



5.8 Configuring Your User Profile

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Configuring Your Voicemail

Calls made directly to your extension number can be forwarded to your voicemail when you cannot answer them. You can record your personalized voicemail greetings and activate/deactivate your voicemail via your Agent Desktop application. Up to three different messages can be recorded and used as greetings in various situations.

Note that the system uses email for [delivery of voicemail messages](#). Before you configure your voicemail settings, make sure that you have an email address specified in *Settings > User Profile > Contact Info > Email*.

Step 1: Navigate to the Forwarding and Voicemail tab of the user profile settings

1. Click **Settings**, select **User Profile**, and click the **Forwarding and Voicemail** tab.
2. Note that this tab contains settings related to call forwarding and voicemail functions. If you do not see any setting related to voicemail, unselect the **Forward all calls...** checkbox first.
3. Notice the fields for *Enable voicemail (requires email address)* and *Send to voicemail after* but do not make changes to them yet. You will come back to these fields after you have recorded your voicemail greetings.

User Profile

Forwarding and Voicemail

Contact Info

Location

Forwarding and Voicemail

Forward all calls for ext. 1004 to: 8888

Forward on no answer after: 10 sec

Enable voicemail (requires email address):

Send to voicemail after: 10 sec

Use the following greeting for voicemail:

<< Not set >> [edit/record](#)

<< Not set >>

<< Not set >>

Ok Cancel

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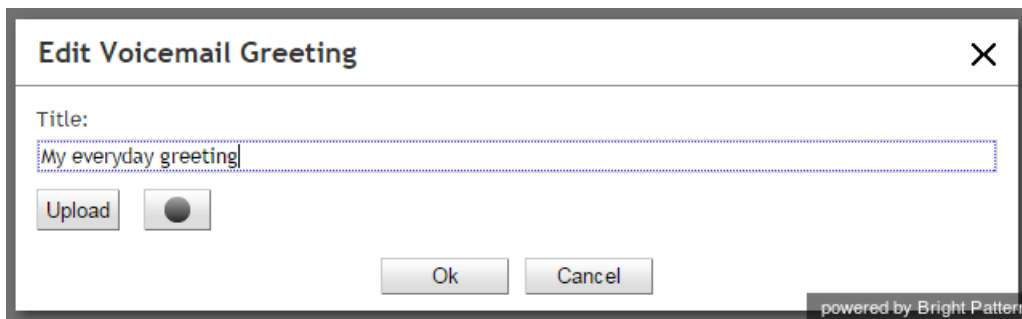
Forwarding and Voicemail Settings

Step 2: Create a personal greeting

The system provides a prerecorded generic voicemail greeting: *The person at extension [your extension number] is not available. Please leave a message after the tone.*

You can replace this generic greeting with a personal greeting recorded in your own voice. (If in doubt whether you may/should use personal greetings, ask your system administrator.)

1. Select the first radio button under the **Use the following voicemail greeting** setting. If you do not have any saved greetings, you will see << **Not set** >> beside the button.
2. Click the **edit/record** link.
3. Prepare the text of your greeting.
4. Put on your headset.
5. In the window that appears, specify the greeting title (e.g., *My everyday greeting*.)
6. Click the **Start recording** button. You will hear a single ringing tone, which indicates the beginning of the recording. The button appearance will change to show the **stop** control.
7. Speak your greeting into the microphone. When you are finished, click the **Stop recording** button.



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Edit Voicemail Greeting" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. Below the title bar, there is a "Title:" label followed by a text input field containing "My everyday greeting". Underneath the input field, there is an "Upload" button and a radio button. At the bottom of the dialog, there are "Ok" and "Cancel" buttons. In the bottom right corner, there is a small logo that says "powered by Bright Pattern".

Creating a personal voicemail greeting

Step 3: Check your recorded greeting

To check your recorded greeting, click the playback button. If you are not satisfied with your greeting, repeat step 1 and step 2 of this process. Otherwise, click **Ok** to confirm. You can review your greeting at any time afterward, change the title, and/or rerecord the greeting itself.

You can prepare up to three different greetings that can be used in various situations (e.g., everyday, travel, vacation). To record another greeting, select an "unused" radio button and repeat the process, starting with step 2.

Step 4: Enable your voicemail

Once all your greetings are recorded, you can enable your voicemail.

1. Use **Send to voicemail after** to specify the no-answer timeout (i.e., the time in seconds after which an incoming call will be forwarded to voicemail when you are logged in and cannot answer it). Note that when you are logged out or if you are logged in with option [No phone](#), incoming calls will be sent to your voicemail immediately regardless of this setting.
2. If you have multiple greetings, under the **Use the following voicemail greeting** setting, select the radio button corresponding to the greeting to be used at this time.
3. Select the **Enable voicemail for ext...** checkbox. Your voicemail is now activated.

Additional Information

1. You can select another personal greeting as your current greeting at any time without disabling and re-enabling your voicemail.
2. Instead of recording your voicemail greetings via the Agent Desktop application, you can record them offline and store them as audio files. The process of configuring your greetings is the same, except for step 3 and step 4; instead of recording controls, you click the **Upload** button and select the desired audio file.
3. All voicemail settings can be preconfigured for you and changed at any time by your system administrator. This includes the upload of greeting audio files, the selection of the current greeting, setting the no-answer timeout, and activation and deactivation of voicemail.
4. [Call forwarding](#) settings take priority over the voicemail settings. A temporary activation of call forwarding will automatically disable the voicemail function; however, your existing voicemail configuration (the no-answer timeout and current greeting) will be preserved and will take effect as soon as call forwarding is deactivated.