



Enterprise Portals

Building Blocks of an Agile Enterprise

More than ever, businesses and organizations rely on an incredibly rich set of tools in order to operate effectively. But the independent nature of these tools — PCs, development and desktop applications, messaging platforms, internet and intranet sites, databases, and team management sites — generally prohibit simple collaboration and integration, even within extremely close-knit organizations. In essence, the richness of today's IT toolset has situated us all on our own islands, with no bridges connecting us.

But that's all about to change. Magus Software Solutions, a Microsoft Certified Partner with over five years of experience implementing Microsoft solutions, now offers Professional Services around Microsoft SharePoint Portal Server 2007 (SPPS). SPPS enables businesses with disparate tools, systems and teams to seamlessly integrate and collaborate via a common platform, without abandoning the tools and systems they rely on today. In addition, they can use SPPS to organize teams and people, as well as integrate and provision collaboration sites, all from one interface. SPPS greatly simplifies the virtual workplace of today, while allowing individuals to use their own set of tools — making important information, teams and resources easily accessible to everyone within an organization.

The SharePoint Portal Server Advantage

Microsoft has taken communication to a whole new level, while keeping management, IT, developers and end users happy. Using a simple browser interface SharePoint Portal Server 2007 (SPPS) allows users to:

- Create, manage and interconnect personal and group sites—internal and external to the organization
- Perform document and content management, team management and simplified messaging utilizing the Microsoft Office 2003/2007 Suite
- Search file shares, web servers, MS Exchange folders, Lotus Notes and SharePoint services

In short, SPPS customers are able to locate and organize databases, teams, documents, schedules, events, plans, messages, or anything else that makes the organization run effectively. Ironically, communication is simplified and expanded at the same time using SPPS.

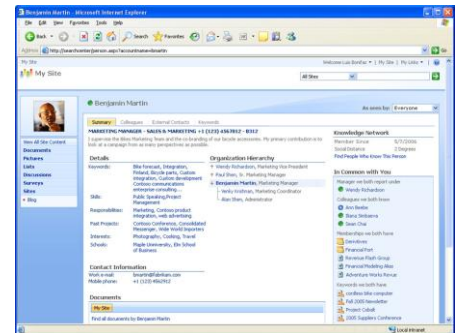
Integration with Other Products

The collaborative nature of SPPS allows seamless integration with a host of popular applications, such as the Microsoft Office 2003/2007 suite. In addition, SPPS supports integration with the following Microsoft products:

Microsoft Live Communications Server: puts the control of Instant Messaging into your hands. This product allows local and remote users to share critical and time-sensitive information without requiring access to a Virtual Private Network. No matter what IM service is used, instant messages are encrypted and logged for security and effectiveness.

Microsoft BizTalk Server: allows you to connect with diverse or legacy software, then graphically create and modify process logic that uses that software. BizTalk also lets information workers monitor running processes, interact with trading partners, and perform other business-oriented tasks.

Microsoft Identity Integration Server: stores and integrates identity information for organizations with multiple directories. MIIS provides organizations with a unified view of all known identity information about users, applications, and network resources, and helps improve productivity, reduce security risk, and reduce the total cost of ownership.



Top 5 reasons to Deploy SharePoint

1. Create a complete view of your business by accessing all of the information, documents and sites you use throughout the day.
2. Put relevant information at your fingertips by organizing your personalized information—such as news, links, documents, contacts and web sites—into a single site.
3. Share knowledge across business units or your entire organization using Microsoft Office applications you already use, such as Word, Access, FrontPage and more.
4. Find and leverage your organization's Intellectual capital within file shares, web sites, MS Exchange public folders, Lotus Notes, SharePoint Services sites and databases.
5. Get your content under control, utilizing document library information management policies to keep your company compliant with industry regulations and standards.

