



Zammad

Installation & Basics



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- What is Zammad
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- Working with the App
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What is Zammad?

- Zammad is a Helpdesk / Support platform for satisfied customer service
- Open and fast – like your service should be
- Based on many years of experience with ticketing systems
 - „Zammad ist man stärker“
 - bavarian dialect for „together we are stronger“

Some numbers

- Initial release 18.10.2016
- Over 240.000 downloads (02.02.19)
- #1 Trending Open Source project in the Ruby category on GitHub
- First contribution just 5 hrs after initial release
- 223 pull requests (02.02.19)
- First Award after 4 weeks, second Award after 16 weeks

Key Features

- Native Web App – almost feels like a desktop app
- Super fast fulltext search, which also includes attachments
- Every resource can be reached via the included REST API by design
 - Users
 - Tickets
 - And many more
- Open Source

Ticketing – Core features

- AutoSave for tickets
- Easy data historization
- Escalationen
- Colision detection
- Custom overviews based upon ticket attributes
- Individual fields for tickets, customers, users
- Customer chat
- Custom text templates via shortcut
- Social network integration for Twitter and Facebook

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Installation – The easy way

- OS Packages for
 - CentOS/RHEL
 - Debian/Ubuntu
 - SLES
- Databases
 - PostgreSQL
 - MySQL/MariaDB
- Search Engines
 - elasticsearch

Installation – The easy way

■ Installation on CentOS

```
sudo yum install epel-release
```

```
sudo rpm --import https://rpm.packager.io/key
```

```
echo "[zammad] name=Repository for zammad/zammad application.  
baseurl=https://rpm.packager.io/gh/zammad/zammad/centos7/stable  
enabled=1" | sudo tee /etc/yum.repos.d/zammad.repo
```

```
sudo yum install zammad
```

Installation – The easy way

■ Configuration of elasticsearch

```
rpm --import https://artifacts.elastic.co/GPG-KEY-elasticsearch
echo "[elasticsearch-5.x] name=Elasticsearch repository for 5.x
packages baseurl=https://artifacts.elastic.co/packages/5.x/yum
gpgcheck=1 gpgkey=https://artifacts.elastic.co/GPG-KEY-elasticsearch
enabled=1 autorefresh=1 type=rpm-md" | sudo tee
/etc/yum.repos.d/elasticsearch-5.x.repo

sudo yum install java-1.8.0-openjdk elasticsearch

sudo /usr/share/elasticsearch/bin/elasticsearch-plugin install
mapper-attachments

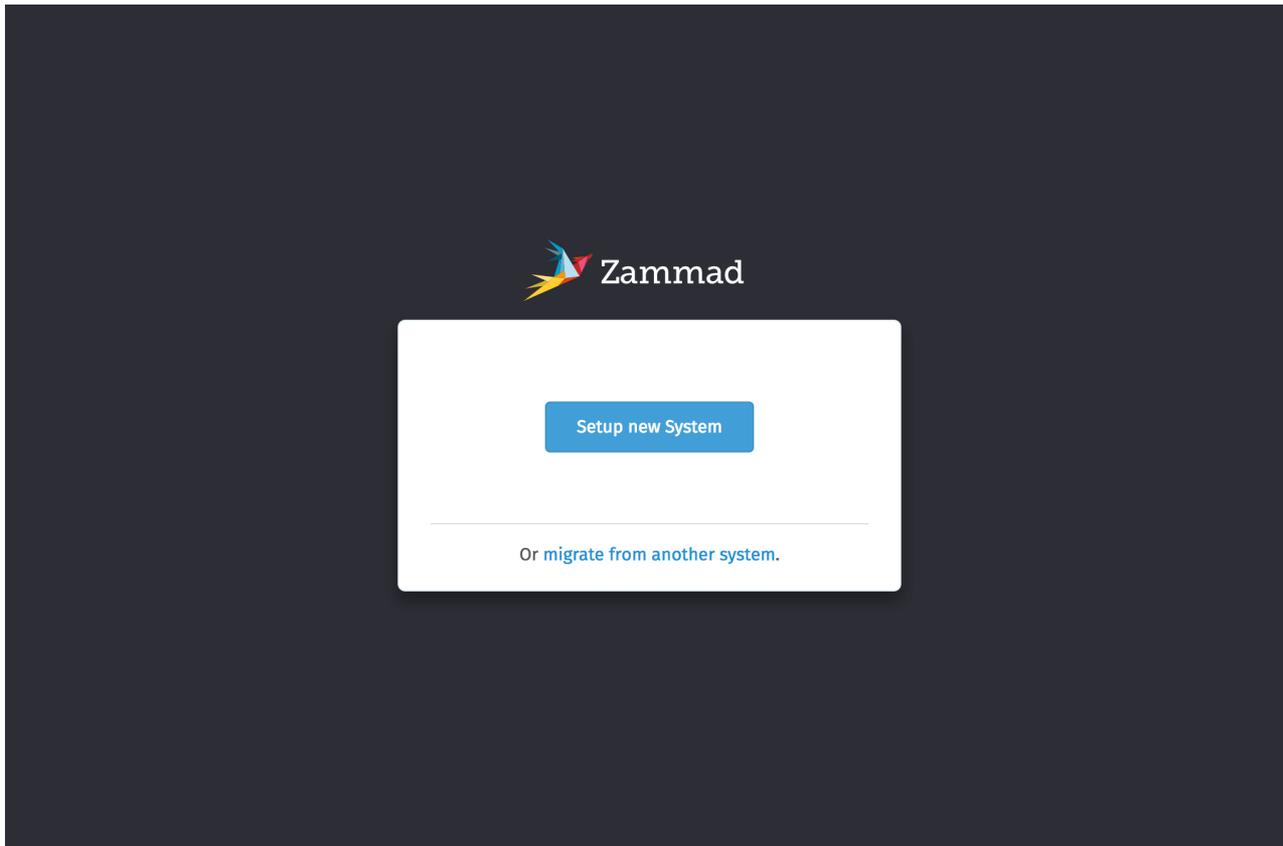
systemctl start elasticsearch

systemctl enable elasticsearch

zammad run rails r "Setting.set('es_url', 'http://127.0.0.1:9200')"
```

