

Web3 Unleashed: How to Add Notifications to Your DApp

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Overview

Our full-stack NFT rental marketplace is done! We created a [rentable NFT](#) , wrote a [rental marketplace smart contract](#) , and built a [frontend](#) to tie it all together.

In this guide, we'll be adding some details to improve the user experience: using Push to send decentralized notifications whenever a user's rental has expired. Additionally, we'll be using ganache forking to test our contracts and interact with the Push contracts locally before deploying to an actual testnet or mainnet.

Watch the livestream on [YouTube](#) for a more in-depth walkthrough and to hear from core dev, Fabio, about how Push is changing up Web3 communication!

The completed code lives [here](#) .

NOTE: We are only interacting with the smart contracts, so you can ignore the client folder.

Download System Requirements

You'll need to install:

- [Node.js](#)
- , v14 or higher
- [truffle](#)
- [ganache CLI](#)

Create an Infura account and project

To connect your DApp to Ethereum mainnet and testnets, you'll need an Infura account. Sign up for an account [here](#) .

Once you're signed in, create a project! Let's call it rentable-nft-marketplace , and select Web3 API from the dropdown.

Register for a MetaMask wallet

To interact with your DApp in the browser, you'll need a MetaMask wallet. You can download it and create one [here](#) .

Download VS Code

Feel free to use whatever IDE you want, but we highly recommend using VS Code! You can run through most of this tutorial using the Truffle extension to create, build, and deploy your smart contracts, all without using the CLI! You can read more about it [here](#) .

Get Some Test Eth

In order to deploy to the public testnets, you'll need some test Eth to cover your gas fees has a great MultiFaucet that deposits funds across 8 different networks all at once.

Set Up Your Project

We'll be starting with the marketplace contracts we wrote in [episode 4](#) . Go ahead and clone the main project [here](#) .

Since we're only interacting with the smart contracts in this tutorial, we'll just go to the truffle folder and install our dependencies.

```
cd
```

```
unleashed_nft_rental_marketplace/truffle npm i
```

Create a Channel in Push

In order to send notifications, we need to create a channel for users to subscribe to. To create a channel, see the Push docs [here](#). In this guide, we are only building on Ethereum, so ignore any instructions for multi-chain channels. Additionally, we are deploying on Goerli and NOT multi-chain, so make sure you're creating your channel through the [staging dapp](#) - NOT the prod dapp. Do note that you'll need 50 Goerli PUSH in order to deploy your channel! Their staging dapp has a link that will send some to your wallet.

Note that the address of your channel is the account address you deployed with. Additionally, you can only have one channel per address.

Create IPUSHCommInterface.sol



In order to send notifications from our marketplace smart contract, we need to interact with Push's deployed contracts. First, we'll create a `IPUSHCommInterface` interface contract to be able to call those methods.

truffle create contract IPUSHCommInterface Then, copy and paste in this code:

```
// PUSH Comm Contract Interface interface
```

```
IPUSHCommInterface
```

```
{
```

```
function
```

```
sendNotification ( address
```

```
_channel ,
```

```
address
```

```
_recipient ,
```

```
bytes
```

```
calldata
```

```
_identity )
```

```
external ; }
```

Call sendNotification



Now that we have the interface contract, we can go ahead and call `sendNotification` on Push's deployed contract to alert our users that their rental was unlisted.

We want to notify the user which NFT was unlisted in the notification message, which is of type string. However, it's not straightforward to convert the `address` type into a string type. Luckily, OpenZeppelin provides the `Strings` library to help with these types of conversions. Import it at the top of the `Marketplace` contract:

```
import
```

```
"@openzeppelin/contracts/utils/Strings.sol" ; Then, to construct the notification message, add the following code before we clean up the Marketplace data in unlistNFT.
```

```
string
```

```
memory
```

```
body
```

```
=
```

```
string . concat ( "Your NFT rental from " ,
```

```
Strings . toHexString ( nftContract ),
```

```

" with tokenId " ,
Strings . toString ( tokenId ),
" has expired." ); if
( msg . sender
==
listing . owner )
{
string . concat ( body ,
" Your rental NFT was unlisted by the owner, so you have been refunded " ,
Strings . toString ( refund ),
" ETH." ); } Afterwards, call sendNotification afterwards:
IPUSHCommInterface ( address ( 0xb3971BCef2D791bc4027BbfedFb47319A4AAaaAa ) ). sendNotification (
address ( YOUR_CHANNEL_ADDRESS ),
// from channel - recommended to set channel via dApp and put it's value -> then once contract is deployed, go back and
add the contract address as delegate for your channel
listing . user ,
// to recipient, put address(this) in case you want Broadcast or Subset. For Targetted put the address to which you want to
send
bytes (
string (
// We are passing identity here: https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/identity/payload-identity-implementations
abi . encodePacked (
"0" ,
// this is notification identity: https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/identity/payload-identity-implementations
"+" ,
// segregator
"3" ,
// this is payload type: https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/payload (1, 3 or 4) = (Broadcast, targetted or subset)
"+" ,
// segregator
"Your NFT rental has expired" ,
// this is notification title
"+" ,
// segregator
body
// notification body
)

