

## SharePoint Connect and empower your organisation

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#### Today

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- 2. Why use SharePoint?
  - a. Some examples
- 3. Alternatives/complimentary systems
- 4. Best practice and important things to remember



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#### What is SharePoint?



# SharePoint is the system that organisations use to build secure internal websites – intranets.

Once used by big organisations as their intranet platform or content management system (CMS), and it was a server (on premises) product.

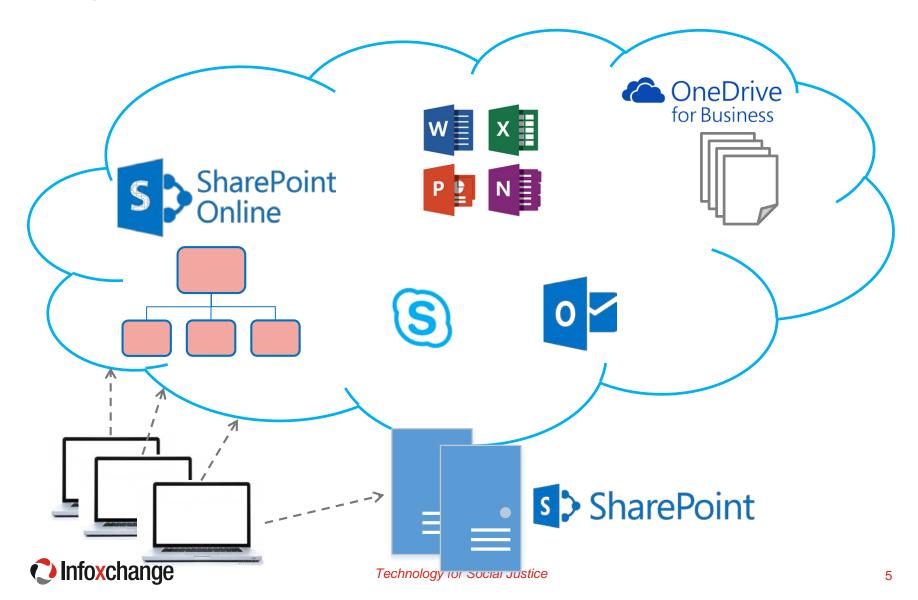
Now it's available online as part of the Office 365 suite.

- You need an Office 365 subscription to access SharePoint Online sites.
- Accessed via a web browser, such as Internet Explorer, Chrome or Firefox.

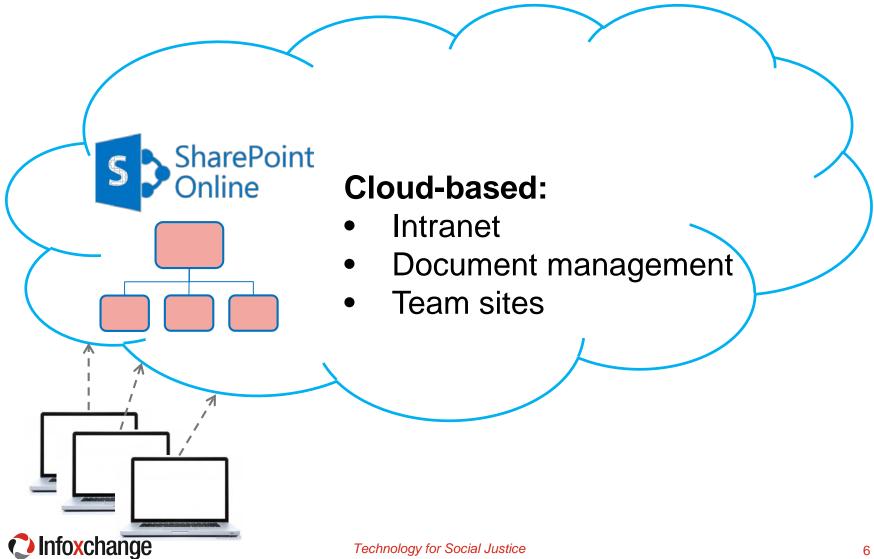
You can use it as a secure place to store, organise, share, and access information from almost any device.