Installation – The easy way

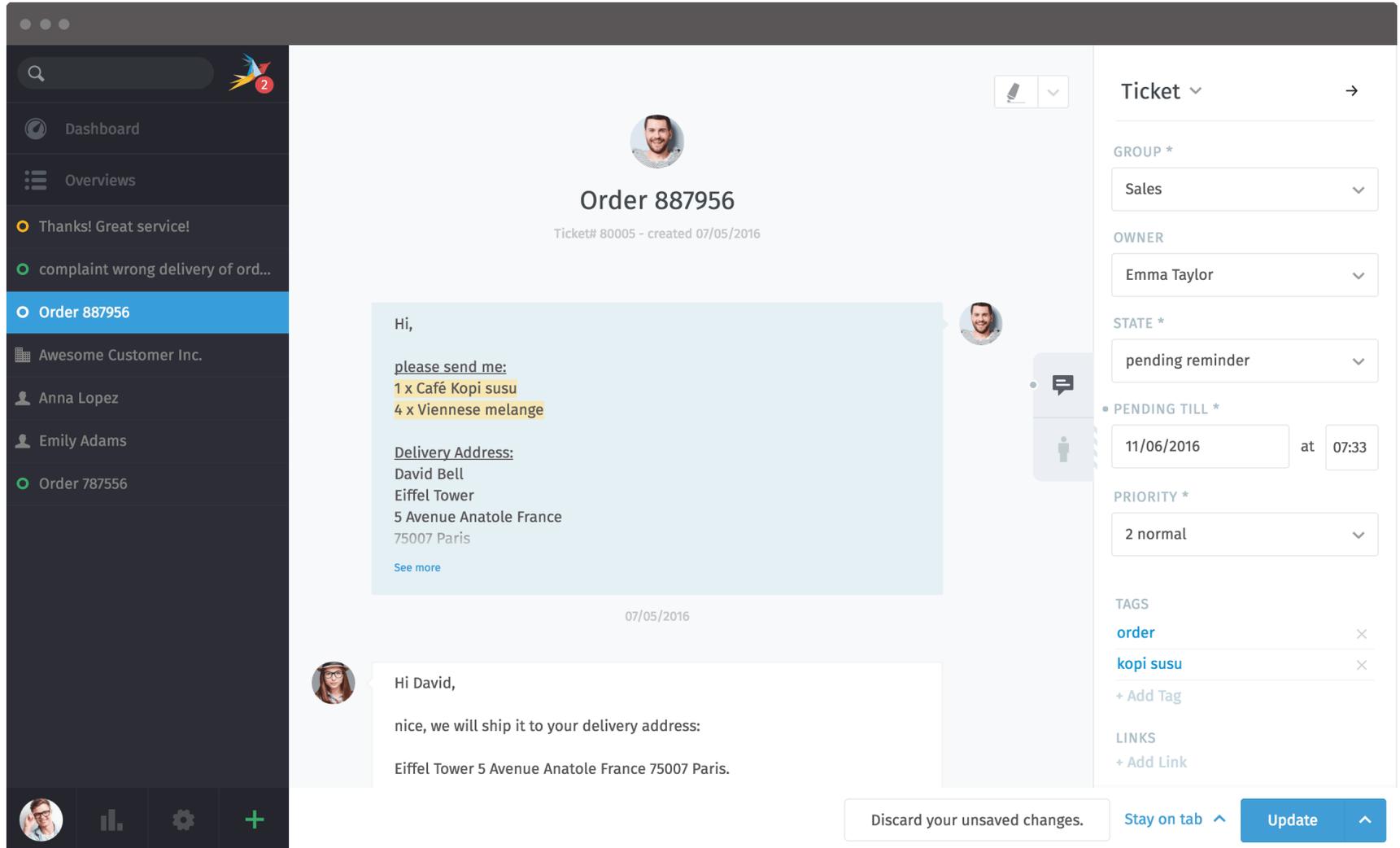
- Done. Start configuration.



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App - Structure



The screenshot displays the Zammad mobile application interface for a ticket details page. The layout is divided into three main sections: a left sidebar, a central chat area, and a right-hand metadata panel.

Left Sidebar: Contains a search bar, navigation options (Dashboard, Overviews), a list of recent tickets (e.g., "Thanks! Great service!", "complaint wrong delivery of ord..."), and a list of users (Anna Lopez, Emily Adams) and orders (Order 787556). The current ticket, "Order 887956", is highlighted in blue.

Central Chat Area: Shows a conversation between a customer and a support agent. The customer's message (07/05/2016) requests coffee items and provides a delivery address: "David Bell, Eiffel Tower, 5 Avenue Anatole France, 75007 Paris". The support agent's response (07/05/2016) confirms the shipping to that address.

