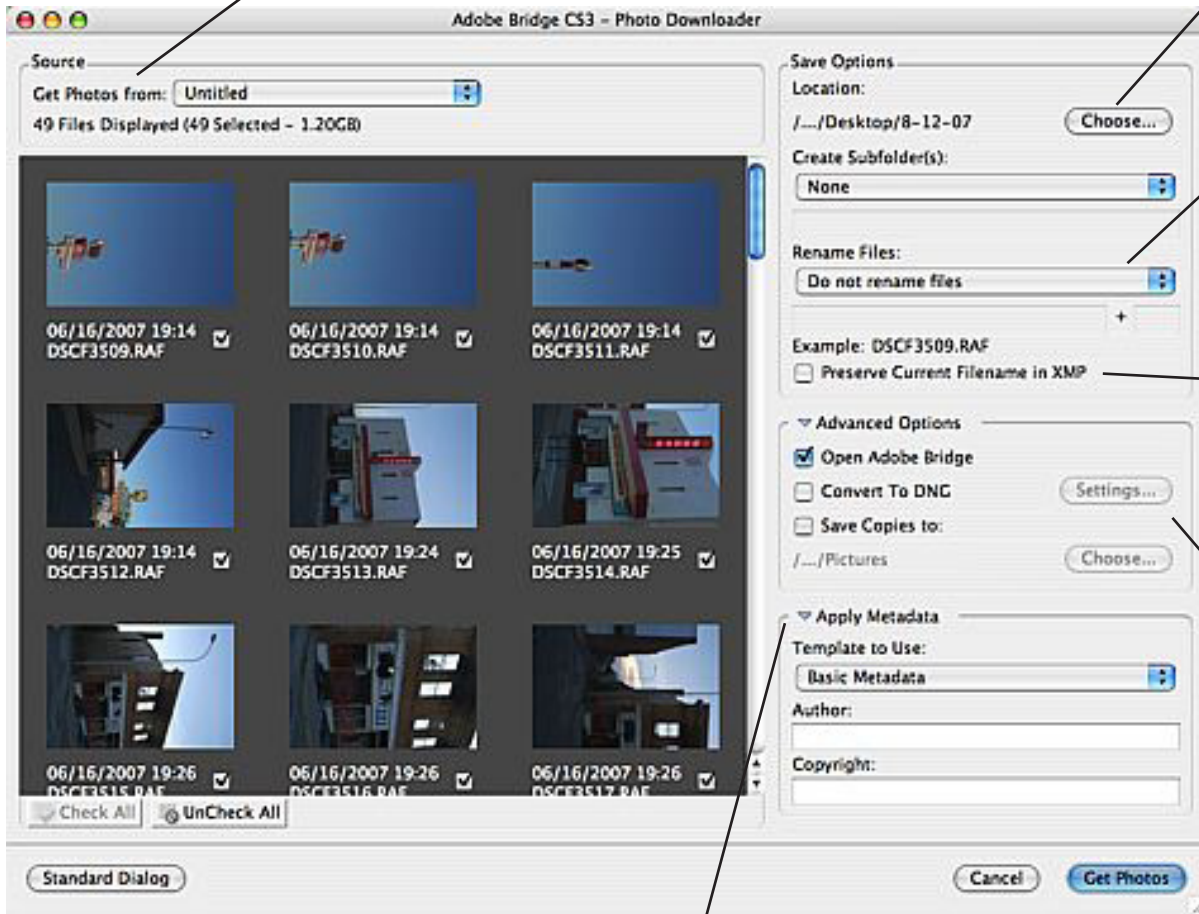
Get Photos From: camera, compact flash etc.

**Save Options.** Create a new folder to save your files. You can create subfolders for the main folder by the drop down menu.

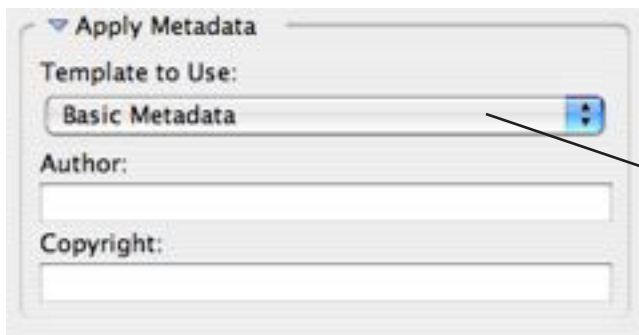
You can **Rename Files** here or not, the box also gives you a preview of renamed files.

**Check, Preserve Current File Name in XMP**, to save the original file name if needed

**Advanced Options**  
**Open Adobe Bridge:** opens bridge to new folder of downloaded images  
**Convert to DNG:** Convert your files to Adobes Universal Format  
**Save Copies to:** Make copies for different folders.



