
willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2007/12/21 05:20

Hi!

I have a very known Portal in Portugal (a pets portal) I use subdramer fully integrated with phpBB3...but Now I want to change my all portal do Joomla and FB...

The integration its easy to "separate" so In the end I have a CMS system (with no users..dont bother with subdramer only with phpBB3) and a phpBB3 forum with 2890 users, 119332 messages and 8162 Topics.

What I want to do is install Joomla and fb and migrate all my users and topics/messages to fb/Joomla..and only kipping one user table...

So what I need is someone who can do that..and ofcourse I will pay and than I will release that payed script to everyone.

I realy need this script converter I need to change my forum and CMS system.

Please sorry If I cant ask for a payed script but I didnt read nothing about in the rules..

If someone is interested you can send me a PM or contact me by email (administrador@oficinasanimais.com) and for your curiosity this is my site <http://www.oficinasanimais.com> (its in Portuguese)

Thanks Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2007/12/21 05:22

If you do not get a response you might want to consider Scriptlance.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2007/12/21 05:40

Thanks for that link that will be my lattest option if no one helps me here!

Thanks again!

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by subfighter - 2007/12/28 19:38

yeah i been waiting for an actual official working version for phpbb forum..

for 2.0.22

and you need phpbb3.

the problem fireboard does not have a pm system yet so you will lose that...

The other other option is there supposed to be a Bridge Made for phpbb3 and Joomla 1.5 which the bridge is standalone and no core files are touched..

But the bridge is being done by like 3 people but no one has released yet.. you can see in action here

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2007/12/28 20:26

Curious. What does a PHPBB3 bridge have to do with Fireboard and the people that want to converter that gets them AWAY from PHPBB and TO Fireboard (and bridges for that matter)?

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by subfighter - 2007/12/28 22:19

grumblemarc wrote:

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my point was his options.. we are trying to get away phpbb 2.0.22 or phpbb 3 but there are is no converter script to convert us over to Fireboard..

as the gentlemen above is using phpbb 3 at the moment and wants to switch over to joomla so i was giving his pro and cons on what he could do..

because at this moment right now he has no option he has to wait or pay someone to make it..

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Posted by danialt - 2007/12/28 22:40

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by subfighter - 2007/12/28 22:48

danialt wrote:

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can you have one of your Developer Contact Me to get a converter created for phpbb 2.0.22 with a price.. my forum is big man.. also i release to the public and if anyone interested PM to pitch in :woohoo:

<http://www.subfighter.com>

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2007/12/29 03:49

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by mattpist - 2008/01/08 06:37

is the converter you bought on a gpl license? meaning, can you share it with us?

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by subfighter - 2008/01/09 20:24

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well you should attach it so someone can try it on 1.04 so the development continues... as i know other we be willing to pay the programmer to get it work with future versions of fireboard..

i need phpbb 2.0.22 converter. how much did he charge..

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/09 20:59

Hi!

This script works with fireboard 1.0.4 the script as no license but I will ask the programmer if I can put it here...

I had only problems with the post that have smilies inside because fireboard does not use the same "code" to post smilies...but I am in the final stage of solving this bug...

Please wait a litle more because this was a substancial "investement"...and not all the tests are made...

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by techwhiz - 2008/01/09 21:14

Hi man, I'd be interested in this script.
Let me know if you can share it

thank you

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/09 21:16

I'd like to see people donate a little something to help offset his costs.

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/10 17:13

hello

I am jumping in the "phpbb3 converter train" I need to do a small migration :silly:

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by mattpist - 2008/01/10 18:54

grumblemarc wrote:

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id be willing to donate!

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/14 00:46

So, where are we driving at? :D

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/14 06:12

Hi!

Everything is good...smilies are now imported..and corrected...

Tomorrow my portal is going to be online (I hope I finish today)..and you all can see what this script did in my forum...

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/14 13:49

Hi!!

Today Im very hapy...my portal is finaly online...I think is the first full conversion betewen Subdramer/phpbb3 and Joomla/CB/fireboard...

you can see it here (its in Portuguese) <http://www.oficinadosanimais.com>

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/14 14:06

Nice website, congratulation, I know how migrating a website can be a pain in the a.. Now let's talk about this phpbb to fireboard converter B) I believe a lot of us would like to see it around :P Some of us would even be ready to pay a chunk of the dev costs. What do you think about it? :D Would you make this tool available to the fireboard community ? :kiss: (I'll go no further than a kiss dude, don't need it that bad :silly: huh)

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/18 15:12

someone have news about this conversion script? :blink:

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/18 15:15

No thread bumping. If someone had news I'm absolutely positive that they would have posted it.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/18 15:20

My guess was that the thread owner just forgot about it and everybody else just looked somewhere else. I am not "tradebumping" here.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/18 15:42

Maybe you should try to contact him by email or PM since he already HAS a working converter.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/18 20:28

Hi!