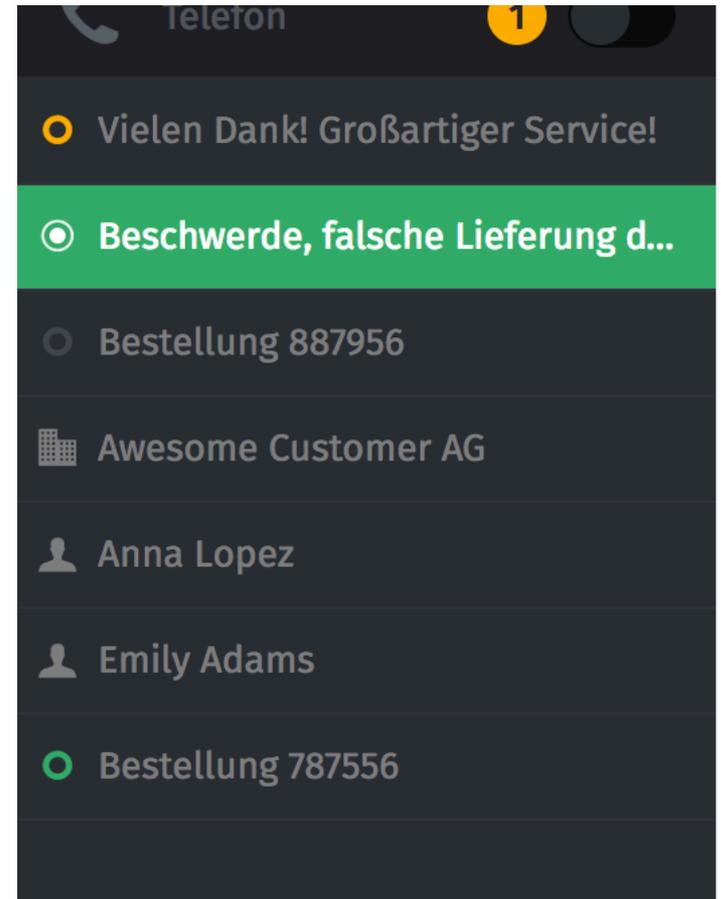
Right-Hand Panel: Displays ticket metadata:

- Ticket:** Ticket# 80005 - created 07/05/2016
- GROUP *:** Sales
- OWNER:** Emma Taylor
- STATE *:** pending reminder
- PENDING TILL *:** 11/06/2016 at 07:33
- PRIORITY *:** 2 normal
- TAGS:** order, kopi susu
- LINKS:** + Add Link

Bottom Bar: Includes a user profile icon, a bar chart icon, a settings gear icon, and a plus sign for additional actions. A notification at the bottom right states "Discard your unsaved changes." and "Stay on tab ^" with an "Update ^" button.

App - Tabs

- Open multiple tabs at same time
- Reorder like you want
- Unsaved changes saved on server
- Pulsing icon on changes
- Push changes immediately to client
- Ring traffic lights



App - Ring traffic lights



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ticket is new/open or
pending reminder of ticket has reached

