Facebook Restaurant & Hotel Template

FACEBOOK INTEGRATION MANUAL

STEP BY STEP GUIDE TO INTEGRATE THE FACEBOOK RESTAURANT & HOTEL TEMPLATE IN FB NEW PAGES AND APP. SYSTEM

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1. CREATE A NORMAL FB ACCOUNT

Create a normal FB Account (if already don't have it) with your real name. This account will be the base account to manage future FB Pages and Apps.

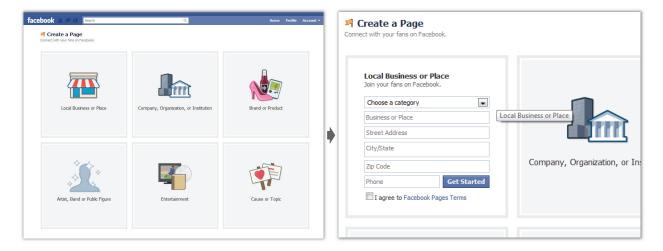


Login with your account.

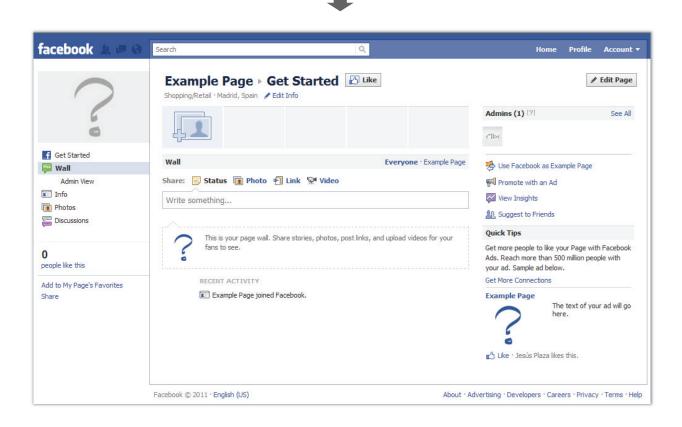
2. CREATE A FACEBOOK PAGE

http://www.facebook.com/pages/create.php

Create a FB Page, using one of the options. If you don't know which sector use, just select "Local Business Page".



Fill the form. The Business or Place will be the name of your FB Page. You will be able to change it once created. Now you have your FB ready.



3. CUSTOMIZE THE TEMPLATE AND UPLOAD IT TO YOUR SERVER

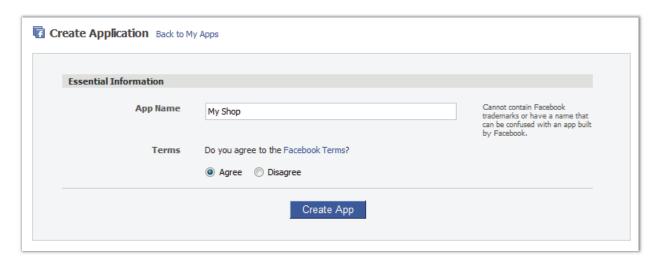
Upload your customized template to your server (just the /deploy folder of the downloaded pack), and keep note of the path where you uploaded it (should be something like http://www.yourdomain.com/fb)

4. VERIFY YOUR DEVELOPER ACCOUNT AND CREATE A NEW APP.

http://www.facebook.com/developers/apps.php

Enter in the FB Developer Page. If you are not verified by FB as a developer, you will need to enter the code that you will receive via SMS Message to your Mobile. If you don't receive the code (it can last even more than 2 days) verify your account using a Credit Card. FB will charge nothing, it just to verify the app. developers.

