

Re: default folder for Word 97 documents

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I seem to remember that Windows 98 did not use the profile path for My Documents. This came with Windows ME. It would be a plan to search for the My Documents folder and enter its true path.

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Suzanne S. Barnhill wrote:

- > My Documents is a fiction; the actual path is C:\Documents and
- > Settings\<profile name>\My Documents. But you should be able to
- > navigate to the folder in the Modify dialog. Unfortunately, this
- > navigation is not reflected in the dialog in the "Folder name" box in
- > recent versions of Word. What you can do, however, is navigate to the
- > correct folder, then use the Up One Level arrow to go to the next
- > highest level. Select the folder in the window and choose Open. This
- > will open an Explorer window in which you can use Ctrl+C to copy the
- > file path from the address bar and Ctrl+V to paste it into the
- > "Folder name" box.
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- > "PrScooter" <PrScooter@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
- > news:1962F846-6665-4DFB-A54A-3D84453AD49A@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
- >> Thank you for the info. I tried to modify it to My Documents and it
- >> said that Word could not find that folder. I then tried
- >> c:\mydocuments and c:\My Documents and without the C:\ I am not
- >> sure what I'm doing wrong.
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- >> "garfield-n-odie" wrote:
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- >>> In Word, click on Tools | Options | File Locations. Modify the
- >>> folder for "Documents" to whatever you want.
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- >>> PrScooter wrote:

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>>>> Is there a way to make My documents the default folder for
>>>> documents created by Word 97? It seems they are going to
>>>> "winword", a subdirectory under MSOffice. The computer was
>>>> donated to us (a church) and has Windows 98 and Word 97 on it.
>>>> Thanks for any help you can give.

• ***Follow-Ups:***

- ◆ ***Re: default folder for Word 97 documents***
◇ *From:* Suzanne S. Barnhill

• ***References:***

- ◆ ***Re: default folder for Word 97 documents***
◇ *From:* garfield-n-odie
- ◆ ***Re: default folder for Word 97 documents***
◇ *From:* Suzanne S. Barnhill

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