```

)

); Note that 0xb3971BCef2D791bc4027BbfedFb47319A4AAaaAa is the address for the Push contract deployed on Goerli. If you're not deploying on Goerli, you can find the appropriate smart contract address for your desired chain [here](#) . You'll be using the address listed under EPNS CommV1 .

The final `unlistNFT` function looks like this:

```
// function to unlist your rental, refunding the user for any lost time function
```

```
unlistNFT ( address
nftContract ,
uint256
tokenId )
public
payable
nonReentrant
{
Listing
storage
listing
=
_listingMap [ nftContract ][ tokenId ];
require ( listing . owner
!=
address ( 0 ),
"This NFT is not listed" );
require ( listing . owner
==
msg . sender
||
_marketOwner
==
msg . sender
,
"Not approved to unlist NFT" );
// fee to be returned to user if unlisted before rental period is up
// nothing to refund if no renter
uint256
refund
=
0 ;
```

```

if
( listing . user
!=
address ( 0 ))
{
refund
=
(( listing . expires
-
block . timestamp )
/
60
/
60
/
24
+
1 )
*
listing . pricePerDay ;
require ( msg . value
=
refund ,
"Not enough ether to cover refund" );
payable ( listing . user ). transfer ( refund );
}
string
memory
body
=
string . concat ( "Your NFT rental from " ,
Strings . toHexString ( nftContract ),
" with tokenId " ,
Strings . toString ( tokenId ),
" has expired." );
if
( msg . sender

```

==

listing . owner)

{

string . concat (body ,

" Your rental NFT was unlisted by the owner, so you have been refunded " ,

Strings . toString (refund),

" ETH.");

}

IPUSHCommInterface (address (0xb3971BCef2D791bc4027BbfedFb47319A4AAaaAa)). sendNotification (

address (0xA31618621805C9215B5Ade58EB09dBA8f32Bbdb8),

// from channel - recommended to set channel via dApp and put it's value -> then once contract is deployed, go back and add the contract address as delegate for your channel

listing . user ,

// to recipient, put address(this) in case you want Broadcast or Subset. For Targetted put the address to which you want to send

bytes (

string (

// We are passing identity here: <https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/identity/payload-identity-implementations>

abi . encodePacked (

"0" ,

// this is notification identity: <https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/identity/payload-identity-implementations>

"+" ,

// segregator

"3" ,

// this is payload type: <https://docs.epns.io/developers/developer-guides/sending-notifications/advanced/notification-payload-types/payload> (1, 3 or 4) = (Broadcast, targetted or subset)

"+" ,

// segregator

"Your NFT rental has expired" ,

// this is notification title

"+" ,

// segregator

body

// notification body

)

)

)

);

```
// clean up data
IERC4907 ( nftContract ). setUser ( tokenId ,
address ( 0 ),
0 );
EnumerableSet . remove ( _nftContractTokensMap [ nftContract ],
tokenId );
delete
_listingMap [ nftContract ][ tokenId ];
if
( EnumerableSet . length ( _nftContractTokensMap [ nftContract ])
==
0 )
{
EnumerableSet . remove ( _nftContracts ,
nftContract );
}
_nftsListed . decrement ();
emit
NFTUnlisted (
msg . sender ,
nftContract ,
tokenId ,
refund
); }
```

Deploy the Marketplace contract and add it as a delegate ¶

In order for the contract address to send a notification, it needs to be set as a delegate by Push. To do so, follow the instructions [here](#) .

First, we need to deploy the contract onto Goerli. We can do this with [Truffle Dashboard](#) . Connect to Goerli with MetaMask after bringing up Dashboard.

truffle dashboard truffle migrate --network dashboard Then, add the deployed contract address as delegate through the staging dapp you created your channel in.

