

Re: Site Layout – Suggestions

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The security is handled on a per site or per area level. I don't see how creating additional site would really help with security issues. It might make backups a bit more granular.

Mike

"Richard Cranswick" <richard@nospam-richardcranswick.com> wrote in message news:c132oa04gc@enews1.newsguy.com...

> *Thanks for the response.*

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> *The system is intended to be used:*

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> *a) as a company wide portal.*

> *b) to provide basic DM facilities for each department – with task lists and*

> *discussion boards for each client.*

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> *The client wants the advanced search facilities provided by SPPS 2003.*

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> *Would there be any advantage/disadvantage in creating a new virtual server*

> *with a portal for each department? I'm thinking that having a separate*

> *portal/virtual server for each department would allow me to better control*

> *the security and perform backups of individual department sites.*

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> *"Mike Morisoli" <michael@remove.vieon.net> wrote in message*

> *news:euwX71n9DHA.2640@TK2MSFTNGP10.phx.gbl...*

> *Before you decide, take a look into Area's vs. Sites.*

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>> *The Portal Area's are true Sharepoint Portal Server (SPS) "things", while*

>> *Sites are Windows Sharepoint Services (WSS) "things".*

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>> *I have found that I tend to keep the more corporate wide portal*

> *information*
> > *on SPS and the collaboration and team work in WSS.*
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> > *You really need to create some of both and see how related yet different*
> > *each technology is.*
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> > *My \$0.02 worth, Mike*
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> > *"Richard Cranswick" <richard@nospam-richardcranswick.com> wrote in*
message
> > *news:c10hrl02p7@enews3.newsguy.com...*
> > > *I am currently implementing a SharePoint Portal Server 2003 solution*
for
> > *a*
> > > *client.*
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> > > *The initial implmentation will be for 2 departments. However, 2 more*
> > > *departments will be migrated over from SPS 2003 at a later stage.*
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> > > *Each department has specific clients.*
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> > > *For each client they want a document library, a task list and a*
> *discussion*
> > > *group.*
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> > > *I was thinking of defining an area under the main portal for the*
> > *departments*
> > > *and then a sub area for each client within a department.*
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> > > *There would probably be between 500 and 1000 clients spread between*
the
> > > *departments.*
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> > > *There would be between 50 and 100 users using the portal actively.*
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> > > *This is a single server configuration, the hardware is a dual*
processor
> > *box*
> > > *with 4Gb RAM and hundreds of Gb of storage.*
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> > > *Would this be an appropriate configuration or does anyone have any*
> *better*

> > > *suggestions?*

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> > > *Any comments would be appreciated.*

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> > > *Thank you.*

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