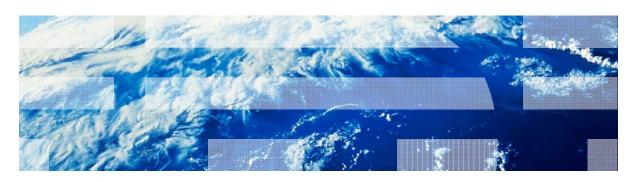


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#### **SMS** notifications





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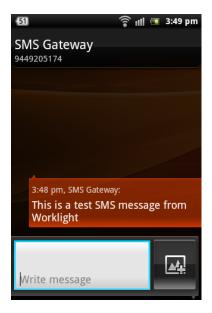
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### What are push notifications?

- SMS notification is the ability of a mobile device to receive notifications as SMS messages that are pushed from a server.
- Notifications are received regardless of whether the application is running.





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### **Device Support**

 IBM® Worklight® supports SMS notifications on iOS, Android, Windows Phone, and BlackBerry devices that support SMS functions.



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# Notification architecture: Terminology

- Event source: A notification channel to which mobile applications can register
  - An event source is defined within a Worklight adapter.
- User ID: A unique identifier for a Worklight user
  - A User ID is obtained through authentication or another unique identifier such as a persistent cookie.
- Application ID: Worklight application ID
  - This ID identifies a specific Worklight application on the mobile market.



### Notification architecture: Subscription

- To start receiving SMS notifications, an application must first subscribe to an SMS notification event source.
- An event source is declared in the Worklight adapter that is used by the application for SMS notification services.
- To subscribe to SMS notifications, the user supplies a mobile phone number, and approves the notification subscription.
- A subscription request is sent to the Worklight Server upon receipt of the user approval.

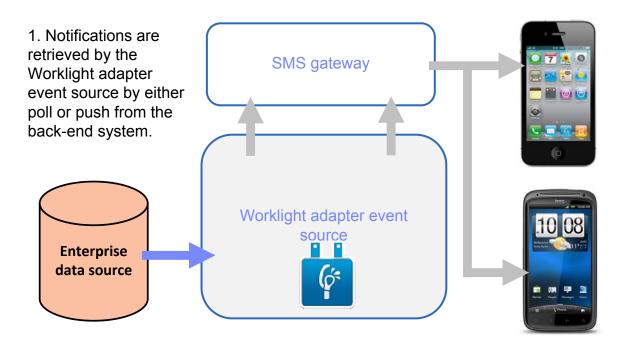


- Worklight provides a unified push notification API.
- With the Adapter API, you can:
  - Manage subscriptions
  - Push and poll notifications from back-end systems
  - Send push notifications to devices
- With the Application API, you can subscribe to and unsubscribe from push notification event sources.

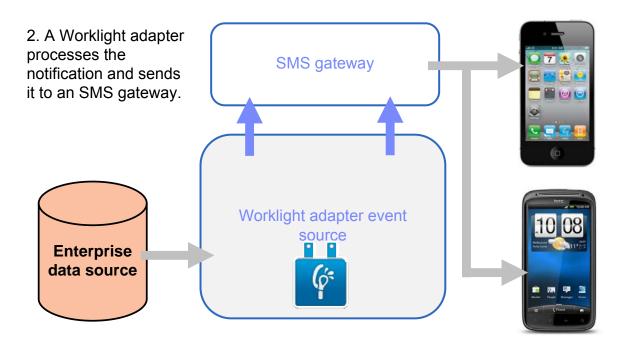


- To send a notification, you must first retrieve it from the back-end system.
- An event source can either poll notifications from the back-end system, or wait for the back-end system to explicitly push a new notification.
- When a notification is retrieved by the adapter, it is processed and sent through a pre-configured SMS gateway.
- Additional custom logic can be added to the adapter to pre-process notifications.
- The SMS gateway receives the notification and sends it to a device.

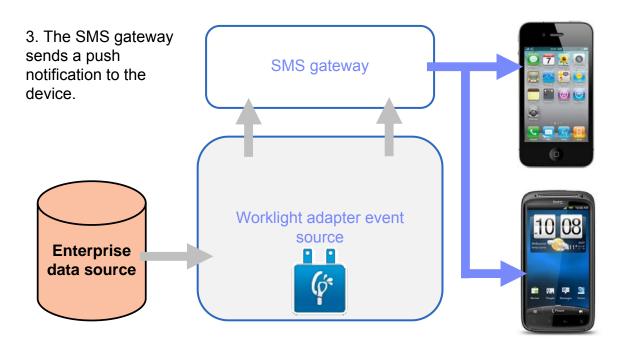




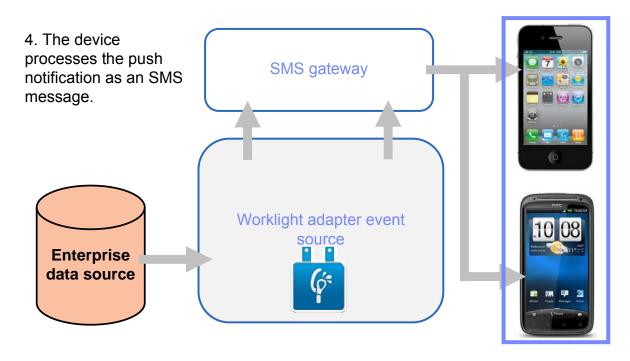














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# Subscription management: User subscription