Create a new Application. + Set Up New App

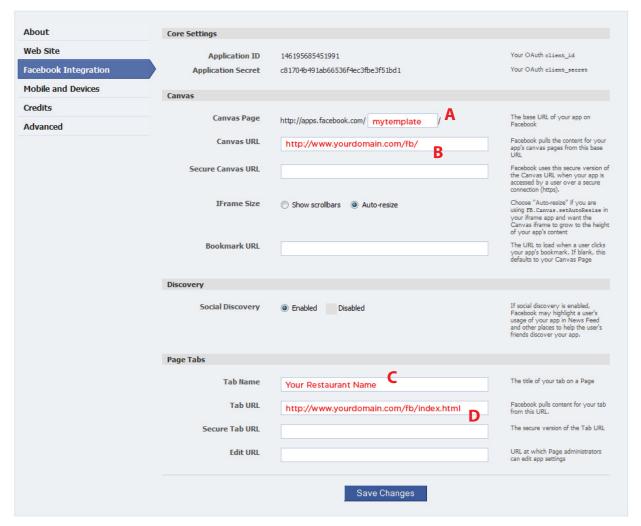




In the next page you will find the "About section" of App. configuration. You will change this global settings (description, thumb, etc.) later. Now Click on "Facebook Integration" Button.

5. CONFIGURATE THE APPLICATION

This is the main core page to configurate the Application, to link it with the template you already setup on your server (step 3). Set the settings as shown below:



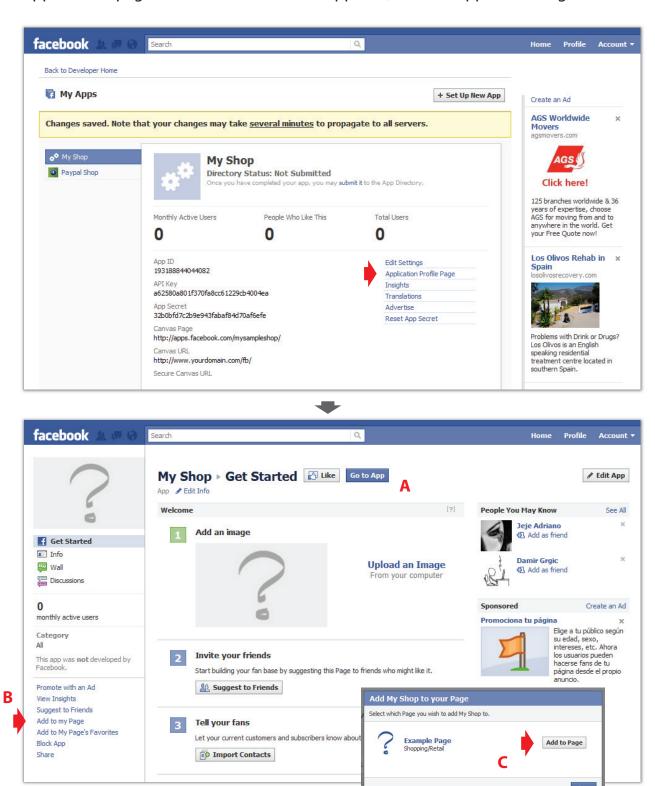
- **A.** Set the ID of your App. This will the path of the full App. inside FB system. It must have more than 7 chars. long.
- **B.** Set here the path on your server where you uploaded the deployed files. Note that it must end with "/".
- **C.** Give a name of the Tab. This is the name that will appear on the link of your FB Page. You can change it later on FB Page settings, Apps menu.
- D. Set here the call html file (with the full path) to the shop. By default is "index.html"
- >> Save the changes.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

If you are receiving http errors while previewing the App, do the following: Rename your index.html to index.php, and upload it to your server. Also, make the same change (html to php) in tab URL field. (C).

