D365 Modern Email Interface

D365 Modern Email Interface is a solution providing inline options in case/ contact form enabling organization and management of emails in the same page in Dynamic 365 CRM.

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Overview:

This Solution is an add-on feature to Dynamics 365 CRM to providing efficient and user friendly Email management service. It enables user to draft and manage all of the sent and received email messages within a case, contact or any other activity enabled entity. Furthermore, this solution provides organizations to manage their case specific emails within the same page without having to navigate to different windows or tabs thus facilitating navigation within a case or contact effectively.

Email Activity Management features and benefits:

- Email management is possible in the same page on case, contact or any other activity enabled entity.
- Different views of the emails allowing better access and normalization/organization.
- Filtering options based on time line, priority and attachments.
- Prioritizing and filtering emails based on set priorities.
- Quicker drafting of emails using predefined email templates option.
- Easy attachment handling with drag and drop feature.

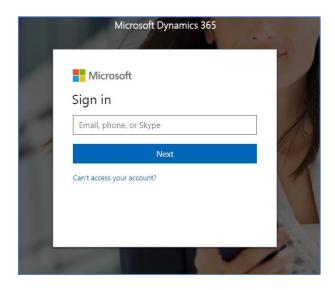
This solution, built on Dynamics 365, seamlessly works with Dynamics CRM 2016 version and later versions.

D365 Modern Email Interface Configuration

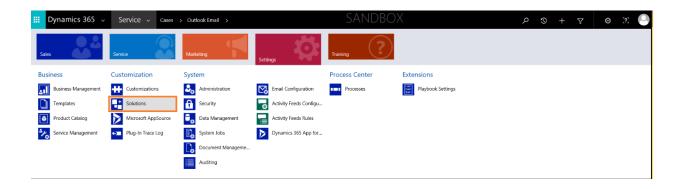
The Email Management solution can be used in case, contact or any other entities. This section outlines the steps to be performed by a System Administrator to make Solution available in Dynamics 365 CRM to the end users.

UI Configuration

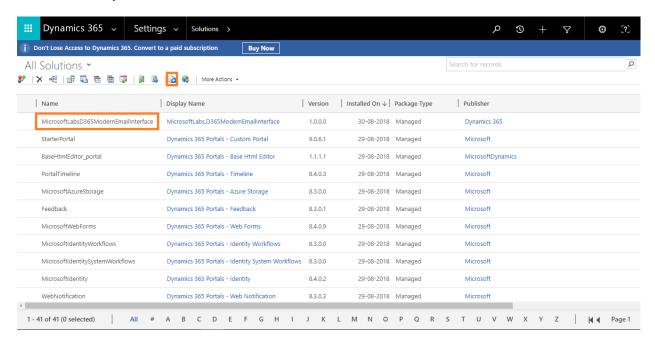
1. Log into CRM instance by giving the appropriate username and password with **admin** role.



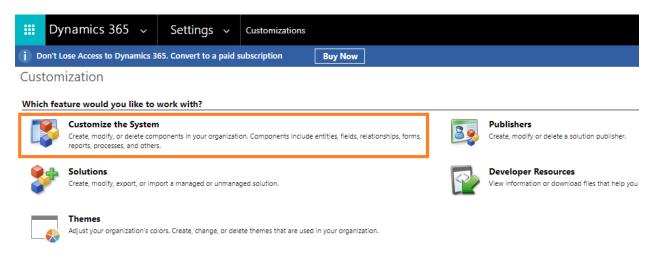
2. After a successful login, Navigate to **Settings** -> **Solutions**.

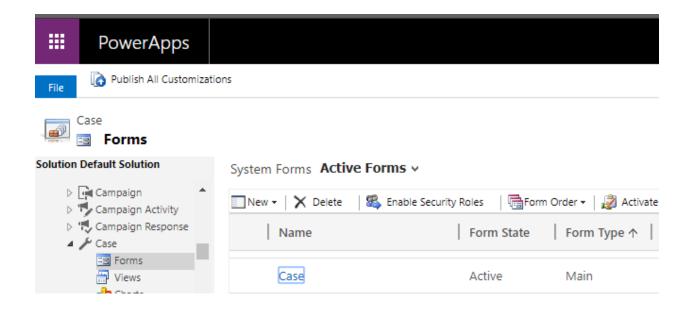


3. Now **import** D365 Modern Email Interface and **Publish** to avail the customizations.

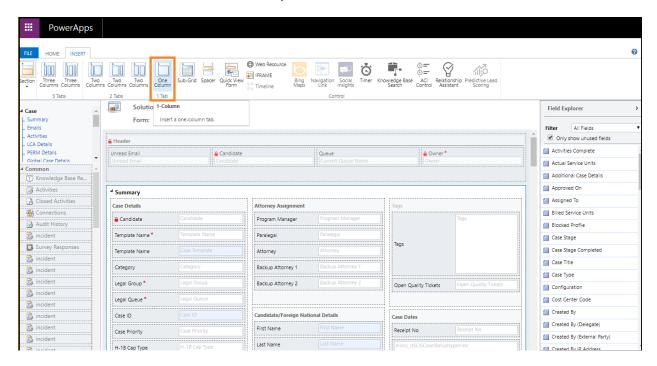


4. After successful import of the solution, go to Settings>customization>customize the system. Now select Case (entity where you need to add this Email Interfacess) and select the desired form. Now it will open Case customization form.