Test notifications locally ¶

Because ourMarketplace contract now interacts with the Push contract on Goerli, we have to run our tests against a forked version of Ganache. We can do so without any configuration, due to Infura's free archive node access. Spin it up in a different terminal:

ganache --fork goerli Then, in our tests, we need to reference the specific contract addresses we just deployed on Goerli. You can do so by replacingMarketplace.deployed() andRentableNft.deployed() with the following:

```
marketplace
```

```
=
```

await

Marketplace . at ("MARKETPLACE_GOERLI_ADDRESS"); rentableNft

=

await

RentableNft . at ("NFT_GOERLI_ADDRESS"); Additionally, you'll need to replaceMARKETPLACE_OWNER with the actual address you deployed your contracts with.

Your final test code should look like this:

```
require ( "@openzeppelin/test-helpers/configure" )({
```

```
  provider :
```

```
  web3 . currentProvider ,
```

```
  singletons :
```

```
{
```

```
  abstraction :
```

```
  "truffle" ,
```

```
}, }); const
```

```
{
```

```
  balance ,
```

```
  constants ,
```

```
  ether ,
```

```
  expectRevert ,
```

```
  expectEvent
```

```
}
```

```
=
```

```
require ( '@openzeppelin/test-helpers' ); const
```

```
Marketplace
```

```
=
```

```
artifacts . require ( "Marketplace" ); const
```

```
RentableNft
```

```
=
```

```
artifacts . require ( "RentableNft" ); const
```

```
TODAY
```

```
=
```

```
Math . floor ( Date . now () / 1000 ); const
```

```
TODAY_2
```

```
=
```

```
TODAY
```

```
+
```

```
( 60 * 60 ); const
```


YESTERDAY

=

TODAY

-

(24 * 60 * 60); const

TOMORROW

=

TODAY

+

(24 * 60 * 60); const

IN_FIVE_DAYS

=

TODAY

+

(24 * 60 * 60 * 5); function

assertListing (actual ,

expected)

{

assert . equal (actual . owner ,

expected . owner ,

"Owner is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . user ,

expected . user ,

"User is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . nftContract ,

expected . nftContract ,

"NFT contract is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . tokenId ,

expected . tokenId ,

"TokenId is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . pricePerDay ,

expected . pricePerDay ,

"Price per day is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . startDateUNIX ,

expected . startDateUNIX ,

"Start date is not correct");

assert . equal (actual . endDateUNIX ,

```

expected . endDateUNIX ,
"End date is not correct" );
assert . equal ( actual . expires ,
expected . expires ,
"Expires date is not correct" ); } async
function
assertNFT ( nftContractInstance ,
tokenId ,
expectedUser ,
expectedExpires )
{
let
user
=
await
nftContractInstance . userOf . call ( tokenId );
let
expires
=
await
nftContractInstance . userExpires . call ( tokenId );
assert . equal ( user ,
expectedUser ,
"User is not correct" );
assert . equal ( expires ,
expectedExpires ,
"Expires date is incorrect" ); } // EnumerableSet makes no guarantee about ordering, so we have to find the matching
tokenId function
getListing ( listings ,
tokenId )
{
let
listing
=
{};
listings . every (( _listing )
=>
{

```

```
if
( _listing . tokenId
==
tokenId )
{
listing
=
_listing ;
return
false ;
}
else
{
return
true ;
}
});
return
listing } function
listingToString ( listing )
{
let
listingCopy
=
{... listing };
listingCopy . tokenId
=
listing . tokenId . toString ();
listingCopy . pricePerDay
=
listing . pricePerDay . toString ();
listingCopy . startDateUNIX
=
listing . startDateUNIX . toString ();
listingCopy . endDateUNIX
=
listing . endDateUNIX . toString ();
```

```
listingCopy . expires
=
listing . expires . toString ();
if
( "rentalFee"
in
listing )
{
listingCopy . rentalFee
=
listing . rentalFee . toString ();
} } contract ( "Marketplace" ,
function
( accounts )
{
const
MARKETPLACE_OWNER
=
"YOUR_ACCOUNT_ADDRESS" ;
const
TOKEN_OWNER
=
accounts [ 1 ];
const
USER
=
accounts [ 2 ];
let
marketplace ;
let
rentableNft ;
let
nftContract ;
let
listingFee ;
let
tokenID1 ;
```

```

let
tokenId2 ;

let
tokenId3 ;

before ( 'should reuse variables' ,

async

()

=>

{

marketplace

=

await

Marketplace . at ( "MARKETPLACE_GOERLI_ADDRESS" );

rentableNft

=

await

RentableNft . at ( "NFT_GOERLI_ADDRESS" );

nftContract

=

rentableNft . address ;

listingFee

=

( await

marketplace . getListingFee () ). toString ();

// mint nfts for testing

tokenId1

=

( await

rentableNft . mint ( "fakeURI" ,

{ from :

TOKEN_OWNER } ) ). logs [ 0 ]. args . tokenId . toNumber ();

tokenId2

=

( await

rentableNft . mint ( "fakeURI" ,

{ from :

TOKEN_OWNER } ) ). logs [ 0 ]. args . tokenId . toNumber ();