## Office 365







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Why use SharePoint?



#### SharePoint does...

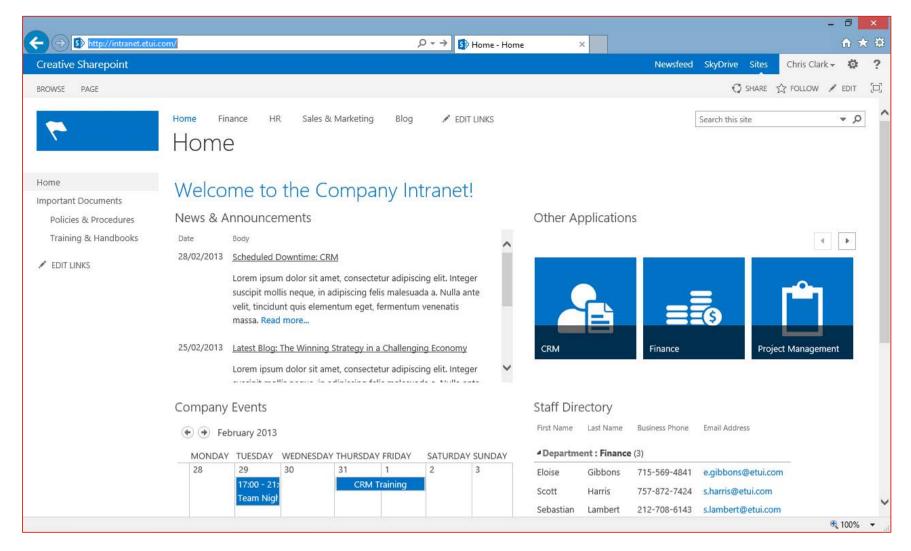
Intranet – Serves as the platform for organisation's internal homepage, a central hub of useful information and communication for businesses.

**Document management** – Provides sophisticated document libraries for storing and working on documents.

**Team sites** – Supports teams working on projects together by providing a centralised spot for tasks, calendars, documents, links and other useful tools.