somebody need to work on it

App - Ring traffic lights



pending reminder or pending close is set
but not reached till now

no further action/attention needed right now

App - Ring traffic lights



ticket is escalated

**somebody need to work immediately on this ticket
(to cancel escalation)**

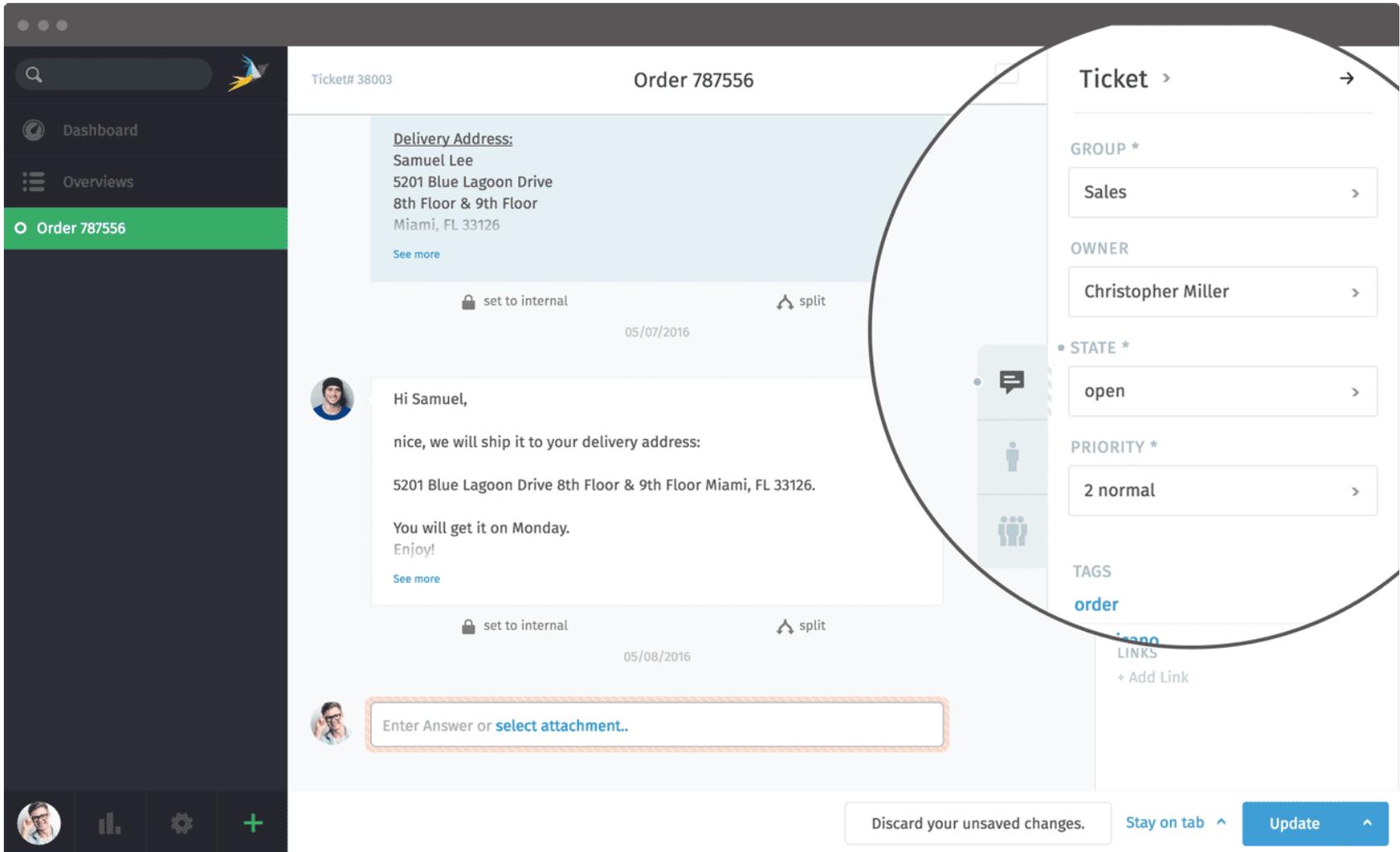
App - Ring traffic lights



ticket is closed

no further action/attention needed

App – Ticket in detail



Ticket# 38003 **Order 787556**

Delivery Address:
 Samuel Lee
 5201 Blue Lagoon Drive
 8th Floor & 9th Floor
 Miami, FL 33126
[See more](#)

🔒 set to internal 🗑️ split 05/07/2016

 Hi Samuel,
 nice, we will ship it to your delivery address:
 5201 Blue Lagoon Drive 8th Floor & 9th Floor Miami, FL 33126.
 You will get it on Monday.
 Enjoy!
[See more](#)

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 Enter Answer or [select attachment..](#)