```

```

tokenId3
=
( await
rentableNft . mint ( "fakeURI" ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER })). logs [ 0 ]. args . tokenId . toNumber ();
});
it ( "should list nfts" ,
async
function
()
{
let
tracker
=
await
balance . tracker ( MARKETPLACE_OWNER );
await
tracker . get ();
let
txn
=
await
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenId1 ,
ether ( "1" ),
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee });
assert . equal ( await
tracker . delta (),
listingFee ,
"Listing fee not transferred" );
let

```

```

expectedListing
=
{
owner :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
user :
constants . ZERO_ADDRESS ,
nftContract :
nftContract ,
tokenId :
tokenId1 ,
pricePerDay :
ether ( "1" ),
startDateUNIX :
TOMORROW ,
endDateUNIX :
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
expires :
0
};

assertListing ( getListing ( await
marketplace . getAllListings . call ( ),
tokenId1 ),
expectedListing );

expectEvent ( txn ,
"NFTListed" ,
listingToString ( expectedListing ));

await
tracker . get ();

txn
=
await
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenId2 ,
ether ( ".5" ),
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,

```

```
{ from :  
  TOKEN_OWNER ,  
  value :  
    listingFee });  
assert . equal ( await  
  tracker . delta (),  
  listingFee ,  
  "Listing fee not transferred" );  
expectedListing . tokenId  
=  
tokenId2 ;  
expectedListing . pricePerDay  
=  
ether ( ".5" );  
expectedListing . startDateUNIX  
=  
TOMORROW ;  
expectedListing . endDateUNIX  
=  
IN_FIVE_DAYS ;  
expectedListing . expires  
=  
0 ;  
assertListing ( getListing ( await  
  marketplace . getAllListings . call (),  
  tokenId2 ),  
  expectedListing );  
expectEvent ( txn ,  
  "NFTListed" ,  
  listingToString ( expectedListing ));  
});  
it ( "should validate listings" ,  
  async  
  function  
  ()  
  {  
    await
```



```

expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( marketplace . address ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee } ),
"Contract is not an ERC4907"
);
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
accounts [ 2 ],
value :
listingFee } ),
"Not owner of nft"
);
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER } ),
"Not enough ether for listing fee"
);
await

```

```

expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
0 ,
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee } ),
"Rental price should be greater than 0"
);
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
YESTERDAY ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee } ),
"Start date cannot be in the past"
);
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
YESTERDAY ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee } ),
"End date cannot be before the start date"

```

```

);
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
1 ,
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee } ),
"This NFT has already been listed"
);
});
it ( "should modify listings and nft contract when nft is rented" ,
async
function
()
{
assertNFT ( rentableNft ,
tokenID1 ,
constants . ZERO_ADDRESS ,
0 );
assertNFT ( rentableNft ,
tokenID2 ,
constants . ZERO_ADDRESS ,
0 );
let
tracker
=
await
balance . tracker ( TOKEN_OWNER );
await
tracker . get ();
let
txn

```

```
=
await
marketplace . rentNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID1 ,
TODAY_2 ,
{ from :
USER ,
value :
ether ( "1" )});
// 1 day rental, pricePerDay is 1
assert . equal (( await
tracker . delta ()). toString (),
ether ( "1" ). toString (),
"One day rental fee is not correct" );
let
listing
=
getListing ( await
marketplace . getAllListings . call (),
tokenID1 );
let
expectedListing
=
{
owner :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
user :
USER ,
nftContract :
nftContract ,
tokenId :
tokenID1 ,
pricePerDay :
ether ( "1" ),
startDateUNIX :
TOMORROW ,
endDateUNIX :
```

```

IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
expires :
TODAY_2 ,
rentalFee :
1
};

assertListing ( listing ,
expectedListing );

assertNFT ( rentableNft ,
tokenId1 ,
USER ,
TODAY_2 );

expectEvent ( txn ,
"NFTRented" ,
listingToString ( expectedListing ));

await
tracker . get ();

txn
=
await
marketplace . rentNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenId2 ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
USER ,
value :
ether ( "2.5" )});

assert . equal (( await
tracker . delta ()). toString (),
ether ( "2.5" ). toString (),
"Five day rental fee is not correct" );

listing
=
getListing ( await
marketplace . getAllListings . call (),
tokenId2 );

expectedListing . tokenId

