

# Directions for Submission

TRANSMATERIAL 4: A Catalog of Materials that Redefine our Physical Environment

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Welcome to one of the exciting projects in architecture, design, and engineering today—the celebration of materials and products that are transforming our world through innovation. The first volumes of *Transmaterial* have been quite successful, with positive mentions in *The New York Times*, *Architectural Record*, *BusinessWeek Online*, *Engineering News Record*, *Fast Company*, *New Scientist*, and other publications. The fourth volume will build on the foundation created by the first three books, and will likewise be distributed internationally.

If you are interested in participating, I will need your **product information**, **permissions**, and **images**.

**Product information** appears in [TM4\\_Questionnaire.doc](#), and **permissions** are handled in [TM4\\_Permission.doc](#).

For **images**, please submit four to eight TIF or JPG format photographs of your product. If possible, please submit professional quality photos of close-ups as well as installations of your product.\* The images must be a reasonable file size to print in high-quality, at least 300 dpi and six inches in the smallest dimension. You must also be able to grant us full permissions to publish these images, and credits should appear in the filenames. Please send your files via YouSendIt or mail them on a cd. For YouSendIt: zip your files, go to <http://www.yousendit.com/>, upload the zip file (up to 100 MB for free), and send to: [brownell@umn.edu](mailto:brownell@umn.edu). To mail a cd: send to Blaine Brownell, University of Minnesota School of Architecture, 89 Church Street SE, Minneapolis, MN, 55455, USA.

Here's a sample of how your product will be printed. You may refer to this key or a copy of *Transmaterial* when completing the [TM4\\_Questionnaire.doc](#).

- Product name
- Description
- Images (4-8)
- Product Summary (100-200 words)
- Contents
- Types / Sizes
- Contact name address website email (no personal info, please)
- Applications
- Environmental benefits
- Limitations
- Tests / Examinations

\*I would also appreciate receiving a small donated sample of your product, which will be displayed in a future exhibit hosted by the new University of Minnesota Materials Library (and will remain part of the library collection). Please send your physical sample(s) to the above mailing address. Thank you! —Blaine