Ticket > →

GROUP *
 Sales >

OWNER
 Christopher Miller >

STATE *
 open >

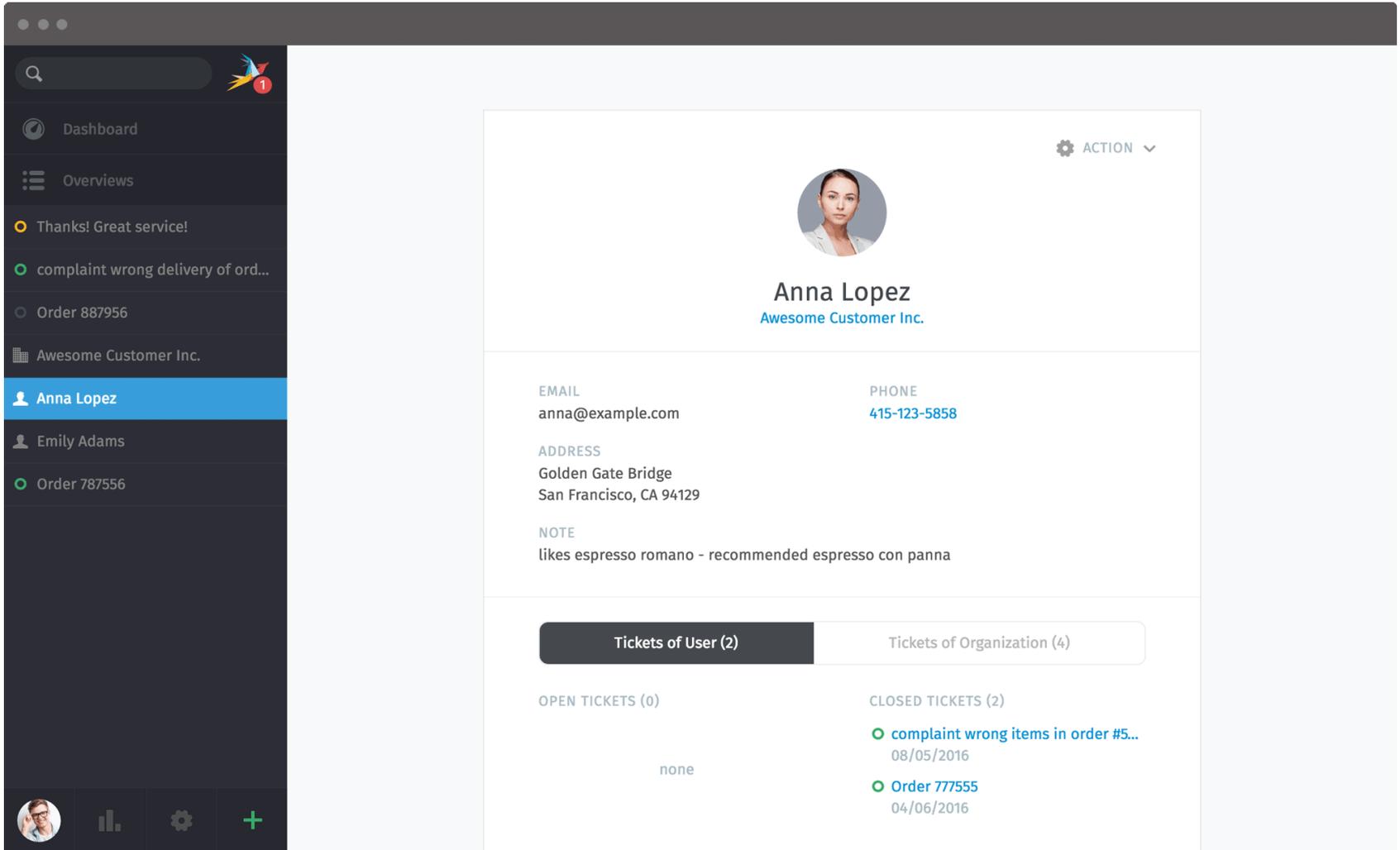
PRIORITY *
 2 normal >

TAGS
 order

LINKS
 + Add Link

Discard your unsaved changes. Stay on tab ^ Update ^

App – Customer in detail



The screenshot displays the Zammad application interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with a search bar, navigation menu (Dashboard, Overviews), and a list of recent items including a notification 'Thanks! Great service!', a complaint 'complaint wrong delivery of ord...', and an order 'Order 887956'. The main content area shows the profile for 'Anna Lopez' from 'Awesome Customer Inc.', including a profile picture, contact information (EMAIL: anna@example.com, PHONE: 415-123-5858), address (Golden Gate Bridge, San Francisco, CA 94129), and a note: 'likes espresso romano - recommended espresso con panna'. Below the profile, there are two tabs: 'Tickets of User (2)' (selected) and 'Tickets of Organization (4)'. Under the 'Tickets of User' tab, there are two sections: 'OPEN TICKETS (0)' with 'none' listed, and 'CLOSED TICKETS (2)' with two entries: 'complaint wrong items in order #5...' dated 08/05/2016 and 'Order 777555' dated 04/06/2016.

Customer Profile:

- Name:** Anna Lopez
- Organization:** Awesome Customer Inc.
- EMAIL:** anna@example.com
- PHONE:** 415-123-5858
- ADDRESS:** Golden Gate Bridge, San Francisco, CA 94129
- NOTE:** likes espresso romano - recommended espresso con panna

Tickets Summary:

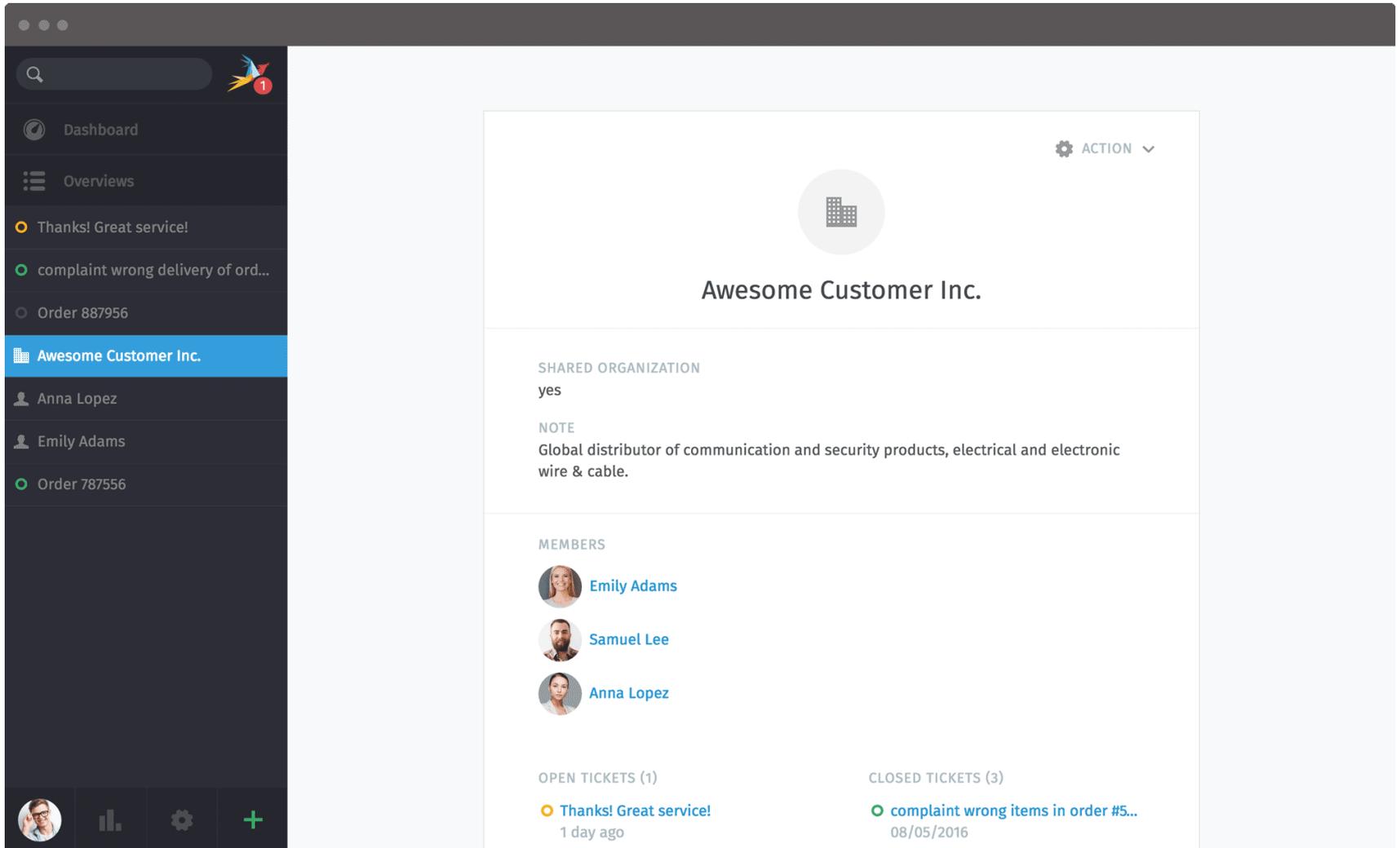
- Tickets of User (2):** OPEN TICKETS (0) - none; CLOSED TICKETS (2)
- Tickets of Organization (4):** CLOSED TICKETS (2)

Open Tickets (0): none

Closed Tickets (2):

- complaint wrong items in order #5... (08/05/2016)
- Order 777555 (04/06/2016)

App – Organization in detail



The screenshot displays the Zammad application interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with a search bar, navigation menu (Dashboard, Overviews), a list of recent tickets, and a user profile section. The main content area shows the details for the organization 'Awesome Customer Inc.', including a shared organization status, a descriptive note, a list of members, and sections for open and closed tickets.