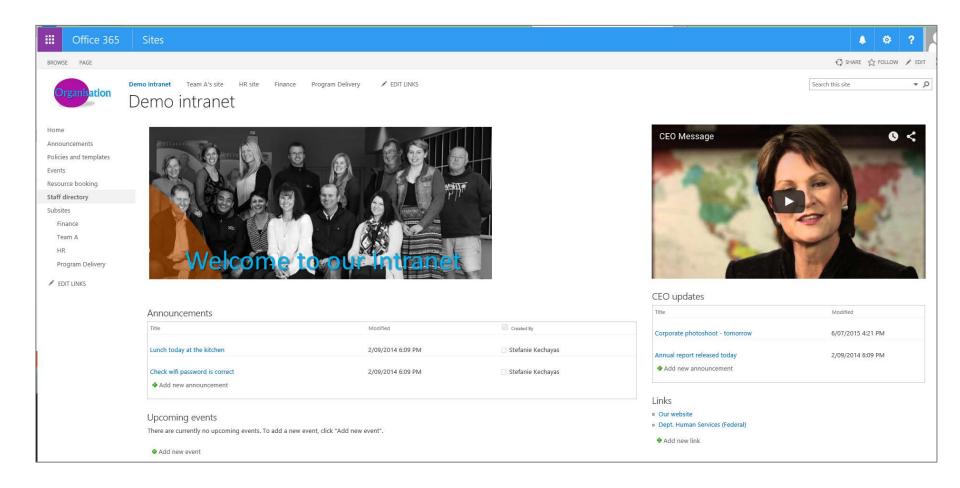


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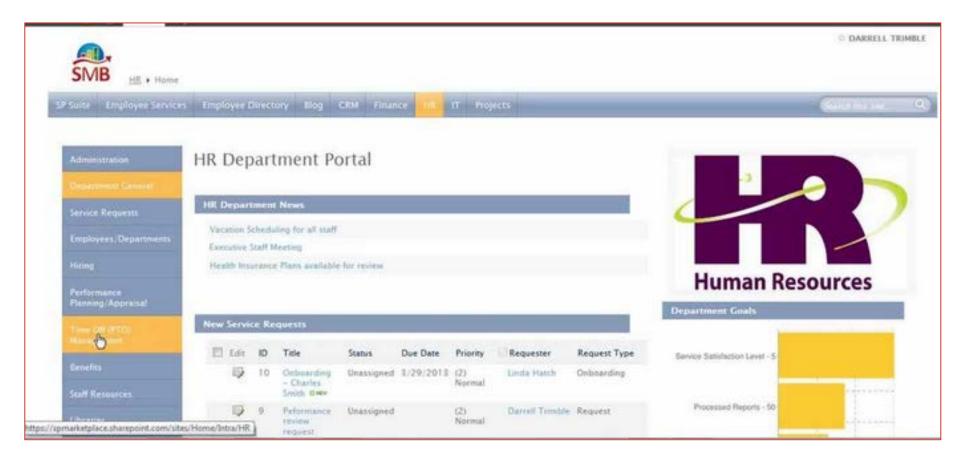


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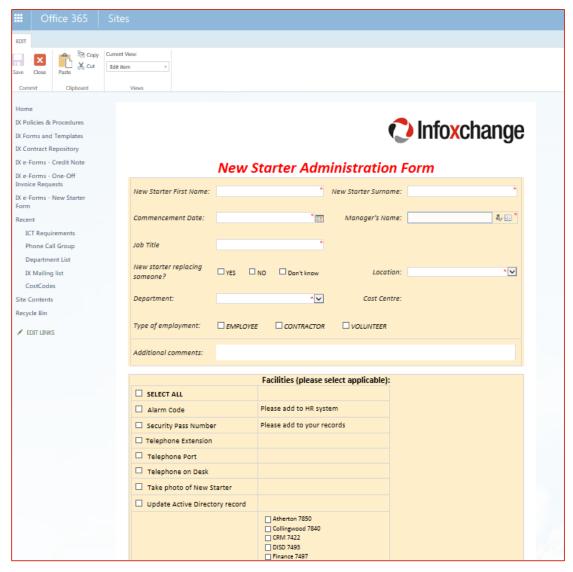


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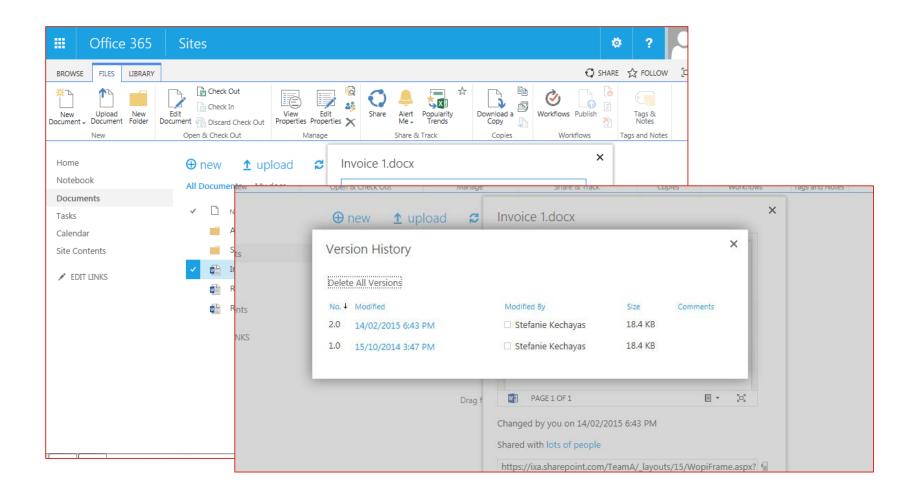


