

# Cinnamon Boards | WordPress Plugin

version 3.2

**Cinammon Boards** is a WordPress forum plugin with a light footprint, responsive structure and user accessibility. The forum uses custom post types and all information is structured as a forum (categories, forums and topics). It can easily be integrated into any theme without losing any of its functionality.

**Cinnamon Boards** acts like a real forum, with categories, forums, topics, threads and messages, but it is heavily integrated into WordPress, taking advantage of the user/author system, Akismet and theme blending.

**Cinnamon Boards** works out of the box, with no options to set, except for the creation of categories and forums.

## Installation

1. Upload the **boards** folder to your '/wp-content/plugins/' directory.
2. Activate the plugin via the Plugins menu in WordPress.
3. A new **Cinnamon Boards** menu will appear in WordPress containing all categories, forums and topics.

The installation procedure is simple. When you first install the plugin, a new empty page - **Forums** - is created with the shortcode tag `[display-forum]` inside. Feel free to add a custom template to this page.

If you want to use a different page for the forums, just place the `[display-forum]` shortcode in the desired page, however it is recommended to keep the current page. If you already have a `/forums/` page, the plugin will create a `/forums-2/` page, so it is recommended to delete any existing forum page and deactivate any forum plugin.

## Usage

Use the links inside the plugin options to create your first category, then create one or more forums inside it.

## Categories

[Add New](#)

[Cinnamon Dashboard](#) | [Add new category](#) | [Add new forum](#) | [Add new topic](#)

### Add New Category

Category Title

Category Position/Order

Published

Initial Category Status

Category Description

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# Forums

Add New

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Showcase, portfolios and other external resources

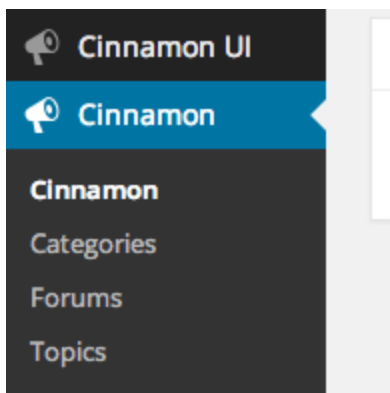
Forum Parent

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Save

Topics can be edited from the Topics screen or from frontend, if you are a forum administrator or moderator.



## Features

- HTML5 compliant
- Works with all themes
- Responsive
- Ready to translate