#### User subscription

- An entity that contains user ID, device ID, and event source ID
- It represents the intent of the user to receive notifications from a specific event source.

#### Creation

 The user subscription for an event source is created when the user subscribes to that event source for the first time from any device.

#### Deletion

 A user subscription is deleted when the user unsubscribes from that event source from all of their devices.

#### Notification

- While the user subscription exists, the Worklight Server can produce notifications for the subscribed user.
- These notifications can be delivered by the adapter code to some or all of the subscribed devices.



# Subscription management: Device subscription

- A device subscription belongs to a user subscription, and exists in the scope of a specific user and event source. A user subscription can have several device subscriptions.
- The device subscription is created when the application on a device calls WL.Client.Push.subscribeSMS(). The mobile phone number is an input parameter.
- The device subscription is deleted either when an application calls WL.Client.Push.unsubscribeSMS(), or when the administrator unsubscribes the user through the IBM Worklight Console.



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- Start by creating an event source
  - Declare a notification event source in the adapter JavaScript code at a global level (outside any JavaScript function).

#### Notifications are pushed by the back-end system

```
WL.Server.createEventSource({
    name: 'SMSEventSource',
    onDeviceSubscribe: 'onDeviceSubscribeCallback',
    onDeviceUnsubscribe: 'onDeviceUnsubscribeCallback',
    securityTest:'SMSRealm-mobile-securityTest'
});
```

#### Notifications are polled from the back-end system

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WL.Server.createEventSource({
    name: 'SMSEventSource',
    onDeviceSubscribe: 'onDeviceSubscribeCallback',
    onDeviceUnsubscribe: 'onDeviceUnsubscribeCallback',
    securityTest:'SMSRealm-mobile-securityTest',
    poll:{
        interval: 3,
        onPoll: getNotificationsFromBackend
    }
});
```

- name name by which the event source is referenced
- onDeviceSubscribe adapter function that is called when the user subscription request is received
- onDeviceUnsubscribe adapter function that is called when the user unsubscription request is received
- securityTest security test from authenticationConfig.xml that is used to protect
  the event source



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   poll:{
        interval: 3,
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   }
});
```

- poll method that is used for notification retrieval, with the following required parameters:
  - interval polling interval in seconds
  - onPoll polling implementation: an adapter function to be invoked at specified intervals



Send a notification:

```
function sendSMS(userId, smsText){
   var userSubscription =
        WL.Server.getUserNotificationSubscription('SMSAdapter.SMSEventSource', userId);
   if (userSubscription==null){
        return { result: "No subscription found for user : _____ userId }
   WL.Logger.debug("sendSMS >> userId :: " + userId +
   WL.Server.notifyAllDevices(userSubscription, {
        badge: 1.
        alert: smsText
   });
   return { result: "Notification sent to user :: " +
```

Notifications can be either polled from or pushed by the backend system.

In this example, a sendSMS() adapter function is called by a back-end system as an external API to send notifications.



- Send a notification:
  - Obtain notification data

```
function sendSMS(userId, smsText){
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       WL.Server.getU tificationSubscription('SMSAdapter.SMSEventSource', userId);
   if (userSubscriptio null){
       return { result No subscription found for user
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                                                         function receives the
   WL.Logger.debug("sendSMS >> userId :: " + userId +
                                                          userID to send the
   WL.Server.notifyAllDevices(userSubscription, {
                                                           notification to, and
       badge: 1,
                                                               smsText.
       alert: smsText
   });
                                                         These arguments are
   return { result: "Notification sent to user :: " +
                                                         provided by the back-
                                                         end system that calls
                                                             this function.
```



- Send a notification:
  - Retrieve the active user and use it to get the user subscription data

```
function sendSMS(userId, smsText){
   var userSubscription =
       WL.Server.getUserNotificationSubscription('SMSAdapter.SMSEventSource', userId);
   if (userSubscription==null){
       return { result: "No subscription found for user :: " + userId };
   WL.Logger.debug("send∑
                             >> userId
                                        A user subscription object contains the
   WL.Server.notifvAllDev
                            s(userSu
                                             information about all the user
       badge: 1,
                                        subscriptions. Each user subscription
       alert: smsText
                                        can have several device subscriptions.
   });
    return { result: "Notification se
                                        If the user has no subscriptions for the
                                        specified event source, a null object is
                                                        returned.
```



