

Progress Pacific & Building Next Generation Applications

Workshop

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Welcome to the Rollbase Workshop

Your Hosts

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This Workshop

- You will build a basic CRM application
- The work is segmented in 5 parts
- We synchronize after each part

Today's Goals

- Enjoy working with Progress Rollbase
- Get the full picture of building a business application
- Take it further by building an external facing web portal

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10:15 AM	Part 3 – Enable Workflow for Leads
11:00 AM	Part 4 – Lead to Account Conversion
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Workshop Flow, Begin at 1 PM / Finish at 4 pm

1:00 PM	Introduction and Part 1 - Framework
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Introduction

Build Cloud Business Applications Quickly

Rollbase Workshop
Progress Exchange 2013
Boston



Rollbase Overview



Build

- Point & click, drag & drop development in a browser
- Business users can create apps without coding
- Developers can go much further with JavaScript, APIs and custom components

Deploy

- Publish applications and deploy them to one or more tenants
- Role- and user-based access control, tenant and user provisioning, and many more tools provide robust deployment capabilities

Manage

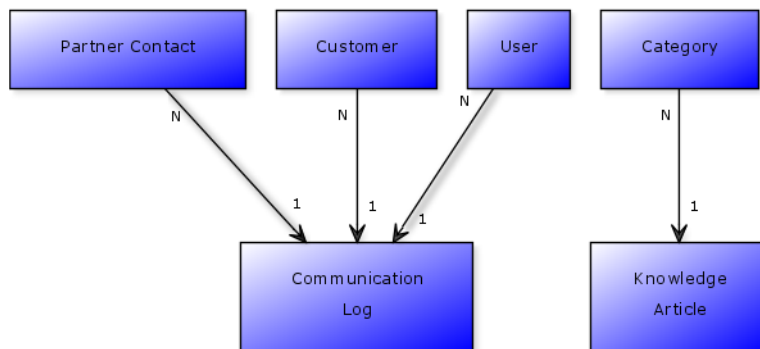
- Central dashboard to manage servers, databases, tenants, users, applications and more
- Monitor system components and user activity, access tenants to provide support, resource metering, etc.

Core Concepts (Objects, Fields, Relationships, Workflow, Triggers, Portals)

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Edit	Customer	✓	Contact, Location, Portal Visitor	customer5	06/24/2013 10:12 AM
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Knowledge Base: Entity-Relationship Diagram

Tip: This diagram visually represents objects included (explicitly or implicitly) in the "Knowledge Base" application, and relationships between them. Please wait while the UML generator loads this image.
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- Applications are data-driven – Objects are the core business entities
- Objects have properties and attributes associated with them
- Fields are the core building block of Objects
- Object relationships and cardinalities are modeled visually
- Objects can have workflow
- Triggers define business logic
- Portals are external-facing applications

Your Workshop Environment

At your disposal

- Assistance by Progress Experts attending
- Your own laptop with network access
- Your Rollbase 30 day evaluation account
- The workshop book leading you task by task

End Result

Completed Lab Work

- A quick look at the completed CRM application you will created in this workshop

Part 1 – Framework

You Will

- Create a basic application and object definitions
- Create relationships and modify user interface

Your Tasks

- Login to your Rollbase account or activate a new one
- Create a CRM application
- Create Account and Contact objects
- Create a relationship between Account and Contact

Summary Part 1

- You familiarized yourself with Rollbase
- You understand how to create an application, objects, and relationships between them
- You edited the user interface for working with object records using the page editor
- You are ready to move on to a more sophisticated object

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Part 2 – Leads

You Will

- Create a Lead object and work with the Record Name field
- Add new Fields and edit Views

Your Tasks

- Define a Lead object
- Use the Record Name field to define Company name
- Add columns for viewing Leads in Views
- Add new fields to expand the Lead definition

Summary Part 2

- You created an object with Workflow capabilities
- You familiarized yourself with the Record Name field
- You edited Views and added new fields to expand an object definition
- You are ready to move on to defining a workflow process

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Part 3 – Enable Workflow for Leads

You Will

- Create a Workflow process for Leads
- Create a Lead record and move it through the process

Your Tasks

- Define workflow statuses and actions
- Assign actions to statuses
- Move a lead record through the workflow process

Summary Part 3

- You familiarized yourself with Workflow capabilities
- You understand how to create statuses and actions
- You understand how workflow is used by end users
- You are ready to move on to building a Trigger

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Part 4 – Lead to Account Conversion

You Will

- Create a Conversion Map
- Create a Trigger

Your Tasks

- Create a Conversion Map to map the fields in a Lead record to the fields in an Account record
- Create a Rollbase Trigger to initiate the automatic conversion when the desired condition is met

Summary Part 4

- You familiarized yourself with Conversion Maps
- Familiarized yourself with Triggers
- Became comfortable creating Triggers and defining JavaScript-based conditions and business logic
- You are ready to move on to building a Portal

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Part 5 – Framework

You Will

- Create a Portal to gather new leads
- Become familiar with building external-facing applications

Your Tasks

- Create a Portal
- Create a Welcome page, a New Lead page, and a Thank You Page
- Create links between these pages
- Test the Portal

Summary Part 1

- You familiarized yourself with Rollbase Portals
- You understand how to create a Portal and a set of portal pages
- You understand how to link these pages together to form a fully functional website
- Congratulations, you've built your first application!

Questions?



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