Awesome Customer Inc.

SHARED ORGANIZATION
yes

NOTE
Global distributor of communication and security products, electrical and electronic wire & cable.

MEMBERS

- Emily Adams
- Samuel Lee
- Anna Lopez

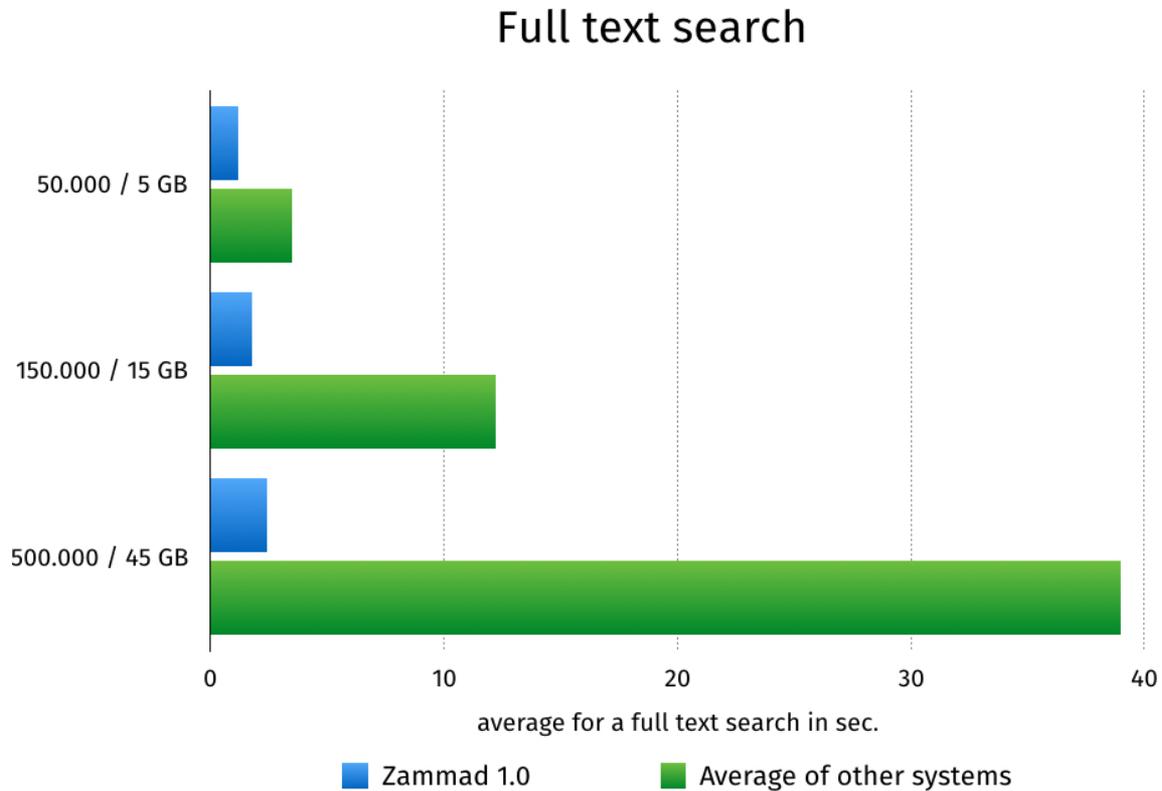
OPEN TICKETS (1)

- Thanks! Great service!
1 day ago

CLOSED TICKETS (3)