- Send a notification:
  - Retrieve the user subscription data

```
"alias": "myPushSMS",
"applicationId": "SMSPushApp-windowsphone-1.0",
"device": "4811C50B6D106DCA354D52BBFFFFFFFF",
"eventSourceId": "SMSPushAdapter.SMSPushEventSource",
"options": {
"platform": "SMS",
"token": "3656886544",
"userAgent": "SMS"
```

By using the getDeviceSubscriptions API, you can obtain separate subscription data for each user device

The result is an array of objects with the structure shown here.



- Sending a notification
  - Send notification to the user devices

```
function sendSMS(userId, smsText){
   var userSubscription =
        WL.Server.getUserNotificationSubscription('SMSAdapter.SMSEventSource', userId);
    if (userSubscription==null){
        return { result: "No subscription found for user :: " + userId };
   WL.Logger.debug("sendSMS >> userId :: " + userId + ", text :: " + smsText);
    WL.Server.notifyAllDevices(userSubscription, {
        badge: 1,
                                                   WL.Server.notifyAllDevices
        alert: smsText
                                                     API sends notification to all
    });
                                                    the subscribed user devices.
    return { result: "Notification sent to user :
                                                   Notification text is provided in
                                                            the alert field
```



- To send notifications the, API includes the following:
  - WL.Server.notifyAllDevices(userSubscription, options): to send notification to all user devices (see previous slide)
  - WL.Server.notifyDevice(userSubscription, device, options): to send notification to a specific device for a specific user subscription
  - WL.Server.notifyDeviceSubscription(deviceSubscription, options): to send notification to a specific device



### Notification API: Client side

- Event Source subscribing and unsubscribing
  - To subscribe, a user must first be authenticated.
  - Use the following API to subscribe to the event source

- WL.Client.Push.subscribeSMS() has the following parameters:
  - · Alias to identify the subscription
  - · Adapter name where the event source is defined
  - Event source name to which the client is subscribing
  - User mobile phone number where notifications are sent
    - Mobile phone number can contain digits (0-9), plus sign (+), minus sign (-), and space (\_\_) characters only.
  - Optional onSuccess callback
  - · Optional onFailure callback
- Callbacks receive a response object if one is required.



### Notification API: Client side

- Event Source subscribing and unsubscribing
  - Use the following API to unsubscribe from the event source

```
function unsubscribeSMSButtonClicked() {
    WL.Client.Push.unsubscribeSMS("myPushSMS", {
        onSuccess: unsubscribeSMSOnSuccess,
        onFailure: unsubscribeSMSOnFailure
    });
}

function unsubscribeSMSOnSuccess(response) {
    alert("unsubscribeSMS OnSuccess");
}

function unsubscribeSMSOnFailure(response) {
    alert("unsubscribeSMSOnFailure");
}
```

- WL.Client.Push.unsubscribeSMS() has the following parameters:
  - Alias the same as defined in WL.Client.Push.subscribeSMS()
  - Optional onSuccess callback
  - Optional onFailure callback
- Callbacks receive a response object if one is required.



### Notification API: Client side

 Unsubscription can also be performed from the IBM Worklight Console by specifying the mobile phone numbers to be unsubscribed (comma separate multiple phone numbers)



- Additional client side APIs:
  - WL.Client.Push.isPushSMSSupported() returns true if SMS notifications are supported by the platform, false otherwise.
  - WL.Client.Push.isSMSSubscribed(alias) returns true if the currently logged-in user is subscribed to a specified event source alias, false otherwise.



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### Subscribe SMS Servlet

- Subscribe to SMS notifications by using a Subscribe SMS Servlet.
- Users can subscribe to SMS notifications without an application on the device by making HTTP GET calls to the Servlet.
- Subscription servlet supports both subscribe and unsubscribe options.
- Access the Subscribe servlet with the URL :
  - http://<hostname>:<port>/<context>/subscribeSMS?<parameters>
- An application and eventsource within an adapter must be deployed to the Worklight Server before making the Servlet call.



