

ubuntu drupal

Setup Guide: UD Sidebar

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Installation

To install the module, I will assume you already followed the UD Theme installation guide. From the front page click “Administer.”



In the “Site Building” section click “Modules.”

Site building

Control how your site looks and feels.

Blocks

Configure what block content appears in your site's sidebars and other regions.

Menus

Control your site's navigation menu, primary links and secondary links, as well as rename and reorganize menu items.

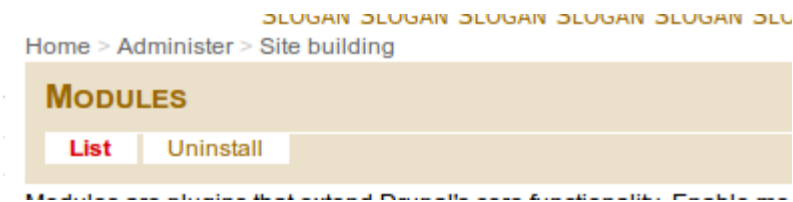
Modules

Enable or disable add-on modules for your site.

Themes

Change which theme your site uses or allows users to set.

You will then be looking at the modules page.



Scroll down to the bottom of the page to see the “Ubuntu Drupal” group of modules.

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Enabled	Name	Version	Description
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ubuntu LoCo Map	6.x	Adds a page to list LoCo areas within a country/world.
<input type="checkbox"/>	UD Header		Adds a block that can be used as a header. Offering various options for each node type.
<input type="checkbox"/>	UD Planet		Mimics PlanetPlanet which hosts planet.ubuntu.com. Depends on: Aggregator (disabled)
<input type="checkbox"/>	UD Release Countdown		Adds a countdown block to your site to show when the next version of Ubuntu will be released.
<input type="checkbox"/>	UD Sidebar		Adds a block that mimics the sidebar on ubuntu.com

Select the “UD Release Sidebar” module and click “Save Configuration.”

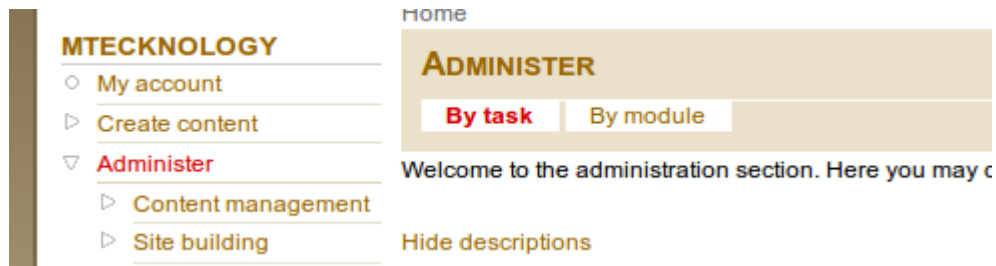
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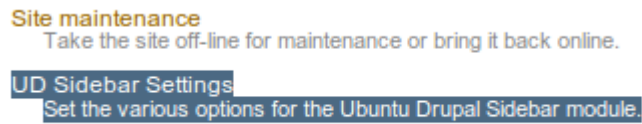
Save configuration

Configuration

Go to the “Administration” page.



Click the “UD Sidebar Settings” link.



You will see the currently existing sidebar options. These are the defaults that are installed when the module is installed.

UD SIDEBAR SETTINGS			
Add Header			
SIDEBAR MAPS			
Title	Image	Position	Edit
Get Ubuntu	ubuntu.png	0	edit
Get Support	support.png	1	edit
Get Involved	get_involved.png	2	edit
Get Developing	developer.png	3	edit

Add Sidebar

To add a sidebar, follow the above and expand the “Header” section.

Box Title:

Give the box a title, this will appear as the top of the text

Box Image:
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Select the image to be used on the side of the sidebar.

Box Title Link:

This is where clicking the box title or image will bring the user

Box Position:

Pick the order object will be displayed.

Text to be displayed as the main content:

The following is just an example of some content. After filling in information, just click “Add.”

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Give the box a title, this will appear as the top of the text

Box Image:
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Select the image to be used on the side of the sidebar.

Box Title Link:

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Box Position:

Pick the order object will be displayed.

Text to be displayed as the main content:

Edit / Delete Sidebar

To alter a sidebar box, click the “edit” link to the right of the box you want to edit.

SIDEBAR MAPS

Title	Image	Position	Edit
Get Ubuntu	ubuntu.png	0	edit
Get Involved	get_involved.png	2	edit
Get Developing	developer.png	3	edit
Ubuntu Drupal	support.png	9	edit

If you want to make changes, you can make them and click Update. If you want to delete the box, click Delete.

Box Title:

Give the box a title, this will appear as the top of the text

Box Image:
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Select the image to be used on the side of the sidebar.

Box Title Link:

This is where clicking the box title or image will bring the user

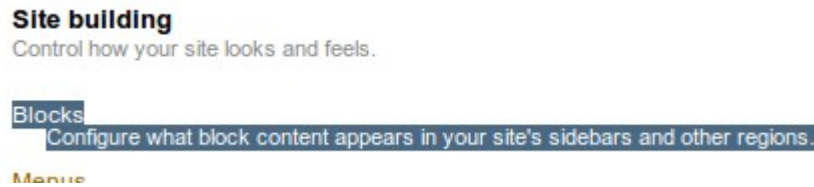
Box Position:

Pick the order object will be displayed.

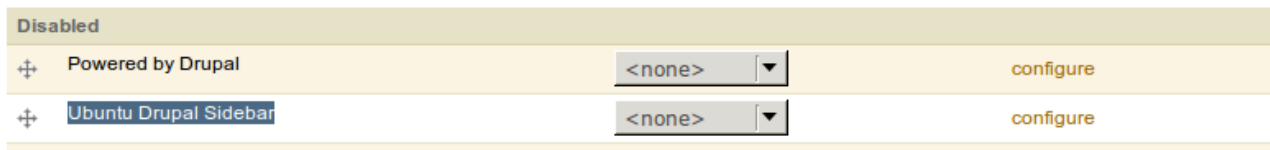
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Configure the Block

To configure the block so it displays on your site, go to the “Administration” page and click the “Blocks” link in the “Site Building” section.



Find the “Ubuntu Drupal Sidebar” block. Select the drop down box to the right of it that currently says “None” and select a region for it. For the example, we will use the “Left Sidebar” region.



You will see the module was moved into this section (region). You can use the handle to adjust its exact location.



Scroll down to the bottom and click “Save Configuration.” After this saves, go to your front page.

[Save blocks](#)

You will now see the block content displayed where you assigned it.



Permissions

This module has permission settings just like any other module. To get to these permissions, go to the “Administration” page and click the “Permissions” link.

User management

Manage your site's users, groups and access to site features.

Access rules

List and create rules to disallow usernames, e-mail addresses, and IP addresses.

Permissions

Determine access to features by selecting permissions for roles.

Roles

List, edit, or add user roles.

User settings

Configure default behavior of users, including registration requirements, e-mails, and user pictures.

Users

List, add, and edit users.

This page is well constructed and well documented in other places. This guide has an example of a basic set of permissions. You can copy these, click “Save Permissions” and tweak as you please.

Permission	anonymous user	authenticated user	administrative user
udcountdown module			
administer udcountdown	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
view udcountdown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
udheader module			
administer udheader	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
view udheader	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
udplanet module			
administer own feeds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
administer udplanet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
view udplanet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
udsidebar module			
administer udsidebar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
view udsidebar	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

[Save permissions](#)