6. ADD THE NEW APP. TO YOUR ALREADY CREATED FB PAGE

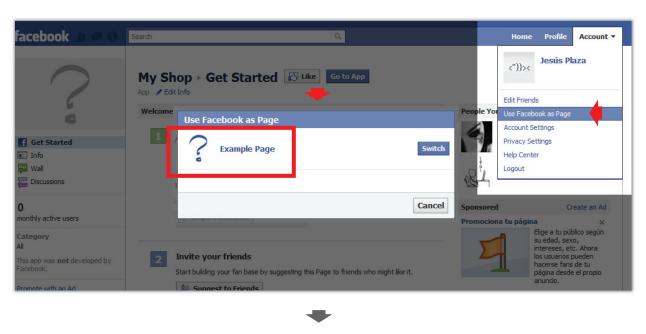
Once you save the changes on settings you will be redirected to the homepage of your applications page. In the menu inside the App. box, click on "App. Profile Page"

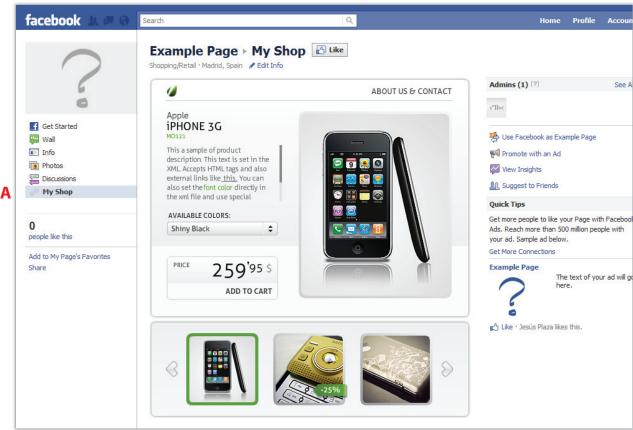


- A. You can preview your app. here, to check if everything is working properly.
- **B.** This is button to add this App. into your FB Pages. Click on it. A floating window (C) will open. Select your FB Page on the list clicking "Add to Page" button.

7. CHECK IF APP. HAS BEEN ADDED TO YOUR PAGE

Once you finished the step 6, adding the App. to your page, go to your FB Page clicking on top right menu, Account > Use Facebook as Page. A new floating window will open, displaying your existing FB Pages. Click on the title to go to that page (note: do not click on "switch" button or you will use the Fb Page as your default FB entry page).



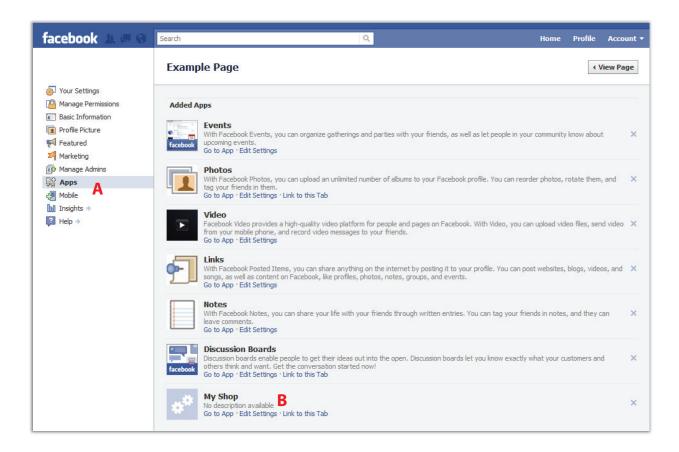


Instead of the old Tabs system, the new FB Pages links to App. in the left menu. Just click on the link (A) and the Facebook Paypal Shop will appear on the right. The URL address that will appear in the browser is the direct link to your new Paypal Shop in FB.

8. SOLVING POSSIBLE ISSUES

If you did all the steps and you can't see the App. link visible on the left menu of your FB Page, try to double check all the settings; if is still not visible, go to the App. Page, delete the one you created and start the process again, creating a new App.

Other way to add the App. is going to the "Edit Page" option inside your FB Page, and then select "Apps" section on left menu (A), then click on the App. you created that should be displayed in the list, click "Edit Settings" (B) and try to add it in the floating window that will appear.



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