No I didn't forget and..I will soon make it available here, I'm just making some changes because of the new bbcode parser..

As you all know I bought the script but as I said in my first post I will attach here the script..

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/18 21:54

Hi all again!

Im willing to give this script to the fireboard developers or since this script as no rights or any kind of license..

Please can someone of the developer team give me some feed back how I can I do this?

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/18 21:59

You can contact any of the developers directly by email or PM OR you can post a link or attach the script to a post for the BOJ community members who are interested. Since this script was written specifically for YOUR circumstances I would definitely mention that the script will be unsupported and not guaranteed to work 100% on anyone else's setup.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/18 21:59

Very nice from you , thanks for that :woohoo:

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/18 22:06

Hi!

Ths way this script is made I think It can be used to all of the phpbb3 users since its not any "personal" configuration it as only personal requests made by me...for example...

My host doesnt aloud more than 16m in my php or more than 30 seconds in running a script so I asked that the script could make this sending small chunks of data..

But this script can be used to anyone who as phpbb3.. I think

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/18 22:38

There is one way to know, I can backup my \$%/£`* phpbb3 forum and try to migrate B)

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by gregharkins - 2008/01/19 02:53

Looking for a converter from IPB to fireboard.

we have about 2000 users and 80000 post.

anyone got a connection for that??

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/19 02:59

Don't hijack the thread.:angry:

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/20 10:36

Hi all!

This is my contribution to this great community:

This script is a phpbb3 to fb/joomla converter it converts all including all the smilies in phpbb3..so all the smilies posted in phpbb3 (or all others that you have uploaded) are converted to you fb (you fb smilies desapear..sorry)..

1º step in the config.php put your db info (username db name etc etc you will see in that file)

2º run it.

3º and final step: After the running the script you have do copy your smilies from phpbb3 to your smiles directory in your template language..(if you have any problems with this do what I did when a smilie is not showing see the properties and then you will know were to put the smiles)

Note: remmember that joomla uses userid 62 as a superadmim and if you have an user_id62 as a user in your phpbb_users table you have to change it..or after change it in your joomla users table I only had a problem after running this script it was that.. the userid62! Because after everything was converted I had do create a super admin by hand in joomla because my user_id in phpbb3 was user_id 2 and not user_id 62!

This is my contribution and I can help running it...please this was a paid script and Im offering it to all of you...

<http://www.bestofjoomla.com/images/fbfiles/files/converter.zip>

You can upload the all unzip directory and run it as http://yoursite.com/converter/phpbb_to_fb.php

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/20 10:47

If you have strange characters its because of the fb bcode parser and you have to run this in your phpmyadmin..

<http://www.bestofjoomla.com/images/fbfiles/files/sqlparacorrer.txt>

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by masuel - 2008/01/20 15:07

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/20 16:45

Hello

Few question. I see it is only possible to define one username, it might be a problem for some people. On my server, 2 databases, 2 different usernames but in the config file, there are two databases that canbe used with only one set of credentials...I can't give twice the same username. Would it be possible to get the script to use 2 different db with 2 different users?

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Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/20 19:01

masuel wrote:

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Sure..I think thats a good Idea!

Arcanjo

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humm can you run the script twice?? hehehee I will see that ok?

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/20 19:11

run it twice? :huh:

I guess there is a misunderstanding. My eplanation might be confusing.Let me clear this up

I have a phpb3 forum in a database and the fireboard forum in another database .They are accessed with 2 different mysql users.

In the script, I can setup 2 databases but only one user

I hope it is clear

Tks
Oliver

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Sorry..misunderstud...about the user you can use what I used (my cpanel user name..if you have cpanel in your host..so its the same for all databases)..I didn use any phpmyadmin user..only my cpanel user in that config file..

Hope that helps..

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/20 20:48

It worked :D Some urls got wrecked in the process, but I prefered to fix it manually as everything else seems to be ok. Thanks for this script and for your advices .

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/20 23:41

Hi!!

No problem...Im glad to help you!

Arcanjo

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/21 00:09

For information, here s what I find in the urls, most of the time the script adds random numbers after the url, ending this way

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Arcanjo - 2008/01/21 01:25

What I know is that is not a script problem but a problem with the fb bbcode parser..