#### Intranet - forms



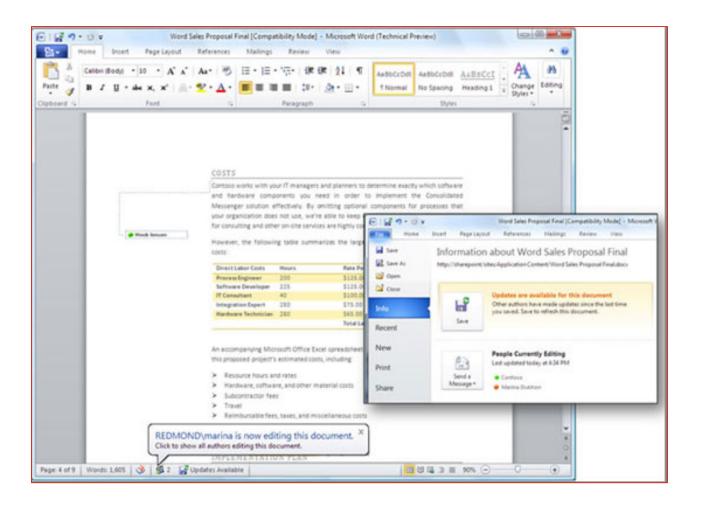


#### Document management – version control



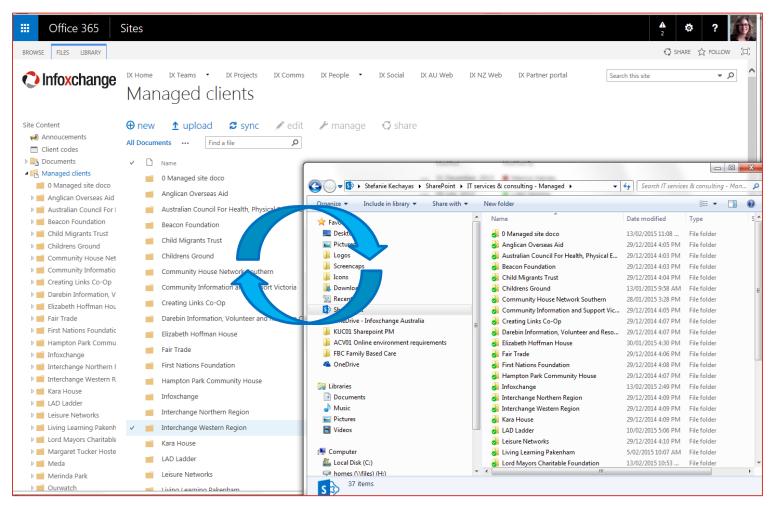


#### Document management - Co-authoring



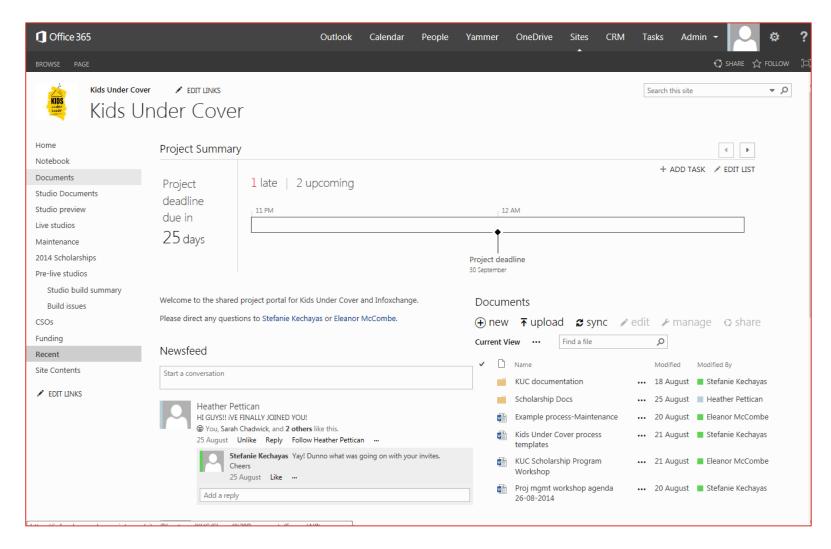


## Document management – Offline syncing (use with caution)



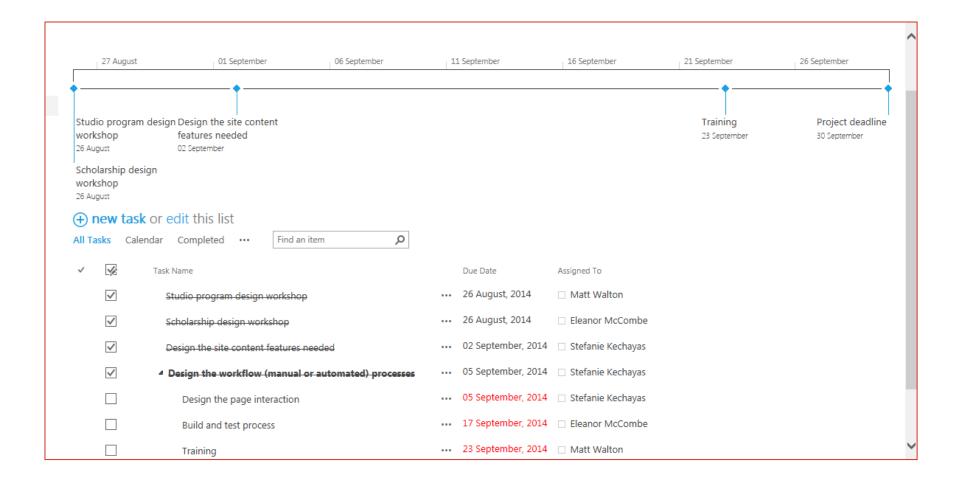


#### Team collaboration





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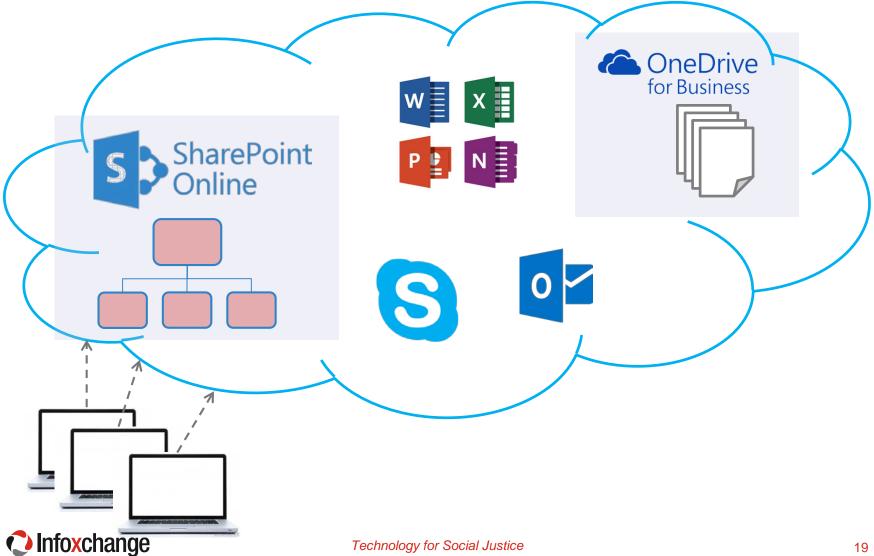


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#### Alternatives and other tools



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#### The full suite



#### SharePoint vs OneDrive















- 10GB + .5gb per license (free), expandable (\$)
- Store files, calendars, contacts, and more
- Data is centrally managed, intended for shared files





- 1 TB Per User (free)
- Not Expandable
- Every file is "owned" by a user, not intended for shared files

