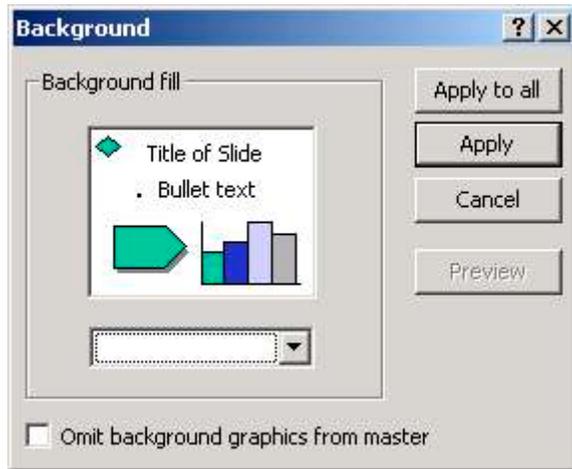# How to install FastCE.com PowerPoint Backgrounds

You can create your own backgrounds when working in PowerPoint. If you start a new presentation by choosing blank when you start, you can add your own background instead of using the design templates. You can add a solid color, gradient, texture, pattern, or even a picture for your background. To add your own background follow these steps:

1. Open up PowerPoint and choose blank presentation.
2. Right click on the slide and choose Background or go to Format on the menu bar and choose Background.
3. The background dialog box will open.
4. Follow the steps to add your FastCE background.

1. Click on the down arrow and choose Fill Effects.
2. Click on the Picture tab.
3. Click on select picture and go find the graphic file that you want to use.
4. Click on OK.
5. Click on Apply to apply to the current slide you are on or Apply to All to apply to all of your slides.
6. Your new background with a graphic will be added.