

# Kolab Groupware Solution

## Five Platforms. One Groupware.

The Kolab Groupware Solution offers flexible Personal Information Management (PIM) for professional deployments in companies of almost any size:

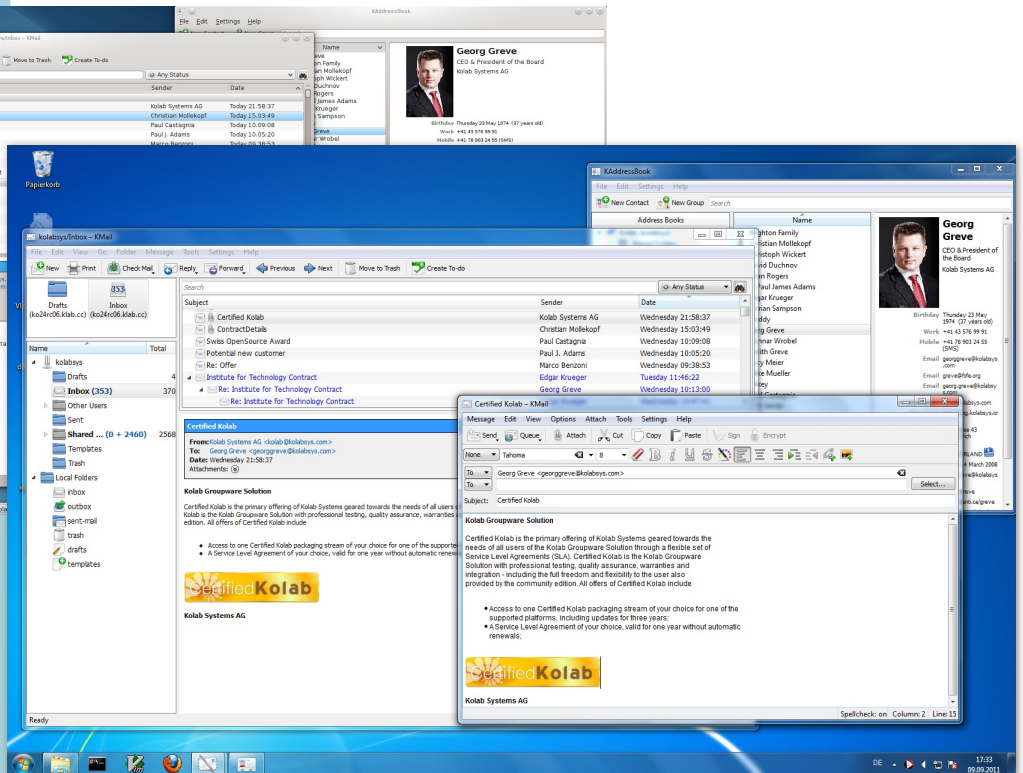
### Kolab is...

- Email
- Address book
- Calendar
- Tasks
- Full Client
- Many Platforms
- Mobile Sync
- Web Access
- Scalable
- Flexible
- Integration friendly
- Standards based
- Security centric
- Award winning

- One application on five platforms: The Kolab smart client based on KDE Kontact. Available for GNU/Linux, Windows, Mac OS X, Maemo/Meego and Windows Mobile. Supports a large variety of scenarios and devices from keyboard and mouse to touchscreen;
- Connect various mobile devices through ActiveSync: Android, Maemo/MeeGo, Symbian, iPhone, Windows Mobile and BlackBerry (via connector);
- Outlook on Windows through one of three different connectors;
- Modern web client with many options for customization. Alternative clients possible;
- Security conscious design and strong cryptography based on Open Standards S/MIME and OpenPGP;
- Highly modular and flexible, the Kolab Groupware Solution can be integrated into almost any existing infrastructure. The scalability advantages allow deployment also for very large numbers of users.

### Did you know?

Kolab was initially developed for the needs of the German Federal Office for Information Security (BSI) under contract in 2002-2004 and is used there in a heterogenous environment.



Email composing and address book of the Kolab smart client on Linux (background) and Windows 7 (foreground)

