



Novell® Teaming 2

Team productivity doesn't have to be difficult. Novell® Teaming is a next-generation collaborative application that brings people, projects and processes together. People can create workspaces that boost efficiency, foster innovation, streamline processes and, ultimately, drive business growth.

Generate Great Ideas

Individuals continue to operate in relative isolation when it comes to collaborative effort. Managers assemble teams based on whom they already know—and what they know those people can do. Skills, expertise and informational assets outside these known boundaries remain untouched. Without a way to discover hidden resources—and connect them with relevant teams—organizations continue to stumble against voids in skill and knowledge.

Novell Teaming gives customers the ideal workspace for exchanging information and generating ideas. Through Teaming, users can easily tap into rich organizational resources. They don't have to know where to go or who to ask in order to find exactly what they need. The Novell Teaming search engine focuses for them, helping them find and leverage the right mix of people, expertise and information they need to interact productively. Web 2.0-based communication tools in Novell Teaming closely model real conversations, allowing individuals to “converse” in real time. This allows them to generate ideas, discuss

options and make decisions quickly. Users can quickly sift content, share ideas and excite creative energies with unprecedented immediacy. We are creating real-time innovation as Novell Teaming brings together all the elements that spark truly dynamic ideas.

Act on Great Ideas

Traditional collaboration vehicles, such as e-mail and attachments, are linear applications that cannot fully support teaming efforts. Though these applications work well for individuals, they fail for teams because process in a team environment is more circular than linear, more organic than static. Collaboration focused around e-mail paradigms does not provide the synergistic, interactive environments teams need to work together effectively.

Working both as individuals and as teams, users can put insight into action to drive productivity forward. People can easily create team workspaces for clearer organization and better access to everything relevant to the team's effort—and they can ensure that all of this information is in one place.

■ Solutions:

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“Novell Teaming is helping us to create a corporate culture in which all employees are part of a single community working together to run successful individual businesses.”

Jeremy Ward

Senior Vice President
Information Technology
Kempinski Hotels



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They can also create and work on documents, co-authoring content, interacting on edits and input, and easily managing version control. They can build simple workflows to streamline group input, step through approvals and automate project processes. Through the team workspace, users can easily leverage the necessary combinations of tools, talent and information to act quickly and effectively.

People can also organize all of their various individual work and team activity in a personal workspace that provides a consolidated dashboard. This space acts as a touchstone for users, who can track and manage their involvement with all the teams they are a part of and quickly launch into any of those spaces to interact on team activities. The result: Novell Teaming can immediately boost productivity in any situation where immediate, interactive teamwork provides value.

Preserve and Leverage Great Ideas

Personnel are some of the most expensive assets organizations invest in. Yet much of that investment is squandered. When an organization's intellectual property remains hidden in the minds of its employees, that organization is renting, not owning, its own capital. Knowledge that is not stored and disseminated remains proprietary to individuals rather than to the organization. Not only is that knowledge wasted when it is not shared, but it can also be lost entirely when it is stored without relevance—or when people leave without documenting it at all.

Novell Teaming preserves corporate intellectual property long after original contributors have left either the team or the company. This preservation allows customers to continue to leverage that intelligence as a competitive value. Novell Teaming stores each team's informational assets, ensuring that collective intelligence is never wasted and can be used on a continuing basis to jump-start new projects. Documents, conversations and communal knowledge relevant to specific teams are all stored in a single, secure workspace. Built-in identity and security controls allow organizations to confidently share that invaluable legacy of insight and knowledge going forward. In addition, users can tag data as it's created. Tags and a powerful search engine ensure that users can always dynamically "resurface" relevant, needed information and ideas quickly and easily.

Take Advantage of Our Great Idea

Novell Teaming is the next-generation collaboration tool that will help customers connect people to performance and business possibilities. In addition, it will improve productivity, lower business costs, ensure security and integrate with your mixed environment. For more information about how Novell Teaming combines innovation and productivity to make IT work as one, visit: www.novell.com/products/teaming



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