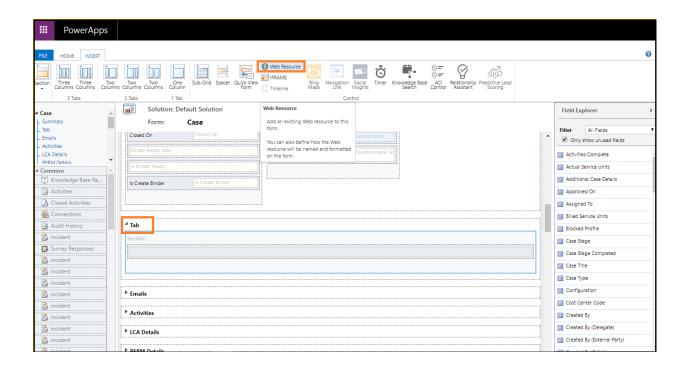




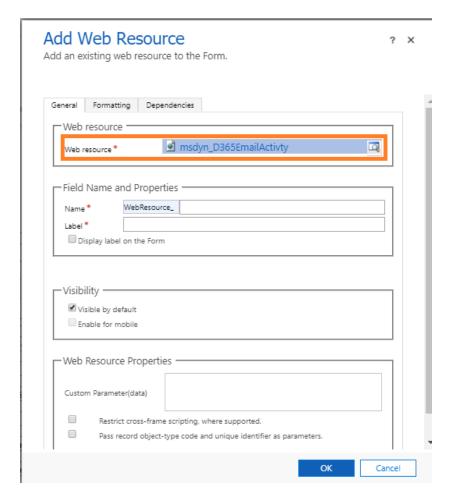
5. Click on **Insert** tab and choose the option **One column**.



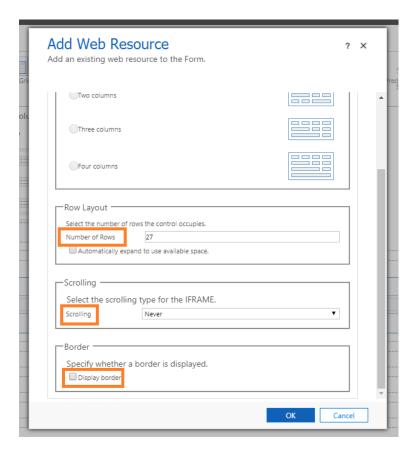
6. Click on the newly added one column tab and then click on the option **Web Resource**.



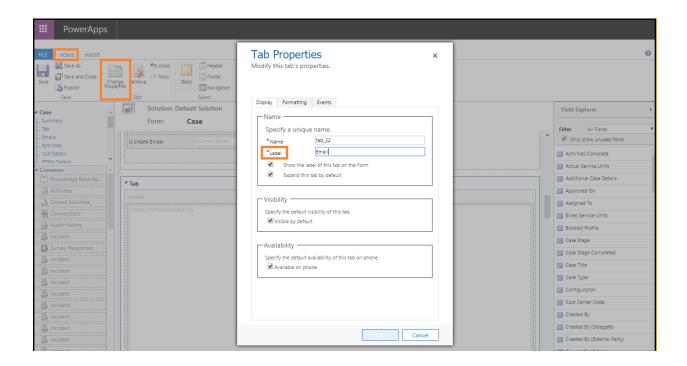
7. Web resource popup will open, Select the existing web resource named "msdyn_D365EmailActivity" from lookup. Also fill field name and properties section.



8. Now go to formatting Tab and fill below highlighted fields and click ok. This aligns the tab in the form.



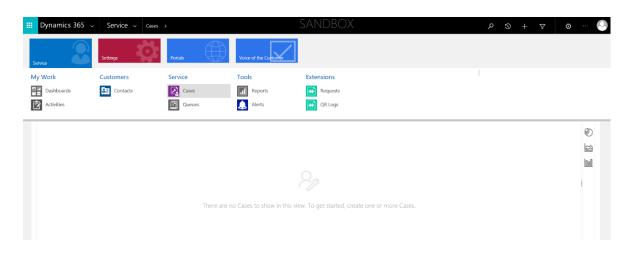
 To name the newly created tab, click on the tab Home and then click on the new Tab and then Change Properties. The below pop up opens up and mark the Label field with the desired tab name.



