

Implementing a Wiki for Collaborative Editing

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Configuration Considerations

Installing the wiki software is relatively simple. However, there are a few additional configuration steps that can make the process flow much smoother for your team. This is a list of the configuration modifications that were made to my teams' wiki. The specifics for each configuration item can be found in the documentation for your software of choice.

1. Configure system to be read-only by non-members
2. Create user accounts for each team member with full write permissions
3. Add custom icons for status indicators
4. Create a basic site framework

For a step-by-step on how I configured my wiki (and other information related to this presentation), visit

<http://digivation.net/wiki-presentation/>

Requirements

Before proceeding, the following items are necessary. Most of these are easily obtained, but if you have any questions, feel free to send me an email (matthew@digivation.net).

1. Web Server running PHP 4.3.10 or higher
2. A copy of DokuWiki
<http://www.splitbrain.org/projects/dokuwiki>
3. An internet connection
4. A decent web browser
Firefox, IE 5.5 or better, Opera, etc