



netFORUM Pro Integration

Single-Sign-On

Overview

Single-sign-on functionality allows Path LMS to seamlessly connect with netFORUM Pro for user login/authentication. This integration allows users with accounts in netFORUM Pro to login to Path using the standard netFORUM Pro login page.

Implementation

Two weeks from receipt of xWeb credentials.

Client Requirements

- Abila xWeb license and credentials
- Admin access to client netFORUM test site (iWeb)
- Two test user accounts

Detailed Description

Blue Sky eLearn uses token-based SSO with netFORUM Pro. A user can start either on the Path side or the eWeb side.

When a user starts on the Path side, upon clicking “Sign In” they will be redirected to the eWeb login page along with a Return URL. After authenticating in netFORUM, a token unique to the user will be returned to Path. Once the token is received, we call xWeb and pull the user’s information into Path.

When a user starts on the eWeb side, a URL to the Path token processing page can be embedded somewhere in eWeb. When a user clicks on the link, it will automatically populate their unique token into the URL and send them to Path. Path will then use the same process as above to log them in.

eCommerce Purchases

Overview

eCommerce integration allows netFORUM Pro customers to leverage the eCommerce functionality in netFORUM to sell products/presentations and leverage the Path platform as a delivery mechanism for that course or event. ONCE the user logs into Path, the user’s purchases are transferred to Path and the user receives instant access to the corresponding course or event.

Implementation

Requires SSO; four weeks from receipt of xWeb credentials.



eCommerce Purchases

Detailed Description

Blue Sky has integrated with netFORUM Pro to allow Path to pull in purchases made in eWeb and grant the user access to the relevant content in Path. When activated, our system redirects our eCommerce engine to utilize eWeb. Any items listed for sale in our system will link back directly to the appropriate eWeb page. All purchases occur on the eWeb side. Once purchased, the user is redirected back to Path through the purchase confirmation page or navigation link in eWeb. When the user is logged into Path, we call xWeb and pull the list of items/products the user has purchased. Items that have a related product/price key in Path will be pulled through in real-time and the user will be granted access to that specific content. This setup allows clients to leverage their eWeb stores/product pages to sell content to their members and non-members while providing a seamless transition to access the content in our system. In addition to the above, users are able to access all available purchases in Path by going to their "My Purchases".

Event (Webinar) Registration

Overview

Event registration allows netFORUM Pro customers to leverage their Events Module in netFORUM to sell and collect webinar registrations and leverage Blue Sky's webinar platform through Blue Sky's Virtual Event Services. Once the user logs into Path, the user's purchases and events are transferred to Path and the user will receive automated reminder emails, seamlessly launch the webinar room, and be eligible to receive any post-event training (post-test, evaluation, etc.) as configured in Path.

Implementation

Requires SSO and eCommerce, four to six weeks from receipt of xWeb credentials

Client Requirements

- Abila xWeb license and credentials
- Admin access to client netFORUM test site (iWeb)
- Two test user accounts
- Two test eCommerce products

Detailed Description

This integration allows users to register for a virtual event in eWeb and have the registration record pulled into Path. Path will check once per hour and pull back all registrations for a particular event. When the registration is pulled into Path, the user is automatically signed up for the corresponding event, triggering a confirmation, as well as reminder emails to be sent out. The user will also have the ability to log into Path and will be able to see their purchases and any virtual events they are registered for. They will be able to access the event details and a 'Join Live Web Event' button that will open the webinar seamlessly for them. In addition to registration, the integration checks for cancellations, and will cancel the event for the user if it detects a refund or event cancellation in eWeb.

Budgetary Pricing

Module Integration (includes SSO and integration to support eCommerce and event registration)

- Year One (including setup and maintenance): \$2,700
- Following Years: \$1,200 per year