*This is my favorite part and why I changed how I download my files...*



## Apply Metadata

Template to Use:

None

Basic, you can add your name and © or

Use a **Metadata Template** you created



On the next Page I will Show you how to create the Metadata Template

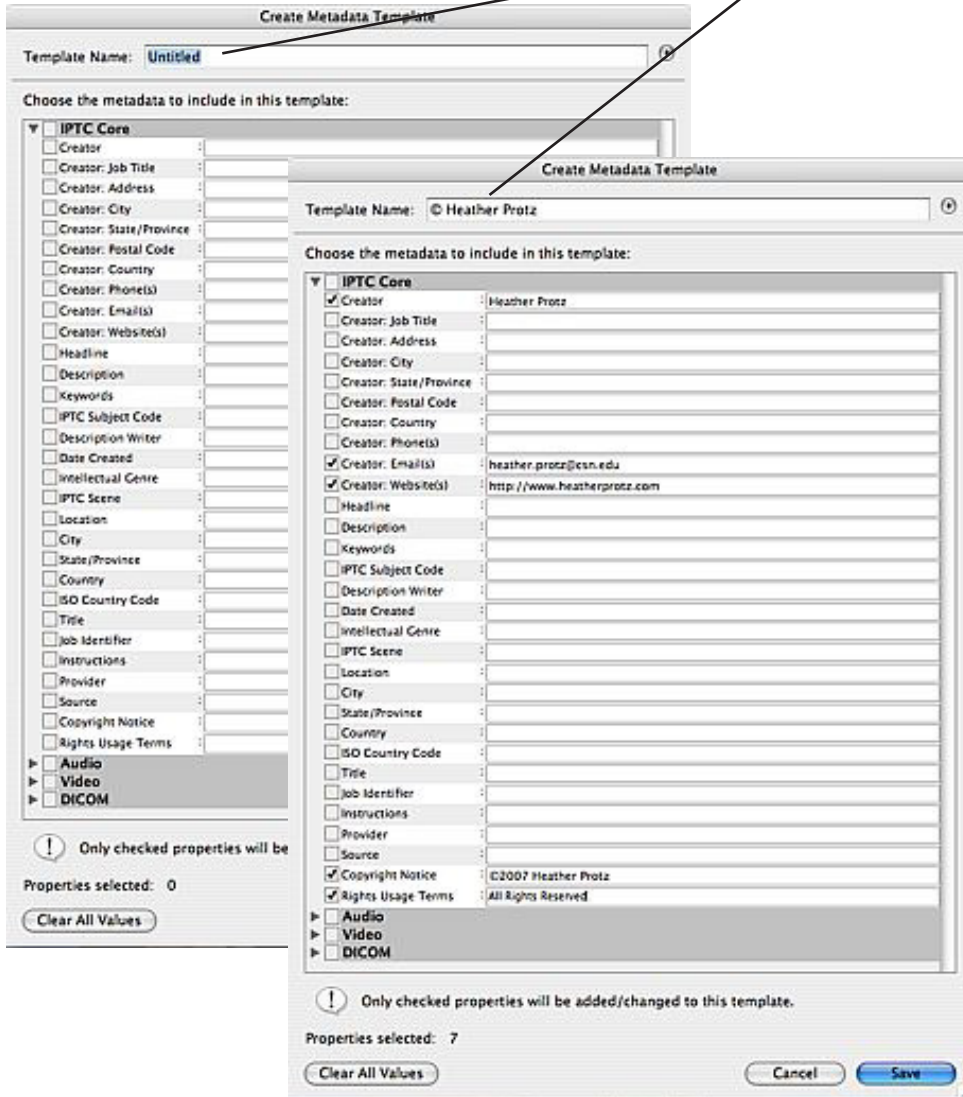
# Metadata Template

In the Bridge

Go to the Menu: Tools - Create Metadata Template

1st Create a template Name

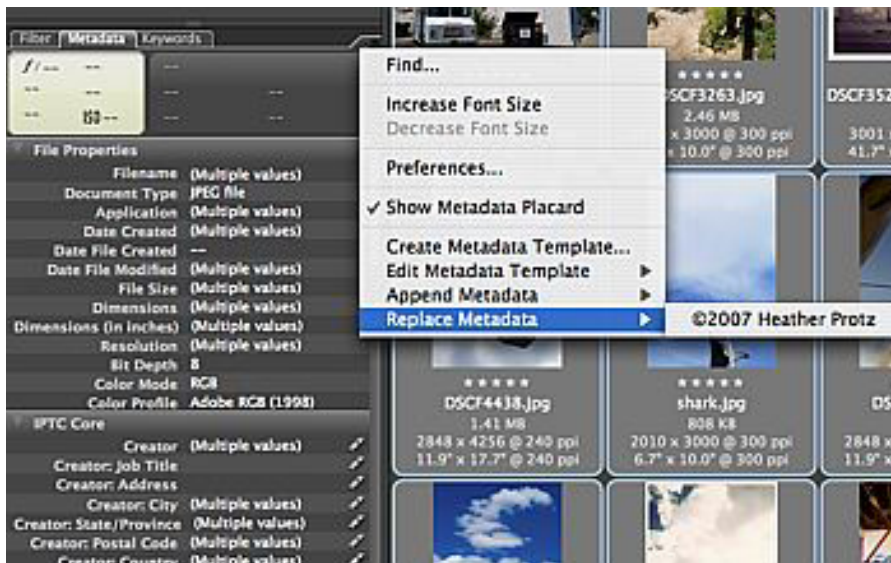
Untitled 1, 2, 3, 4 will get confusing



The template opens blank  
Click the field you wish to enter info in. This is a all purpose template for me. But remember if you do a lot of work for one company you can make the template specific to that job source. You came have multiple templates saved

Remember to Name the Templates Accordingly

Click Save and you are done!



Not only can you apply this template while downloading files but you can add the data in the bridge to existing files by opening a folder selecting All. Next, selecting the Metadata tab moving to the right and clicking the drop down menu. Choose Replace Metadata and you will find your saved templates you created.