

Email Campaign & Form Analytics - WORKING!

System Status

Django Server: Running on <http://127.0.0.1:8000/>

Admin Panel: <http://127.0.0.1:8000/admin/>

All Migrations: Applied successfully

All Models: Created and registered

Email Campaign Tracking (Mailerlite-like)

Features Implemented

1. Email Open Tracking

- 1x1 transparent tracking pixel
- Records every time recipient opens email
- Tracks first_opened_at, last_opened_at, open_count
- IP address and user agent logging

2. Link Click Tracking

- All links in email automatically tracked
- Unique tracking per recipient per link
- Records total clicks and unique clicks
- IP address and user agent for each click

3. Per-Recipient Statistics

- Individual open count for each recipient
- Individual click count for each recipient
- First and last opened timestamps
- Delivery status tracking

4. Per-Link Statistics

- Total clicks per link across all recipients
- Unique recipients who clicked each link
- Click-through rate calculation
- Link-level analytics

5. Campaign-Level Statistics

- Total sent/delivered/failed counts
- Overall open rate percentage
- Overall click rate percentage
- Unique opens vs total opens

- Unique clicks vs total clicks

6. Unsubscribe Functionality

- One-click unsubscribe link in emails
 - Automatic status update to 'unsubscribed'
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Form Analytics System

Features Implemented

1. Form View Tracking

- Session-based tracking
- Device type detection (desktop/mobile/tablet)
- Browser detection
- UTM parameter capture (source, medium, campaign)
- Referrer URL tracking
- IP address logging

2. Field-Level Interaction Tracking

- Time spent on each field
- Number of changes per field
- Field completion tracking
- Helps identify problem fields

3. Conversion Tracking

- Automatic conversion rate calculation
- Total views vs submissions
- Device breakdown (desktop vs mobile submissions)
- Traffic source analysis
- Top performing UTM campaigns

4. Automatic Confirmation Emails

- Send email automatically after form submission
 - Template variable replacement ({{name}}, {{email}}, etc.)
 - Uses FormConfiguration.confirmation_email_template
 - Configurable per form
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Database Models Created

Email Campaign Models

1. **EmailCampaign** - Campaign management with statistics
2. **EmailRecipient** - Individual recipient tracking with tokens

3. **EmailLink** - Per-link click tracking
4. **EmailClick** - Individual click events
5. **EmailOpen** - Individual open events

Form Analytics Models

6. **FormAnalytics** - Aggregate form statistics
7. **FormView** - Individual form view sessions
8. **FormFieldInteraction** - Field-level engagement data

API Endpoints

Email Tracking

```
GET /track/email/open/<token>/
- Returns 1x1 transparent PNG
- Records email open event

GET /track/email/click/<link_token>/<recipient_token>/
- Records click event
- Redirects to original URL

GET /track/email/unsubscribe/<token>/
- Unsubscribes recipient
- Returns confirmation message
```

Form Analytics

```
POST /track/form/view/<form_id>/
- Records form view
- Body: {
  "session_id": "string",
  "device_type": "desktop|mobile|tablet",
  "browser": "string",
  "ip_address": "string",
  "referrer": "string",
  "utm_source": "string",
  "utm_medium": "string",
  "utm_campaign": "string"
}

POST /track/form/interaction/<form_id>/
- Records field interaction
- Body: {
  "session_id": "string",
  "field_name": "string",
  "time_spent": 10,
```

```
"changes_count": 3,  
"completed": true  
}
```

How to Use

Creating an Email Campaign

1. Go to Admin Panel

- Navigate to `http://127.0.0.1:8000/admin/`
- Login with your admin credentials

2. Create Email Campaign

- Click "Email campaigns" → "Add"
- Fill in:
 - * Name: "Newsletter January 2026"
 - * Subject: "Check out our latest updates!"
 - * Body: HTML content with links
 - * Event: Select event (optional)
 - * Track Opens: ✓
 - * Track Clicks: ✓
- Save

3. Add Recipients

- Click "Email recipients" → "Add"
- Select the campaign
- Enter email address and name
- Save (tracking_token generated automatically)
- Repeat for all recipients

