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We can't box it up.
Everyone wants it.

The next generation workplace.



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It's closer than you think.

The next generation workplace is a way of connecting.

We're out of the office as much as we're in it. We collaborate with people around the world. We juggle devices, phone numbers, and digital identities to access applications, services, and information. As confusing as it sounds, it all comes down to one thing: The way we think about work has changed. So isn't it time to change how we think about the workplace? We already have—and it's called the next generation workplace.

The next generation workplace is a strategic solution that creates business value by combining software with business process engineering. By streamlining and simplifying how people work in the enterprise, it fuels unprecedented levels of communication and collaboration. The result? People connect with each other—and with applications and information—through streamlined access any time, anywhere. Service levels and productivity skyrocket with customized integration of processes and tools. Costs are lower, because hardware and software are configured precisely to business roles.



High-performing next generation workplaces provide:

A connected and productive workforce

Workers are connected to each other and to partners, customers, and stakeholders inside and outside the organization—anywhere, any time, and from any device.

High service levels

Processes and technology are seamlessly integrated using best-in-class infrastructure services and automated tools and software, while simplified provisioning ramps up security.

Operationally fit and efficient

Centralized IT operations, infrastructure and application standardization, the right match of hardware and software, and effective identity and access management solutions add up to mature, cost-efficient operations.

Enhanced business performance

Better customer service, a more effective workplace, and great competitive advantages (like unified communications) boost business productivity and performance.

Three companies working together to put the next generation workplace at your fingertips.

The next generation workplace isn't just about technology or tools. It's about setting a strategic plan that aligns your environment to your objectives so that the workplace offers the most value possible. Only then will you get a carefully considered deployment of the precise software and tools that will promote new levels of collaboration and communication. Working together, Accenture, Avanade, and Microsoft give you the strategy, processes, skills, and tools you need to make your next generation workplace a reality and empower your people to achieve success.

Accenture

Clarity of Vision

Accenture provides clarity of vision from the top down to define long-term goals. With deep industry insights, Accenture draws from extensive implementation experience to align your business and IT strategies so you realize new levels of performance.

Avanade

Seamless Deployment

Avanade brings you comprehensive, Microsoft-based solutions, a proven approach, and a worldwide network of Microsoft certified consultants. Using proven architectures, frameworks, methodologies, and tools that save you time and money, Avanade helps you define a roadmap for seamless deployment.

Microsoft

The Best Tools for Today and Tomorrow

The latest wave of product innovation from Microsoft offers a truly integrated and collaborative platform, with a range of mission-critical software designed for the connected enterprise. Highly customizable solutions and services empower people and organizations alike with higher business value and greater functionality that will work both today and in the future.

Ready to get started?

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