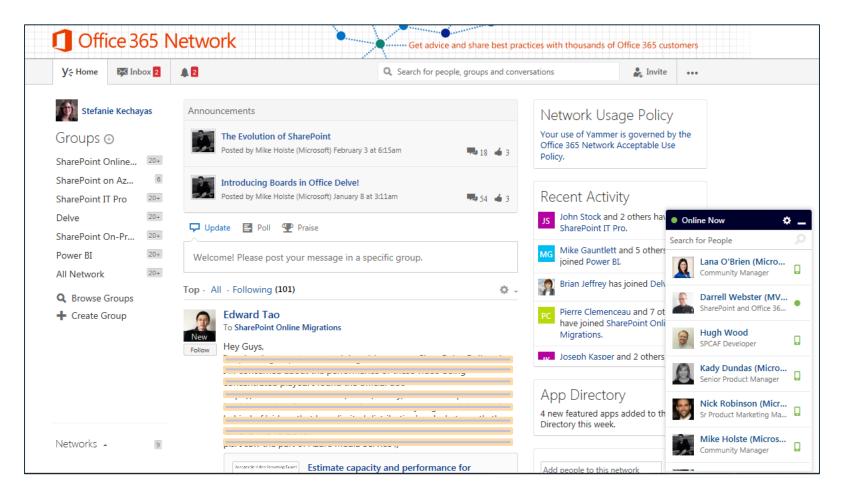


Files can be taken **Offline** with OneDrive Desktop Client



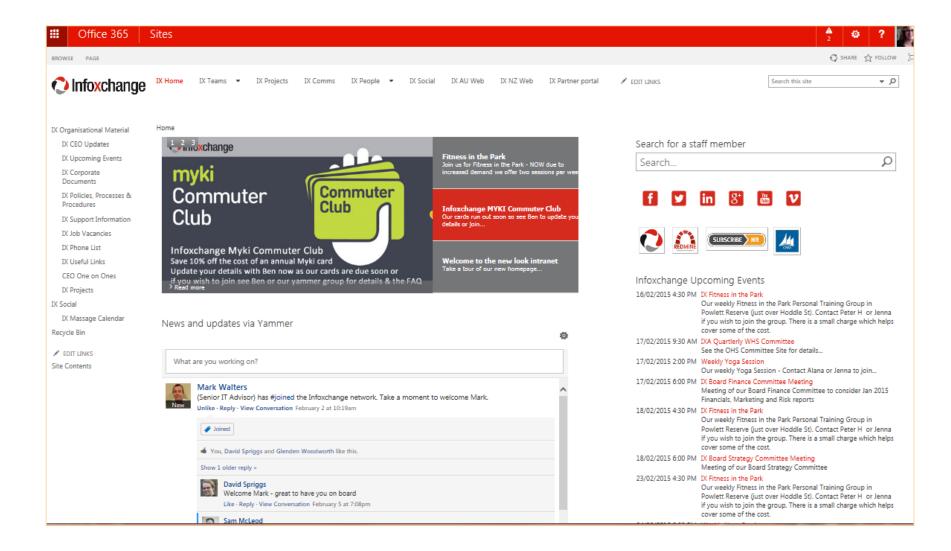
#### Yammer

#### The enterprise social network





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#### Best practice and things to keep in mind

- Strategy
- Implementation
- Design
- Governance



## Strategy: Why do you need or want SharePoint?

Is an intranet the **best tool** to solve your problem? Are you **ready**, culturally, for this new way of working and communicating?

You need to be able to clearly articulate: What is the purpose of SharePoint for your organisation?

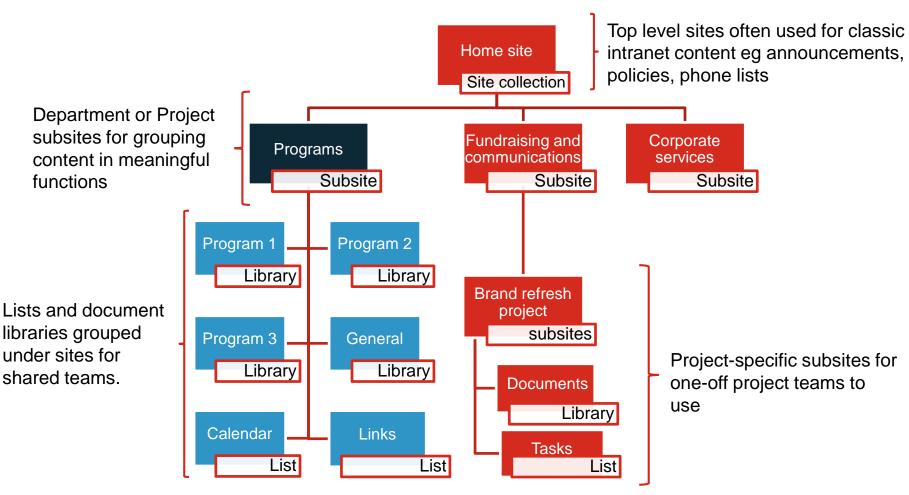


#### Implementation: How will you do it?

- 1. Do you have the capability and capacity internally to implement SharePoint?
- 2. Do you need an external partner to help?
- 3. Who will manage the intranet or libraries going forward?