4. Send Campaign (Python)

```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import send_campaign  
  
# Send to all recipients  
send_campaign(campaign_id=1)
```

5. View Statistics

- Go to "Email campaigns" in admin
- See Open Rate, Click Rate columns
- Click campaign → View detailed stats
- Check "Email opens" for individual opens
- Check "Email clicks" for individual clicks

Tracking Form Analytics

1. Configure Form

```
from dashboard.models_form import FormConfiguration

form = FormConfiguration.objects.get(id=YOUR_FORM_ID)
form.send_confirmation_email = True
form.confirmation_email_template = email_template # Select template
form.save()
```

2. Frontend Integration

```
// When form loads
fetch('/track/form/view/FORM_ID/', {
  method: 'POST',
  headers: {'Content-Type': 'application/json'},
  body: JSON.stringify({
    session_id: 'unique_session_id',
    device_type: 'desktop',
    browser: 'Chrome',
    utm_source: 'facebook',
    utm_medium: 'cpc',
    utm_campaign: 'summer_sale'
  })
});

// When user interacts with field
fetch('/track/form/interaction/FORM_ID/', {
  method: 'POST',
  headers: {'Content-Type': 'application/json'},
  body: JSON.stringify({
    session_id: 'unique_session_id',
    field_name: 'email',
    time_spent: 5,
    changes_count: 2,
    completed: true
  })
});
```

3. View Analytics

- Go to "Form analytics" in admin
- See conversion rates, device breakdown
- Check "Form views" for session details
- Check "Form field interactions" for field problems

Testing the System

Test Email Tracking

1. Create Test Campaign

```
from dashboard.models_email import EmailCampaign, EmailRecipient

campaign = EmailCampaign.objects.create(
    name="Test Campaign",
    subject="Test Email",
    body="""
    <h1>Hello!</h1>
    <p>This is a test email.</p>
    <a href="https://example.com">Click here</a>
    """,
    track_opens=True,
    track_clicks=True
)

recipient = EmailRecipient.objects.create(
    campaign=campaign,
    email="test@example.com",
    name="Test User"
)
```

2. Send Test Email

```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import send_campaign_email
send_campaign_email(recipient)
```

3. Test Tracking URLs

```
# Open tracking (copy recipient.tracking_token)
http://127.0.0.1:8000/track/email/open/RECIPIENT_TOKEN/
```

```
# Click tracking (get tokens from EmailLink model)
http://127.0.0.1:8000/track/email/click/LINK_TOKEN/RECIPIENT_TOKEN/
```

4. Check Statistics

```
# Refresh from database
recipient.refresh_from_db()
print(f"Opens: {recipient.open_count}")
print(f"Clicks: {recipient.click_count}")

campaign.refresh_from_db()
print(f"Open Rate: {campaign.get_open_rate()}%")
print(f"Click Rate: {campaign.get_click_rate()}%")
```

File Structure

```
makeplus_api/
├── dashboard/
│   ├── models_email.py      # Email campaign models
│   ├── models_form.py      # Form analytics models
│   ├── views_tracking.py    # Tracking endpoints
│   ├── urls_tracking.py     # Tracking URL routes
│   ├── utils_campaign.py    # Campaign utilities
│   └── admin.py             # Admin registrations
├── makeplus_api/
│   ├── settings.py          # Email config added
│   └── urls.py              # Tracking routes included
└── migrations/
    └── 0006_...             # All tracking tables
```

Configuration

Email Settings (in settings.py)

```
# SMTP Configuration
EMAIL_BACKEND = 'django.core.mail.backends.smtp.EmailBackend'
EMAIL_HOST = config('EMAIL_HOST', default='localhost')
EMAIL_PORT = config('EMAIL_PORT', default=587, cast=int)
EMAIL_USE_TLS = config('EMAIL_USE_TLS', default=True, cast=bool)
EMAIL_HOST_USER = config('EMAIL_HOST_USER', default='')
EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD = config('EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD', default='')
DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL = config('DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL',
default='noreply@makeplus.com')
```

```
# Site URL for tracking links
SITE_URL = config('SITE_URL', default='http://127.0.0.1:8000')
```

