

The Evolution of Faxing and Faxination: A Timeline

For decades, communication through fax has played a pivotal role in connecting individuals and businesses across the globe. Explore these key milestones that shaped the world of faxing and Faxination with Fenestrae.

Samuel Morse demonstrates the transmission of information over long distances through the telegraph.

THE TELEGRAPH

1843

Xerox introduces the Long Distance Xerography (LDX) machine, marking the beginning of modern fax technology.

LDX

1964

The introduction of fax modems enabling fax transmissions over standard telephone lines, making faxing more accessible.

TELEPHONY

1985

Rudolf Hell invents the Hellschreiber, an early fax-like device that uses radio waves to transmit images.

1942

RADIOFAX

The International Telecommunication Union (ITU) establishes standards for fax transmission, ensuring compatibility across devices.

1980

ITU STANDARDS

Fenestrae's Global Service Center opened with the intention of unifying all support efforts globally into a centralized location.

1990

FENESTRAE STARTED

Fenestrae launched the product Faxination, a gateway that integrates with Microsoft Mail.

FAXINATION LAUNCH

1993

Internet faxing allows users to send and receive faxes via email, reducing the reliance on traditional fax machines.

1996

INTERNET FAXING

Cloud-based services offer convenient and secure faxing solutions without physical fax machines.

CLOUD FAXING

2010

Businesses adopt hybrid fax solutions, combining digital communication platforms with fax capabilities for a more integrated workflow.

2020s

HYBRID SOLUTIONS

Fenestrae was acquired by Dura Software, a holding company focused on niche technology solutions.

ACQUISITION

2022

This release includes new features and enhanced security along with significant updates to existing features and functionality.

2024

FAXINATION 2024 RELEASE

Communication technologies continue to advance faxing, with a focus on integration, security, and efficiency. Fenestrae also continues to enhance its faxing capabilities to meet clients where they are and keep up with faxing technology.