

## Davalen RapidValue Services: IBM WebSphere Portal Development

Since 1993, Davalen, LLC has been a trusted name in collaborative software solutions for the enterprise. Davalen is an **IBM Premier Business Partner** that provides RapidValue Services for **Lotus Domino, WebSphere Portal, Retail & Enterprise Search, and Web Content Management**. The RapidValue Services are designed to ensure clients receive the most value from their investment in IBM software. These services consist of a **customized blend of system architecture, mentoring and implementation assistance**.

### RapidValue Features:

Davalen's RapidValue Services for IBM WebSphere Portal employs a four-step process to quickly allow clients to learn about **portal development, install the software, architect, develop, and manage the portal environment**.

**Step 1:** The senior Davalen architect dedicated to your company will use the **Davalen IBM Web Experience Factory Application Development curriculum** to teach you the correct approach to using **IBM Web Experience Factory (WEF)**.

**Step 2:** The Davalen architect will work with you to **define the architecture** for your portal application and assist in getting the **client environment configured and operational**.

**Step 3:** The architect will assist you in **building the application** by first defining the Services Layer, the Service Consumer layer, and finally the graphics design of the portlets.

**Step 4:** The architect will **remain available** for technical support, code review, and best practices as you rollout your portal solution.

### RapidValue Benefits:

Davalen is there for you **throughout the project life cycle** as you learn to use the product to assist as needed.

The support provided is **tailored to your specific needs**. This allows you to develop the portal as you learn, while maintaining expert technical assistance when you get stuck.

With the ability to supplement your staff, Davalen will assist in the development areas that **require specific or advanced skills to keep a project on track**. Davalen's Technical Staffing Services are available when resource constraints dictate.

The goal of Davalen's RapidValue system for Portal Development is help your teams **develop portals quickly and cost effectively** as well as provide your team with the skills needed to continue with internal resources.



*"We used a Davalen resource as a consultant. After we developed our portlets we reviewed the code with them and received many valuable comments about how to do things and what not to do. We have also had a Davalen resource as a co-developer on our latest project and are very happy with the work they did for us. Davalen consultants are great to work with. They provide excellent service and deliver quality in everything they do."*

### AVAILABLE SERVICES:

- Installation & Configuration
- Architecture
- Project Management
- Development (RAD and WEF)
- Content Management
- Search Functionality
- Administration