Condrey Consulting Corporation Announces Kanaka to provide Novell eDirectory connectivity for Mac OS X Users

KanakaTM provides education and enterprise customers with fully automated access to all NetWare® services including their personal and collaborative storage on NetWare file systems.

Greenville, SC, - August 3, 2004 - Condrey Consulting CorporationTM, (www.condreyconsulting.com), a leader in developing identity based networking solutions, today announced a revolutionary new product, KanakaTM, a Plug-in for Mac OS X that delivers fully automated desktop user access to NetWare services including their personal and collaborative storage.

Kanaka integrates with OS Xs authentication, providing users single sign-in to authenticate to OS X and Novell eDirectory. Kanaka then auto discovers the user's home directory and collaborative storage locations based solely on the user's identity and then auto mounts the storage. Kanaka's auto discovery feature totally eliminates the need for users to know where their storage is located on the network, and the manual process of mapping associations to the storage.

"The University of Georgia, a long time customer of Condrey Consulting Corporation, is excited about the advanced features in Kanaka," said Mike Weaver, Client Services Team, University of Georgia. "By providing the fully automated access to their NetWare storage our Mac users will be able to easily access and share files, making them much more productive".

"We are very excited to be developing this solution for the expanding Mac OS X market," said David Condrey, CEO Condrey Consulting Corporation. "Access to file system resources is vital to NetWare users regardless of their desktop. Kanaka will not only provide this access, but with the ease of use to which Mac users are accustomed".

"With its UNIX-based foundation Mac OS X provides stability, world-class performance and breakthrough innovation making it a perfect platform for the enterprise and education markets," said Ron Okamoto, Apple's vice president of Worldwide Developer Relations. "The eDirectory Plug-in streamlines the integration and interoperability between a Novell infrastructure and Mac OS X enhancing our joint business and education customers' ability to access personal and collaborative data."

Loren Russon, Novell director of product management for Nsure and exteNd, said, "The Novell eDirectory plug-in for Mac OS X helps Novell customers connect their Mac users with Novell's networking services. By taking processes that are manually configured and automating them, the plug-in accelerates the time it takes customers to get their Macintosh machines up and running in an eDirectory environment.""

Kanaka will be available for beta testing in August 2004 and will be shipping in the third quarter of 2004. Mac OS X users who are interested in beta testing can get more

information on the Condrey Consulting Web Site <u>www.condreyconsulting.com</u> or send email with the subject "Kanaka beta" to <u>beta@condreyconsulting.com</u>.

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