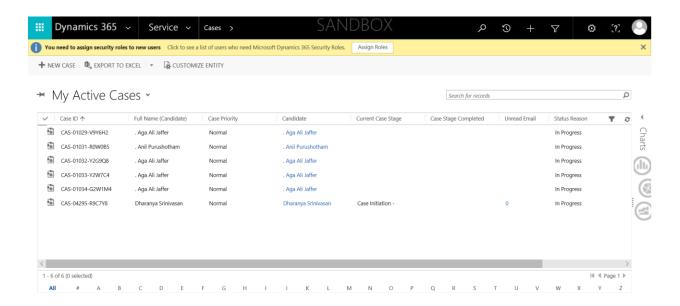
- 10. Save and publish the form.
- 11. Refresh the UI form in the case to see the newly created **Email** tab.

User Experience

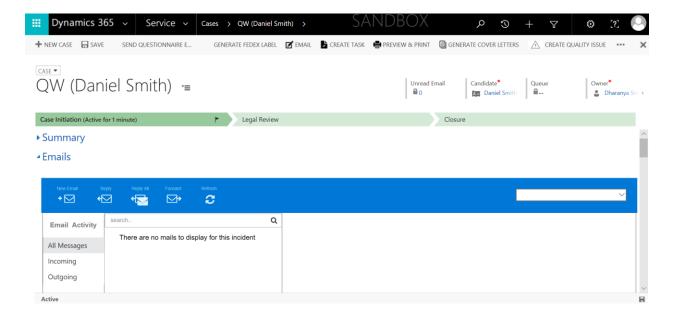
1. Navigate to **Services** -> **Cases**.



2. The **Active cases** view opens up listing all the active cases assigned to the current user.



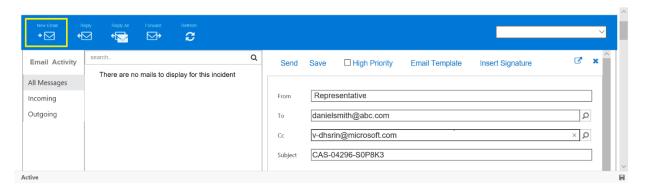
3. Double Click on any case record and we will be able to see the email management solution as a separate tab named as **'Email'**.



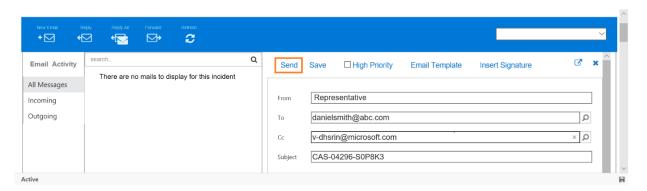
Email Management Features

Emailing options

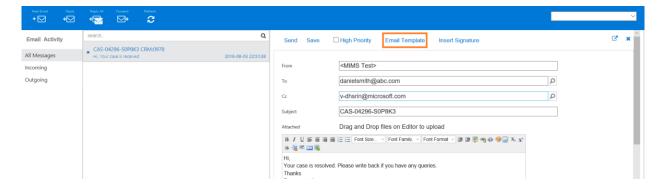
1. Click on **New Email** button on the ribbon header to create a new Email.



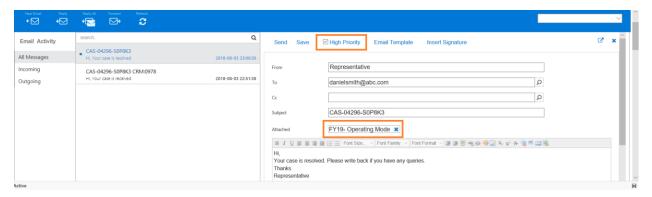
2. Draft the email, add the recipients and click on **Send** to send an Email.



3. You can also add predefined emails by clicking on Email Template and choosing the appropriate email.



4. Drag and drop the files on the editor to upload the documents as **Attachments**. The priorities can be marked using the **High Priority** check box.

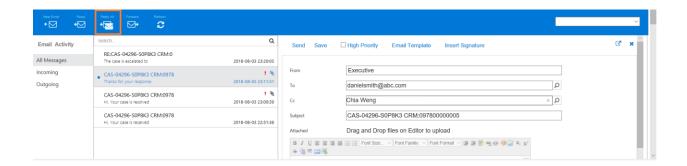


- 5. Click on **Reply** button to reply to an Email.
 - a. To address will be auto populated from the existing details and
 - b. **Subject** is appended with **RE**: as prefix in the subject line after email is posted.