Environment Variables (.env)

```
EMAIL_HOST=smtp.gmail.com
EMAIL_PORT=587
EMAIL_USE_TLS=True
EMAIL_HOST_USER=your-email@gmail.com
EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD=your-app-password
DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL=noreply@makeplus.com
SITE_URL=https://yourdomain.com
```

Utility Functions

Send Campaign to All Recipients

```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import send_campaign

# Sends to all recipients in campaign
result = send_campaign(campaign_id=1)
print(f"Sent: {result['sent']}, Failed: {result['failed']}")
```

Send to Single Recipient

```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import send_campaign_email
from dashboard.models_email import EmailRecipient

recipient = EmailRecipient.objects.get(id=1)
send_campaign_email(recipient)
```

Process Links for Tracking

```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import process_email_links_for_tracking

links = process_email_links_for_tracking(campaign)
print(f"Found {len(links)} links in email")
```

Send Form Confirmation


```
from dashboard.utils_campaign import send_form_confirmation_email

send_form_confirmation_email(
    form_submission=submission,
    recipient_email="user@example.com",
    context={'name': 'John', 'email': 'john@example.com'}
)
```

Admin Panel Features

EmailCampaign Admin

- List display: Name, Event, Status, Total Sent, Opens, Clicks, Open Rate, Click Rate
- Filters: Status, Event, Created Date, Track Opens, Track Clicks
- Search: Name, Subject, From Email
- Readonly: Statistics fields, timestamps

EmailRecipient Admin

- List display: Email, Campaign, Status, Open Count, Click Count, Sent Date, First Opened
- Filters: Status, Campaign, Sent Date
- Search: Email, Name, Tracking Token

EmailLink Admin

- List display: URL, Campaign, Total Clicks, Unique Clicks, Click Rate
- Filters: Campaign, Created Date
- Search: URL, Tracking Token

FormAnalytics Admin

- List display: Form, Total Views, Total Submissions, Conversion Rate, Last Updated
- Filters: Form, Last Updated
- Search: Form Name

💎 Key Features Summary

- ✓ **Email Open Tracking** - Pixel-based tracking like Mailerlite
- ✓ **Link Click Tracking** - Every link tracked individually
- ✓ **Per-Recipient Stats** - Detailed metrics for each person
- ✓ **Per-Link Stats** - Click-through rates for each URL
- ✓ **Campaign Statistics** - Overall open/click rates
- ✓ **Form View Tracking** - Session-based analytics
- ✓ **Field Interaction Tracking** - Identify problem fields
- ✓ **Conversion Tracking** - Automatic rate calculation
- ✓ **Device/Browser Analytics** - Understand your audience

- ✓ **UTM Campaign Tracking** - Track marketing effectiveness
 - ✓ **Auto Confirmation Emails** - Send after form submission
 - ✓ **Template Variables** - {{name}}, {{email}} replacement
 - ✓ **Unsubscribe Links** - One-click opt-out
 - ✓ **Admin Dashboard** - Beautiful statistics display
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Next Steps

1. Configure Production Email

- Set up SMTP credentials in .env
- Test email delivery

2. Integrate Frontend

- Add form view tracking
- Add field interaction tracking
- Implement session ID generation

3. Create Email Templates

- Design professional email templates
- Add unsubscribe links
- Test across email clients

4. Set Up Celery (Optional)

- Background task processing
- Scheduled campaign sending
- Better performance for large campaigns

5. Add Email Verification

- Verify recipient email addresses
 - Bounce handling
 - Spam prevention
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Support

For issues or questions:

- Check Django admin logs
 - Review terminal output for errors
 - Verify email configuration in .env
 - Test tracking URLs directly in browser
 - Check database for recorded events
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Status: ☒ FULLY IMPLEMENTED AND WORKING

Server:  RUNNING

Database: ☒ MIGRATED

Admin Panel: ☒ ACCESSIBLE