```

```

=
tokenId2 ;

expectedListing . pricePerDay

=

ether ( ".5" );

expectedListing . expires

=

IN_FIVE_DAYS ;

expectedListing . rentalFee

=

ether ( "2.5" );

assertListing ( listing ,
expectedListing );
assertNFT ( rentableNft ,
tokenId2 ,
USER ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS );
expectEvent ( txn ,
"NFTRented" ,
listingToString ( expectedListing ));
});

it ( "should validate rentals" ,
async
function
()
{
await
expectRevert (
marketplace . rentNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenId1 ,
TODAY_2 ,
{ from :
USER ,
value :
ether ( "1" )}),
"NFT already rented"
);

```

```

await
marketplace . listNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID3 ,
ether ( "1" ),
TOMORROW ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
listingFee });

await
expectRevert (
marketplace . rentNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID3 ,
IN_FIVE_DAYS
+
1000 ,
{ from :
USER ,
value :
ether ( "2.5" )}),
"Rental period exceeds max date rentable"
);

await
expectRevert (
marketplace . rentNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID3 ,
TOMORROW ,
{ from :
USER })),
"Not enough ether to cover rental period"
);
});

it ( "should validate unlisting" ,
async
function
()

```

```
{
  await
  expectRevert (
    marketplace . unlistNFT ( nftContract ,
      10000 ,
      { from :
        TOKEN_OWNER ,
        value :
          ether ( "2.5" )}},
      "This NFT is not listed"
    );
  await
  expectRevert (
    marketplace . unlistNFT ( nftContract ,
      tokenID2 ,
      { from :
        USER ,
        value :
          ether ( "2.5" )}},
      "Not approved to unlist NFT"
    );
  await
  expectRevert (
    marketplace . unlistNFT ( nftContract ,
      tokenID2 ,
      { from :
        TOKEN_OWNER }},
      "Not enough ether to cover refund"
    );
  });
  it ( "should refund USER and cleanup listings if unlisted" ,
    async
    function
    ()
    {
      let
      tracker
```



```

=
await
balance . tracker ( USER );
await
tracker . get ();
let
txn
=
await
marketplace . unlistNFT ( nftContract ,
tokenID2 ,
{ from :
TOKEN_OWNER ,
value :
ether ( "2.5" )});
assert . equal (( await
tracker . delta ()). toString (),
ether ( "2.5" ),
"Refunded amount is not correct" );
let
listing
=
getListing ( await
marketplace . getAllListings . call (),
tokenID2 );
assert . equal ( Object . keys ( listing ). length ,
0 ,
"NFT was not unlisted" );
assertNFT ( rentableNft ,
tokenID2 ,
constants . ZERO_ADDRESS ,
0 );
expectEvent ( txn ,
"NFTUnlisted" ,
{
unlistSender :
TOKEN_OWNER ,

```

```
nftContract :
```

```
nftContract ,
```

```
tokenId :
```

```
tokenId2 . toString (),
```

```
refund :
```

```
ether ( "2.5" )
```

```
});
```

```
}); }); In order to use our forked ganache, let's specify a network in truffle-config.js . Add the following under networks:
```

```
goerldev :
```

```
{
```

```
network_id :
```

```
"**",
```

```
port :
```

```
8545 ,
```

```
host :
```

```
"127.0.0.1" } Then, you can run your tests as follows:
```

```
truffle test
```

```
--network goerldev
```

Try it out for real

Now, if you want to actually try it out on Goerli. You can run the `truffle/scripts/run.js` script we wrote before. You'll need to make some modifications so that we use the contracts we just deployed.

Like we did for the tests, replace your NFT and Marketplace contract abstractions with:

```
RentableNft . at ( "NFT_GOERLI_ADDRESS" ); Marketplace . at ( "MARKETPLACE_GOERLI_ADDRESS" ); Additionally, change the user address to whatever address you mint your NFT with. Then, run the scripts as follows:
```

```
truffle exec
```

```
scripts/run.js --network dashboard You'll be stepping through multiple transactions, which you can see being called in the Dashboard view.
```

To check that notifications were sent in the `unsubscribeNFT` call, you can follow Push's instructions [here](#) .

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