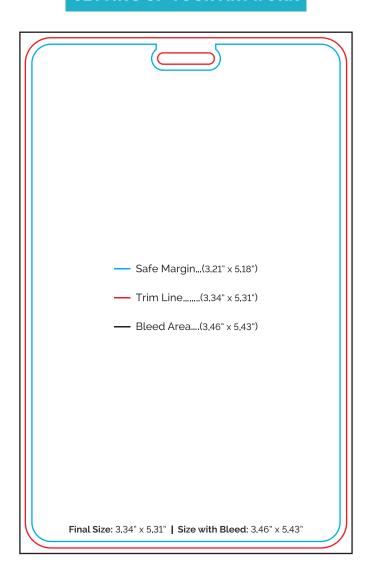
## PLASTIC EVENT BADGES GUIDELINES

## **ACCEPTED FILE FORMATS**

Adobe Illustrator (Ai) | Adobe PDF (PDF) | Corel Draw (CDR) | Encapsulated PostScript (EPS) Adobe Photoshop (PSD) | JPEG Image (JPG) | PNG Image (PNG) | GIF Image (GIF) | Bitmap Image (BMP)

## **SETTING UP YOUR ARTWORK**



## Safe Margin

 $\cdot \text{All critical elements (text, images, graphics, logos, etc.) } \\ \text{must be kept inside this blue line to avoid trimming.}$ 

- $\cdot$  This is the actual cut of the final design. Any images and text beyond this line will be trimmed.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot} \text{ We do not recommend having borders due to shifting in the cutting process, which may cause borders to appear uneven.}\\$

### - Bleed Area

• Design all artwork to the edge of the black outline (we require 1/8" bleeds).

## **Design in CMYK**

• All designs should be provided in CMYK format. In the case that RGB files are provided, please note that colors may shift during manufacturing.



## **✓** Outlining/Rasterizing Fonts and Strokes

• Outline/Rasterize all live fonts and strokes before saving. This ensures your artwork translates as designed during the manufacturing process.



# Check your Resolution

· All designs should be created with at least 300 DPI to ensure the highest quality print during the manufacturing process.