### Subscribe SMS Servlet: URL Parameters

Parameters that can be passed to Subscribe SMS <u>Servlet</u> -

URL Parameter	Usage
option	Optional. Default value is subscribe. For any non-blank string other than subscribe, the unsubscribe action is performed.
event Source	Mandatory. AdapterName.EventSourceName
alias	Optional. A Short ID defining event source name
phone number	Mandatory. The number to which SMS notifications are sent.
user name	Optional. If no value is provided, phoneNumber is taken as the user name.
applD	Mandatory. ID of the application that contains SMSGateway definition. For example: SMSPushApp-android-1.0



# Subscribe SMS Servlet: Invoke URL and response

Subscribe URL:

http://<host>:<port>/<context>/subscribeSMS?alias=<aliasName>&appId=<appId>&event Source=<evenSourceName>&username=<username>&phoneNumber=<number>

Sample response from WL Server:

-{"result":"FWLSE00146I: User 'vk' with phone number '0987654321' successfully subscribed to SMS notifications", "isSuccessful":"true"}



# Subscribe SMS Servlet: Invoke URL and response

Unsubscribe URL:

http://<host>:<port>/<context>/subscribeSMS?option=unsubscribe&eventSource=SMSAd apter.SMSEventSource&userName=<username>&phoneNumber=<phonenumber>

Sample response from WL Server:

{"result":"FWLSE00147I: Successfully unsubscribed from SMS notifications for user 'vk'", "isSuccessful":"true"}



### Subscribe SMS Servlet: Features

- Subscriptions that are made by using Subscribe SMS Servlet are independent of subscriptions that are created from a device.
- Unsubscribing by using SMS Servlet does not remove subscriptions that are made from device.
- Security
  - By default, SMS Servlet is protected as a static resource.
  - By default, authenticationConfig.xml is configured to reject all requests to Subscribe SMS Servlet by using a rejecting login module.
  - To allow access to SMS Subscribe Servlet, administrator must modify the authenticationConfig.xml with appropriate authenticator and login modules.



# Subscribe SMS Servlet: Security

 By default, authenticationConfig.xml is configured to reject all requests to subscribe servlet

When the servlet is invoked with default authentication configuration

```
/*-secure-
{"WL-Authentication-Failure":{"SubscribeServlet":{"reason":"illegal state"}}}*/
```



### Subscribe SMS Servlet: Security

 Administrator can change authenticationConfig.xml to allow access to Subscribe SMS servlet

When the servlet is invoked with custom authentication configuration

{"result":"FWLSE00146I: User 'vk' with phone number '0987654321' successfully subscribed to SMS notifications", "isSuccessful":"true"}



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### Setup

### SMSConfig.xml

 To send SMS notifications, define in the SMSConfig.xml file the third-party gateway services that are supported by the Worklight Server.

### application-descriptor.xml

 For an application to use SMS notifications, specify the SMS gateway to use by adding an <smsGateway id="..."/> element to the applicationdescriptor.xml file.

```
<smsGateway id="myGateway"/>
```



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The gateway ID in the SMSConfig.xml file must correspond to the SMS gateway ID in the application-descriptor.xml file.

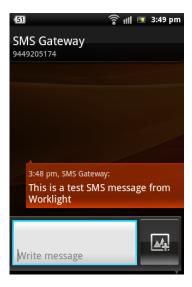
```
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```



### The Result

- The sample for this training module can be found in the Getting Started page of the IBM Worklight documentation website at <a href="http://www.ibm.com/mobile-docs">http://www.ibm.com/mobile-docs</a>
- Notice that you need a SMS Gateway subscription to activate push notifications.







### Back end emulator

- The sample for this training module comes with a back-end system emulator that you can use to simulate SMS notification submission by a back-end system.
- To run the back-end system emulator:
  - Open a command prompt.
  - Go to the SMSBackendEmulator folder of the sample project.
  - Enter the following command to run the supplied SMSBackendEmulator.jar file:

#### java –jar SMSBackendEmulator.jar <userId> <notificationText> <serverPort>

where **<userld>** is the user name that you used to log in to the sample application

### Example:

java –jar SMSBackendEmulator.jar user1 "hello from sms" 8080



#### Back end emulator

 The back-end system emulator tries to connect to a Worklight Server and call the sendSMS() adapter procedure. It then produces the invocation result to a command prompt console.

#### Success

```
C:\worklight\workspace\test\module_42_0_SMSNotifications\SMSBackendEmulator>java
-jar SMSBackendEmulator.jar user1 "hello from sms" 8080

SMSBackendEmulator
User Id: user1
Notification text: hello from sms

Server URL: http://localhost:8080
sending notification

Server response :: { "isSuccessful": true, "result": "Notification sent to u ser :: user1"}
```

#### Failure

```
C:\worklight\workspace\test\module_42_0_SMSNotifications\SMSBackendEmulator>java
-jar SMSBackendEmulator.jar user1 "hello from sms" 8080

SMSBackendEmulator
User Id: user1
Notification text: hello from sms
Server URL: http://localhost:8080
sending notification
Server response :: { "isSuccessful": true, "result": "No subscription found for user :: user1"}
```



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