- complaint wrong items in order #5...
08/05/2016

App – Fulltext search



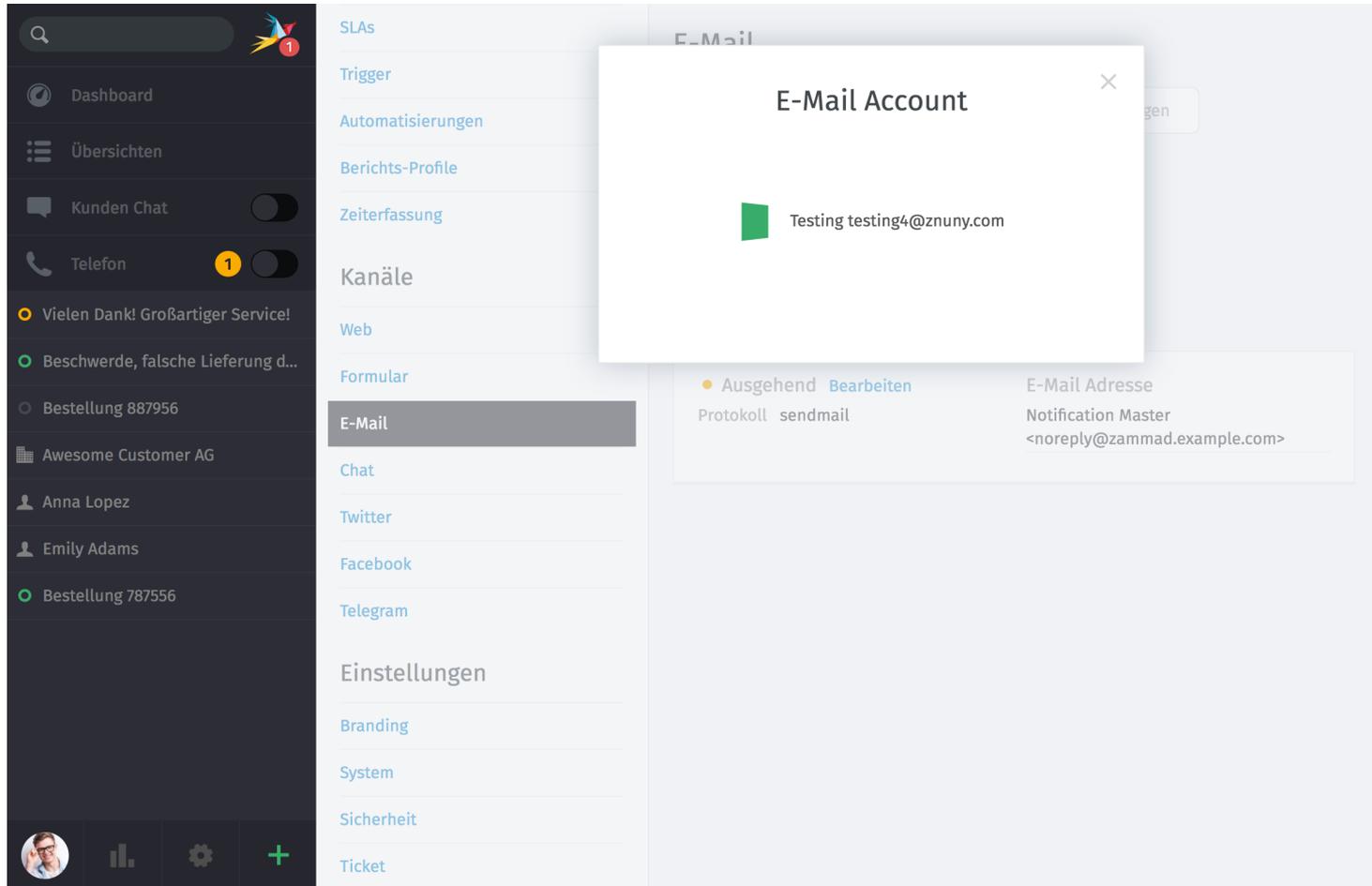
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Channel – Email

- Autodiscovery
- IMAP(S)/POP3(S)/SMTP(S)

