

# Tutorial

This tutorial will help you get started with Confluence:

**Using the menus**

**Creating a space**

**Creating a page**

**Adding content to a page**

**Using the Dashboard**

**Updating your user profile**

**Adding a comment to a page**

**Creating a blog post**



## **What is a space?**

A space is an area within Confluence, containing your wiki pages. You can think of each space as a sub-site, or mini-site, each with its own home page.

## **What is the Dashboard?**

The Dashboard is the home page of your Confluence wiki. The Dashboard contains a list of all the spaces within your wiki, as well as a list of recently updated content.

## **What is a wiki?**

A wiki is a piece of software that allows you and your colleagues to create and edit web pages quickly and simply. Just click, edit and save. Content is published immediately.

## **What is Confluence?**

Confluence is an enterprise wiki with some extra communication tools, including blog posts and RSS feeds.

## **What makes Confluence an enterprise wiki?**

Different organisations use Confluence for different purposes: as a company intranet, corporate website, project workspace, knowledge base, documentation site and a host of other implementations. All these are made possible by Confluence's enterprise-appropriate features, including: security permissions at the page, space and site level; content structuring and restructuring options; LDAP compatibility and more.



If you prefer, you can see the whole tutorial [on one page](#).