

## **Etizen™ on Microsoft SharePoint**

**For clients who already have SharePoint**

Enterprise 2.0 extended without the time and cost

### **Extending the office beyond the walls**

The power of Enterprise 2.0 engages external and internal teams for Purpose Driven Collaboration. This solution offering provides integration of functionality from the innovative Enterprise Collaboration platform - Etizen™ on top of Microsoft Office SharePoint Server.

Office SharePoint Server 2007 is a popular choice among businesses allowing distributed teams to collaborate, coordinate and manage important content initiatives. With the integration through Etizen, this important product becomes even more intelligent and valuable by leveraging the "Enterprise 2.0 metadata" that is generated as employees interact and collaborate. Each person's work product and attributes (profiles, groups, projects, wiki's, skills, tags...) are available and useful to everyone (depending on rights) in the organization, all from within the Office SharePoint Server 2007 platform, as well as directly from Etizen.

Etizen allows the capture and use of day-to-day work/data experience in a role based, yet de-centralized organization which means that when paired with SharePoint Server 2007, all the promise about collaboration can actually happen... naturally.

Integration between Inspira Etizen and MS Office SharePoint Server 2007 is important to Microsoft and demonstrates that Etizen gives employees and external constituents not only a platform for finding highly relevant information and documents quickly, but also for discovering the people and expertise behind that content. Etizen makes the social metadata, the data that describes the experiences and knowledge of colleagues from across the company, accessible to everyone.

The combination of these two platforms gives people in any job at any company great reach across their organization as well as externally. Within Etizen and SharePoint Server 2007 you can see not just how a person/employee is related to you, you can see how their knowledge and experience may benefit a particular project or idea. Etizen for SharePoint extends and enhances the native collaboration capabilities within SharePoint Server 2007 and provides a single destination for discovering relevant information and people through connections you didn't even know existed.

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### Our Approach to Enterprise 2.0 with SharePoint

MS SharePoint is a large platform not a product...Etizen is an Enterprise 2.0 product!

With Etizen, we deploy into your existing environment and extend from SharePoint without the time and cost of developing SharePoint with Microsoft technologies. This allows the SharePoint features currently in place to be utilized, but adds significant yet lightweight Enterprise 2.0 technologies on top with major savings.

Etizen has clear and rich capability for Profiles, Groups (forums), Projects, Wiki's, Chat/Conferencing, Discussions, and Events. Additionally, you have the opportunity to extend Etizen with Mobility Computing options that are not available from SharePoint.

Etizen is lightweight and highly scalable allowing thousands of active users. With this in mind, heavy users do not put significant load on the network because most browse and do editing or creation not transaction processing, so there is insignificant performance impact. Since we use typical application server/database server architecture, we merely grow the "farm" as your needs grow.

Etizen provides features that are easy to Administer and support providing a flexible and specific tool that can be tailored so it adapts and evolves as your business does. Etizen utilizes role based accessibility that is rule driven and set up friendly making it function robustly on its on or through integration with the SharePoint platform.

With SharePoint each client needs to develop a product roadmap for their unique needs; then implement and configure this product within their IT environment. This is a costly lengthy process and involves numerous business units as well as human capital. As your business changes new versions of your "SharePoint product" will need to be updated built and deployed.

Additionally, most companies need to add MS Office 2007, MS Exchange 2007, numerous MS CAL's as well as bring on extra staff or tax existing staff in order to do evolve and maintain SharePoint; this can be a very costly proposition. Refer to the system requirements below.

Inspira has the feature rich toolset to complement your SharePoint system in a timely and cost effective manner. We will be able to evolve your Etizen solution as your SharePoint product versions mature. Or, we can leverage your initial investment in SharePoint and maximize your Enterprise 2.0 needs with Etizen. Either way Etizen is the clear feature rich solution providing **Purpose Driven Collaboration**.

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### System Requirements

Typical product component requirements:

#### MS Office SharePoint Server:

- Windows 2003 server license to deploy AD
- Windows 2003 CAL for all users and/or devices (registered)
- Windows Exchange 2007 Server license
- Windows Exchange 2007 Server CAL (Enterprise CAL)
- Windows 2003 server license for Exchange 2003 servers
- MS Office Communications Server 2007
- MS Office Communications Server 2007 CAL (Enterprise CAL)
- Windows XP Professional or Vista
- Office 2007 Professional
- Windows SQL Server (per CPU or per User)
- Windows 2003 Server License for SQL Servers
- MS Office SharePoint Server (MOSS) CAL
- Windows 2003 Server License for MOSS Servers

#### Etizen:

- Windows XP or Vista
- MS Office 2003

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