

Self-publishing companies

I strongly recommend you read the following book:

The Fine Print of Self-Publishing, The Contracts and Services of 45 Self-Publishing Companies Analyzed, Ranked, & Exposed By Mark Levine, Bascom Hill Publishing Group, Third Edition, 2008
 ISBN: 978-0-9802455-7-8, 321 Pages -- \$17.95 (US), Size 8.5 x 5.5, Perfectbound
<http://www.bascomhillpublishing.com>

In his book, Mark Levine analyzed 45 self-publishing firms and rated them into four categories. For more detailed information on any firm, get the book. **It's a small investment to gain a valuable education before you invest your money. The first five chapters will inform you what to be aware of in contracts.**

If you are considering using a Print-On-Demand self-publishing company, you will have to spend a minimum of hundreds of dollars and in some cases thousands of dollars. Don't you think it's worth \$18 to get an education to avoid making a financial mistake for such purchases? A poor choice of company could cost you sales of your book by being overpriced, loss of royalties on your book, and a contract you'll have difficulty getting out of. A good choice of company will repay your investment in this book very quickly.

Outstanding self-publishing companies	Some pretty good self-publishing companies	Publishers who are just OK
Aventine Press BookLocker BookPros Cold Tree Press Dog Ear Publishing Infinity Publishing * RJ Communications Xulon Press	Blitzprint Foremost Press Lulu * Magic Valley Publishing Outskirts Press Universal Publishers Third Millennium Publishing Wahmpreneur Books Wasteland Press	Bloomington Twig Books BookSurge Publishing Bookstand Publishing CreateSpace Illumina Press VirtualBookworm.com Wheatmark Publishing
Publishers to avoid		
Arbor Books, Inc. AuthorHouse * The Beckham Publications Group Dorrance Publishing * E-BookTime Holy Fire Publishing IndyPublish	Inkwater Press Ithaca Press iUniverse * Literary Architects PageFree Publishing, Inc. Pleasant Word PublishAmerica *	Publish To Go Sirius Publications * Tate Publishing * Trafford Publishing * Wings Press Wordclay Xlibris *

* Victory recommends against these specific publishers because of poor experiences of her clients.

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