## Design: What will your information architecture be?





## Governance: What permission and access strategy will you use?

- 1. Only lock down what has to be locked down for good reason (confidentiality, sensitivity).
- Establish clear lines of responsibility and access for content.
- 3. Think about the practicalities and administrative overhead of maintaining rigid silos across the business.



#### Still thinking of implementing SharePoint?

- 1. Define its purpose
- Audit your current systems and information architecture
- 3. Assign people to lead and own the project
- Consider the cultural implications of a more shared approach to information



#### Questions and discussion.....

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# Technology for Social justice

#### Our objectives:

- Increase **Digital Inclusion** by assisting all those in our communities to access and efficiently use ICT
- Raise the level of **Digital Proficiency** and improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the community focused sector through Information and Communication Technology
- Advocate for and showcase the benefits of Digital Empowerment in our communities

Our services for the sector include......

- 1. IT plans, assessments & IT strategy development
- 2. Office 365, website & intranet services
- 3. Cloud, infrastructure & desktop services
- Client & case management and service coordination solutions
- 5. CRM for non-profits

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#### What about privacy & security?

- Strong security & privacy controls
  http://office.microsoft.com/en-us/business/office-365-trust-center-cloud-computing-security-FX103030390.aspx
- » Strong Privacy controls: ISO 27001, EU model clauses, HIPAA BAA & FISMA accredited
- >> You own and retain all rights to your data
  http://office.microsoft.com/en-us/business/office-365-trust-center-top-10-trust-tenets-cloud-security-and-privacy-FX104029824.aspx#securityAndP
- » By March 2015 all Australian customers will be hosted in the Australian Microsoft data centres in Sydney and Melbourne
- » Many organisations (including Qld government) have chosen to use Office 365
- » Its suitability depends on what information you intend to store and your funding agreements



#### Office 365 Resources – for more information

Office 365 for nonprofits: <a href="https://www.microsoft.com/office365nonprofits">www.microsoft.com/office365nonprofits</a>

E1 vs. E3 plan: <a href="http://office.microsoft.com/en-au/business/compare-office-365-for-business-plans-FX102918419.aspx">http://office.microsoft.com/en-au/business/compare-office-365-for-business-plans-FX102918419.aspx</a> (Click on the 'Enterprise' tab)

#### Australian Privacy Principles

http://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/privacy-resources/privacy-guides/app-quick-reference-tool

» New Zealand Privacy Guidance on Cloud Computing

http://privacy.org.nz/assets/Files/Brochures-and-pamphlets-and-pubs/OPC-Cloud-Computing-guidance-February-2013.pdf & Microsoft's answers: http://blogs.msdn.com/cfs-filesystemfile.ashx/\_\_key/communityserver-components-postattachments/00-10-41-34-76/Standard-Response-to-OPC-Cloud-Computing-Checklist-for-Office-365-\_2D00\_-24-April-2013.pdf

The Microsoft Trust Centre – Privacy, Security & actual availability information

http://office.microsoft.com/en-us/business/office-365-trust-center-cloud-computing-security-FX103030390.aspx

#### **ImproveIT.org**

Resources to help your organisation get the most from your technology investment



#### Additional Office 365 Support available

Office 365 readiness assessments offered in partnership with Connecting Up & TechSoup NZ:

- » AU <a href="http://www.connectingup.org/office365">http://www.connectingup.org/office365</a>
- » NZ <a href="https://www.techsoup.net.nz/office365">https://www.techsoup.net.nz/office365</a>

Office 365 DIY workshops

Additional Connecting Up webinars including a practical demonstration. Implementation services and migration advice Share Point configuration and development

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