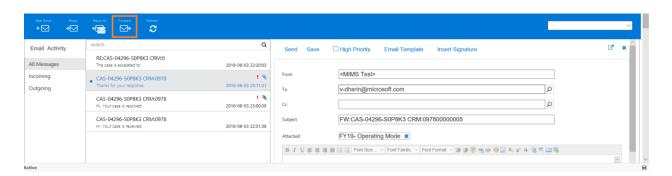


6. Click on the Reply All button on the ribbon header to reply everyone in the Email

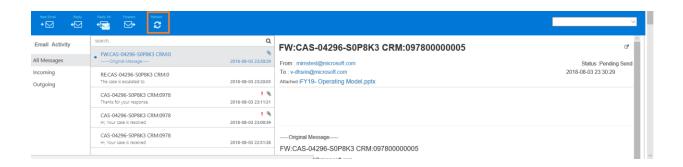
- a. To and CC are populated from the original email.
- b. Subject line is appended with RE: as prefix after post action.



7. Click on the **Forward** button to forward any email. We can add new attachments and remove the existing attachments in the forward Email if needed.



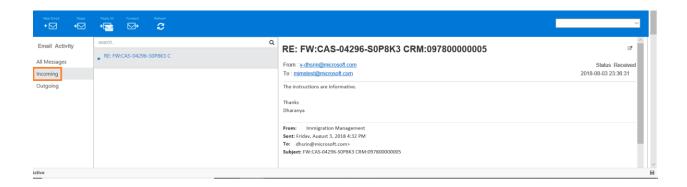
8. Click on the **Refresh** button to load or pull all the latest Emails till date. It refreshes the email activity and reloads with the latest emails.



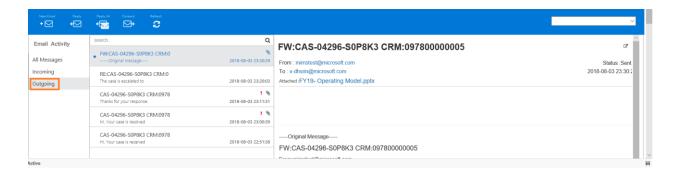
Email Views and Filters

Views

1. Click on the **Incoming** tab on the left panel to filter and view only the incoming Emails.

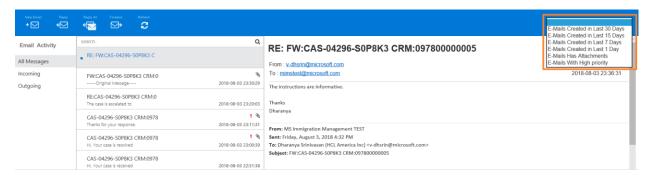


2. Click on the **Outgoing** tab on the left panel to view only the outgoing Emails.

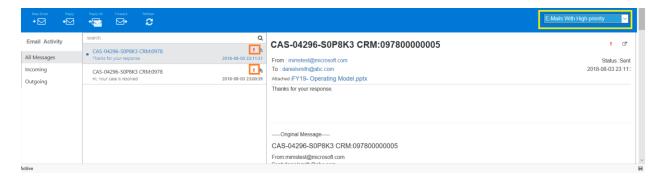


Filters

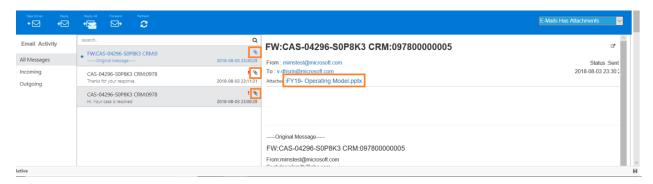
1. For filtering emails, we have an option on the top right corner of the ribbon header. The **filter** option provides, filtering based on **timeline**, **priorities** and added **attachments**.



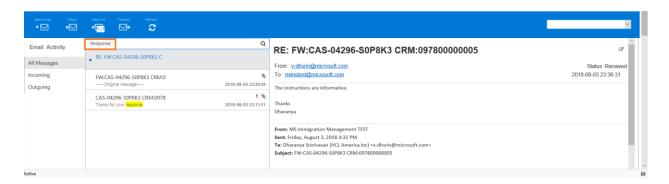
2. If we select the filtering option, 'E-Mails with High Priority', then it pulls all the Email with high priority and display them. You can also see the emails marked as high priority are tagged with a '!'.



- 3. Select the option, 'Emails created in the last 7 days', to filter all the Emails which are created in the last 7 days. Likewise, other selections filter emails in a similar fashion.
- 4. Select the option, 'Email has Attachments', then it filters all the Emails which have attachments.



5. We have a **search** bar below the ribbon header and we should enter the keyword to filter and view the emails with that text.



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