



uPortal is one of the most widely deployed open source enterprise portal platforms, having been adopted by hundreds of institutions and research communities worldwide. Institutions use uPortal to provide information and services to students, staff, and faculty in a centralized location, while satisfying institutional requirements for responsiveness, usability, cost effectiveness, and ease of content authoring within individual departments. uPortal 5 is the latest major release of the only enterprise portal built by and for higher education.

New Features in uPortal 5

uPortal 5 meets a variety of contemporary business challenges, through the use of new technologies for content authoring and accessibility.

- Accessibility Enhancements - WCAG 2.0 AA
- Modernized Build and Deploy Processes
- Cloud-friendly Updates
- Soffits: Support for New Types of Content
- Reduced Learning Curve for Easier Adoption and Deployment

Unicon Services for uPortal 5

Unicon provides services and commercial support for uPortal 5, on-premise or in the cloud. Services include:

- Implementation of New uPortal Adoptions
- Upgrades of Existing Implementations
- Custom Skin Design (customization of look and feel)
- Custom Development (add new/ enhanced capabilities)
- Training
- Technical Support via Unicon's Open Source Support Program
 - Community involvement
 - Direct IT staff support to our Technical Engineers
- Standards Testing
 - Performance
 - Accessibility
 - Security

Upgrade to uPortal 5 – On-Prem or in the Cloud

The Unicon team combines deep platform knowledge with over 15 years of uPortal experience to help institutions deploy and customize the portal to solve their business challenges. Contact Unicon's Solutions Consultants at www.unicon.net/contact to get started.



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New Administrator View – Responsive, One-Click Access to Administrative Tools

Soffits:

An Easier Way to Create Content

A soffit is an item of pluggable content for uPortal. For instance, a Gallery soffit might display a collection of images from Instagram™; and a Weather soffit could present a campus forecast.

Soffits use the Spring framework and JSON Web Tokens to reduce the time, cost, and complexity of adding a new uPortal content view. It is intended as an alternative to JSR-286 portlet development.