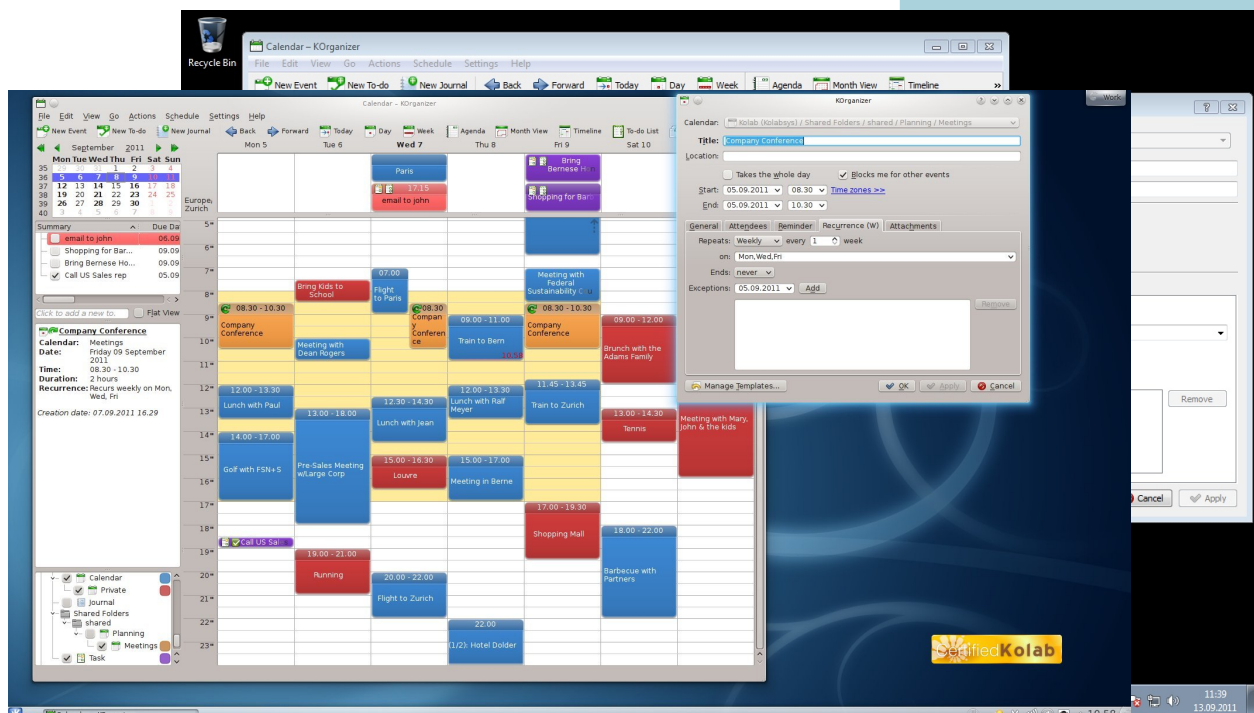
## Kolab: A Solution Framework

Modern IT environments are complex, multi-vendor and heterogeneous. Good solutions anticipate this fact and make minimum assumptions about the environment in which they will be used. The architecture of the Kolab Groupware Solution has incorporated this wisdom from its inception. Based upon a large variety of proven and best-of-breed Open Source / Free Software components, most of the functional components can be replaced by their competitors.

This enables superior flexibility and choice as well as peace of mind for whatever may happen in the future, because you don't need to know which solution will do best. With Kolab you can keep choosing the one that does.

## Kolab is...

- Pragmatic
- Framework
- Best-of-Breed
- Open Source / Free Software
- Vendor-Independent
- Heterogeneous
- Open Standards
- Innovation-seeking
- Innovation-enabling



Calendar and event edit view on Windows 7 (background) and KDE on Linux (foreground)

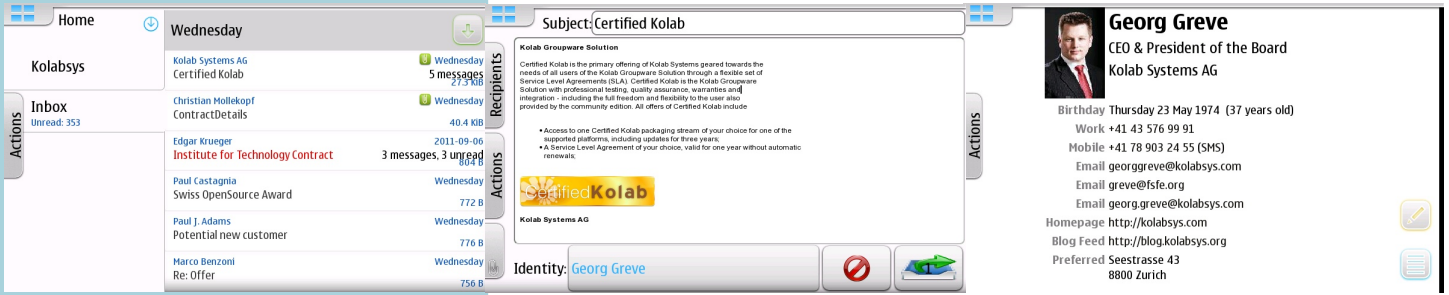
## Free and Open

Kolab is one of the few solutions in the market that has a vendor for professional services and support, but still comes with all the rights and strategic benefits of Free Software / Open Source and is strongly based on Open Standards. This provides our customers with a guarantee against vendor lock-in and a whole ecosystem of support to choose from.