In my case I had to run that sql (that I attached in the post) to make things work and this only happend in the 1.0.4 fb in the 1.0.3 fb I didnt have any problems with the bbcode..

That sql is not nothing that I invented its a patch from bestofjoomla..because people had some problems when they upgraded to 1.0.4 version

Arcanjo

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by mattpist - 2008/01/22 06:49

thanks so much for this... it's been a huge success for me. had problems with the url/bbcode, but your sql query fixed that. i just wanted to point out something for everyone's information:

the conversion creates users for all the bots that have been crawling your phpbb3 site... but, this is easily fixable by sorting joomla's user table by email and deleting the user accounts that don't have emails or passwords. just thought id point that out for people that don't want unnecessary users in their site.

oh, and for me, i had no problems with the super admin and didn't need to edit the user table for that.

thanks again, and this should be stickied!

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by schlogo - 2008/01/22 14:36

Thanks to point this out, I ve seen it and forgot about it. Is there a point to leave them as users?

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Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by netboss - 2008/01/26 23:04

Helo,

first of all thanks for this Converter.

I got problems, im not able to Install it,

Error:

Importing data from phpBB
Connecting to Database...

Warning: mysql_connect() : Benutzer 'web1062'@'localhost' hat keine Zugriffsberechtigung (verwendetes Passwort: Nein) in /var/www/web1062/html/converter/phpbb_to_fb.php on line 25
Not connected: Benutzer 'web1062'@'localhost' hat keine Zugriffsberechtigung (verwendetes Passwort: Nein)

means that the user doesn't have access.

I have only mysql data uploaded on phpmyadmin without a Site.
But that's not the problem I think because this converter takes care only with mysql.

please help:woohoo:

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by mattpist - 2008/01/27 02:07

schlogo wrote:

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not that I can see. the bots wouldn't be able to login. also, people/spammers might be able to login without signing up (password field for bots is null), so it's probably safest to delete those users.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by m4t - 2008/02/29 22:30

Hi all,
Thanks for the converter.
I'm trying to convert a phpbb3 locally, but I'm encountering some errors...

Here is what I get when executing the converter:

Notice: Undefined variable: host in C:\Program Files\EasyPHP 2.0b1\www\mos_test\joomla\converter\phpbb_to_fb.php on line 25

Notice: Undefined variable: user in C:\Program Files\EasyPHP 2.0b1\www\mos_test\joomla\converter\phpbb_to_fb.php on line 25

Notice: Undefined variable: pass in C:\Program Files\EasyPHP 2.0b1\www\mos_test\joomla\converter\phpbb_to_fb.php on line 25

Warning: mysql_connect() : Accès refusé pour l'utilisateur: 'ODBC'@'localhost' (mot de passe: NON) in C:\Program Files\EasyPHP 2.0b1\www\mos_test\joomla\converter\phpbb_to_fb.php on line 25
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The config.php seems to be ok.

It seems that these undefined variables (host, user, pass) are not ok.

Could someone please help sorting the issue?

Many thanks in advance!:woohoo:

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by TiaZe - 2008/03/02 20:48

I have a problem with the passwords. Everything is converted but i can't log in with the same passwords in joomla. Can i transfer the password table manually?

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Watto - 2008/03/26 07:45

Hi guys,

I'm having trouble with this script as well. I'm getting this error:

Invalid query:

```
SELECT group_id FROM `testjoomla`.`jos_core_acl_aro_groups` WHERE name='Registered' OR name='Administrator' ORDER BY name ASC
```

Unknown column 'group_id' in 'field list'

Unfortunately, I've had a look through the php and I'm not sure how to fix it - can anyone help?

:)

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by columbusgeek - 2008/04/15 06:17

So was this script updated to joomla 1.5 as the one user said he could do?

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Silver - 2008/08/11 16:28

Tried this...most of it works except it doesn't transfer any of the topic body or the post details (ie the user who wrote it etc) and all of the users are on 0 posts...

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by umbighouse - 2008/09/11 20:58

I get the same error as Watto. I have Joomla 1.5 and phpBB3. The posts appear without an author (it says visitor).

Some of the characters in the post text look like code, too, as if they weren't translated properly. Is this a character set issue?

Does this convert work for Joomla 15. phpBB3?

Thanks in advance.

Re:willing to pay for a phpBB3 R5 to FB

Posted by Dasmonstrum - 2008/09/25 02:12

Hi There,

I'm also looking for a phpBB3 to FB - Joomla 1.5.x converter.

Thanks!

---- EDITED ----

the solution was found at this topic:

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/catid,6/id,16418/

but after the migration the internacional characters aren't encoded right...

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