With rapid development cycles based upon a whole set of available options Kolab allows you to fit the solution to the unique needs of your business and keep you ahead of your competition. Because the market belongs to innovation leaders, not innovation laggards, Kolab enables its users to become leaders in innovation.



Linux New Media Award 2005: "Best Groupware Server"



Formfactor Touchscreen: The Kolab smart client adapting to the Nokia N900 smartphone running the MeeGo operating system

## Usage Scenarios

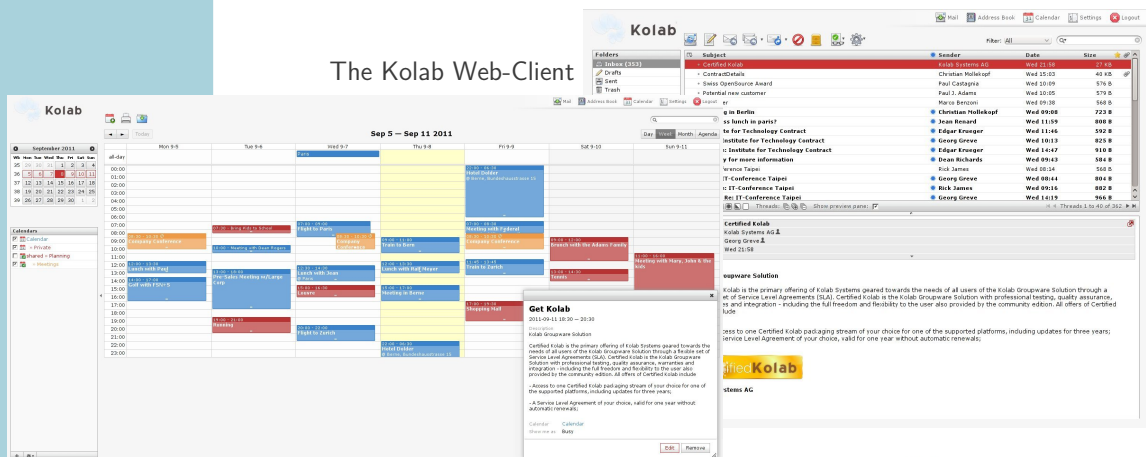
Like all extraordinary concepts, the Kolab Groupware Solution can flexibly address a very wide range of scenarios. Starting with the single business server for small and medium enterprises, Kolab smoothly scales up to scenarios with hundreds of thousands of users in a company spread across multiple time zones with built-in high-availability, load-balancing, site-reliability and fine-tuning of performance. With each functional component individually clustered and monitored for performance, the bottleneck can be targeted with most efficiency. This makes Kolab uniquely efficient and controllable in its use of your datacenters.

The Kolab smart client is native on a large number of platforms, most importantly GNU/Linux, Windows, Mac OS X, but also MeeGo and Windows Mobile 6.5, and can be ported to others. As the only full groupware application in the market, the Kolab client has a traditional interface for desktops & laptops as well as a touchscreen interface for smaller form factors such as smart-phones or tablet PCs. With the same application running across all these platforms, Kolab users enjoy the benefits of offline capability, strong cryptography and the full power of a traditional groupware client regardless of the device used.

And where web based scenarios are preferable, Kolab provides a new AJAX based web client based upon Roundcube. This web client is lean, efficient, easy to use and works on all modern browsers and operating systems. Like the rest of the solution, the web client can also be adapted to the look & feel of your environment and made to fit perfectly within your corporate infrastructure and identity.

## Kolab provides...

- High-Availability
- True Load-Balancing
- Real Site-Reliability
- Unique Fine-Tuning
- Full offline productivity
- Strong cryptography
- On any form factor
- With touch screen support
- On tablet PCs
- On mobile phones
- Custom to Corporate Identity



The Kolab Web-Client



## Full Range of Service & Support Available

Kolab Systems AG and its partner network, the Kolab Enterprise Community, provide the full range of services and support for all kinds of customers, including

- Pre- and Post-Installation consultancy;
- Infrastructure support;
- Integration and adaptation;
- Custom development and value-add;
- Monitoring & support;
- Service Level Agreements (including 24/7/1);
- Hosting;
- Personnel training & certification for administrators, help desk operators and users;
- Third-party product testing & certification;
- Integration with wide range of additional value from third parties available, including security audits and consultancy, Certification Authority setup & maintenance and much more.



## About Kolab Systems AG

Kolab Systems AG was established 2010 in Zürich, Switzerland as part of an international corporate group. The parent companies Intevation GmbH, Germany and KDAB, Sweden (both est. 1999) were the companies initially commissioned with the development of the Kolab Groupware Solution in 2002. They are each among the most competent and successful companies in their respective areas and with investment into a set of technologies and companies to which Kolab Systems AG is the latest addition. Within the corporate group there are more than 120 employees and a deep level of competency and personnel that our customers can benefit from.

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