Channel – Email

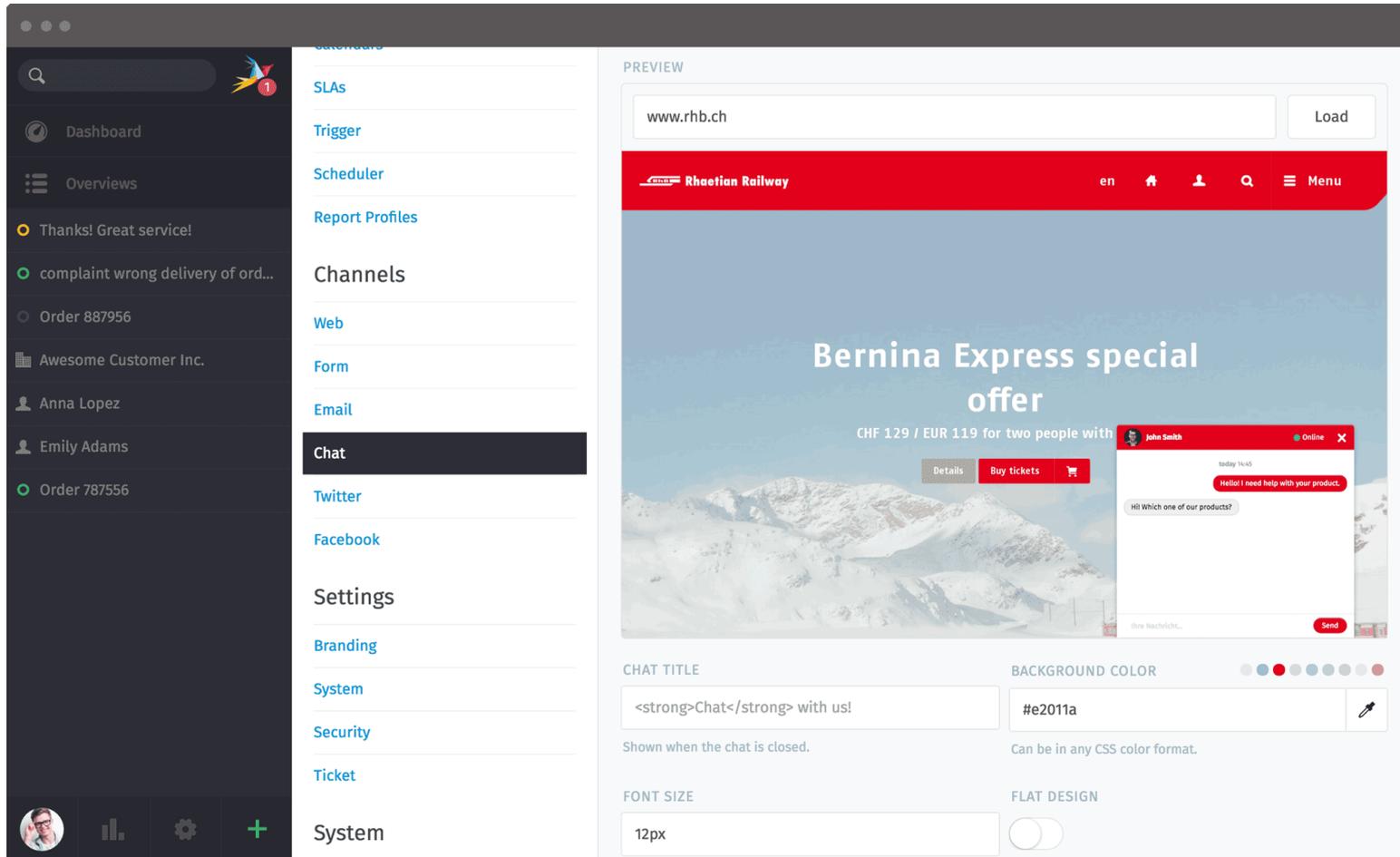


The screenshot displays the Zammad user interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation options: Dashboard, Übersichten, Kunden Chat, Telefon, and a list of recent messages. The main content area shows the 'E-Mail' channel configuration page. A modal window titled 'E-Mail Account' is open, showing the email address 'Testing testing4@znuny.com'. Below the modal, the 'E-Mail' channel settings are visible, including 'Ausgehend' (Outgoing) and 'Protokoll' (Protocol) set to 'sendmail'. The 'E-Mail Adresse' (Email Address) field contains 'Notification Master <noreply@zammad.example.com>'.

Channel – Chat

- Java Script snipped
- No “Leave a message”
- No “Long wait times”
- Foreign Body Chat Module - Auto design

Channel – Chat



The screenshot displays the Zammad configuration interface for the 'Chat' channel. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation options: Dashboard, Overviews, and a list of recent messages. The main area is divided into a left-hand menu and a right-hand preview.

Left-hand menu (Navigation):

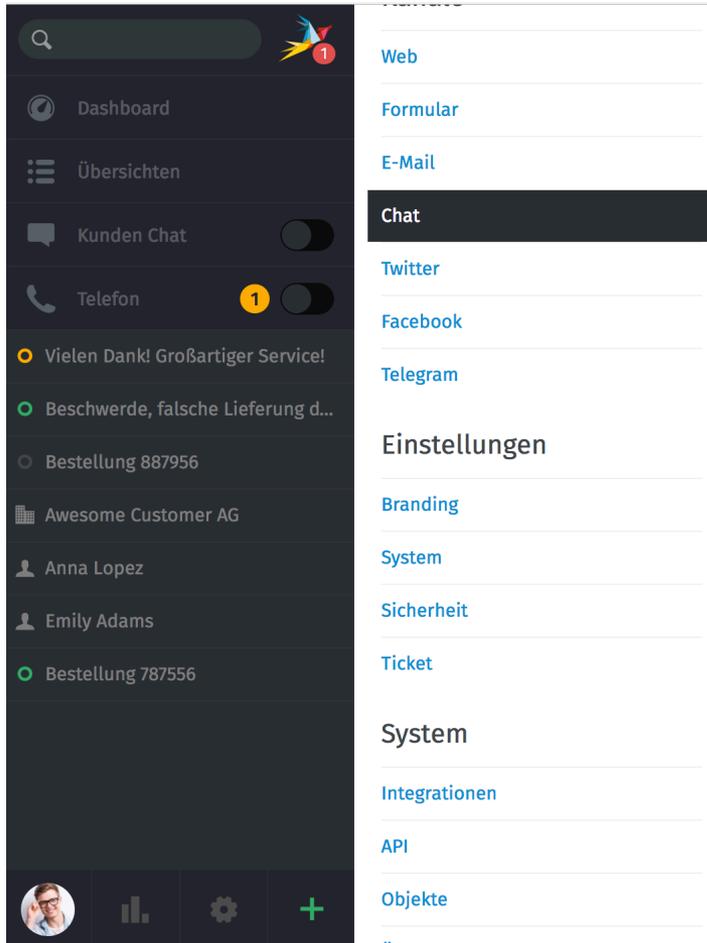
- SLAs
- Trigger
- Scheduler
- Report Profiles
- Channels
- Web
- Form
- Email
- Chat** (highlighted)
- Twitter
- Facebook
- Settings
- Branding
- System
- Security
- Ticket
- System

Right-hand Preview:

The preview shows a website for 'Rhaetian Railway' with a 'Bernina Express special offer' banner. A chat widget is overlaid on the banner, showing a chat window with a user 'John Smith' and a message: 'Hello! I need help with your product.' Below the preview, configuration options are visible:

- CHAT TITLE:** `Chat with us!`
- BACKGROUND COLOR:** #e2011a
- FONT SIZE:** 12px
- FLAT DESIGN:** (Toggle switch)

Channel – Chat



Füge den Widget-Code in Deine Webseite ein, danach sollte der Chat auf der Webseite angezeigt werden. Der Widget-Code sollte am ender des Quellcodes, vor dem schließenden `</body>` Tag eingefügt werden.

Voraussetzung

Zammad Chat benötigt jQuery. Wenn Du dies bisher nicht auf Deiner Seite verwendest, kannst Du es mit folgender Zeile einbinden.

```
<script src="https://code.jquery.com/jquery-2.1.4.min.js"></script>
```

Automatische Chat-Ansicht (default)

Der Chat wird angezeigt sobald eine Verbindung zu Zammad hergestellt werden konnte und ein Agent auf online steht.

```
<script src="http://localhost:3000/assets/chat/chat.min.js"></script>
<script>
$(function() {
  new ZammadChat({
    fontSize: '12px',
    chatId: 1
  });
});
</script>
```

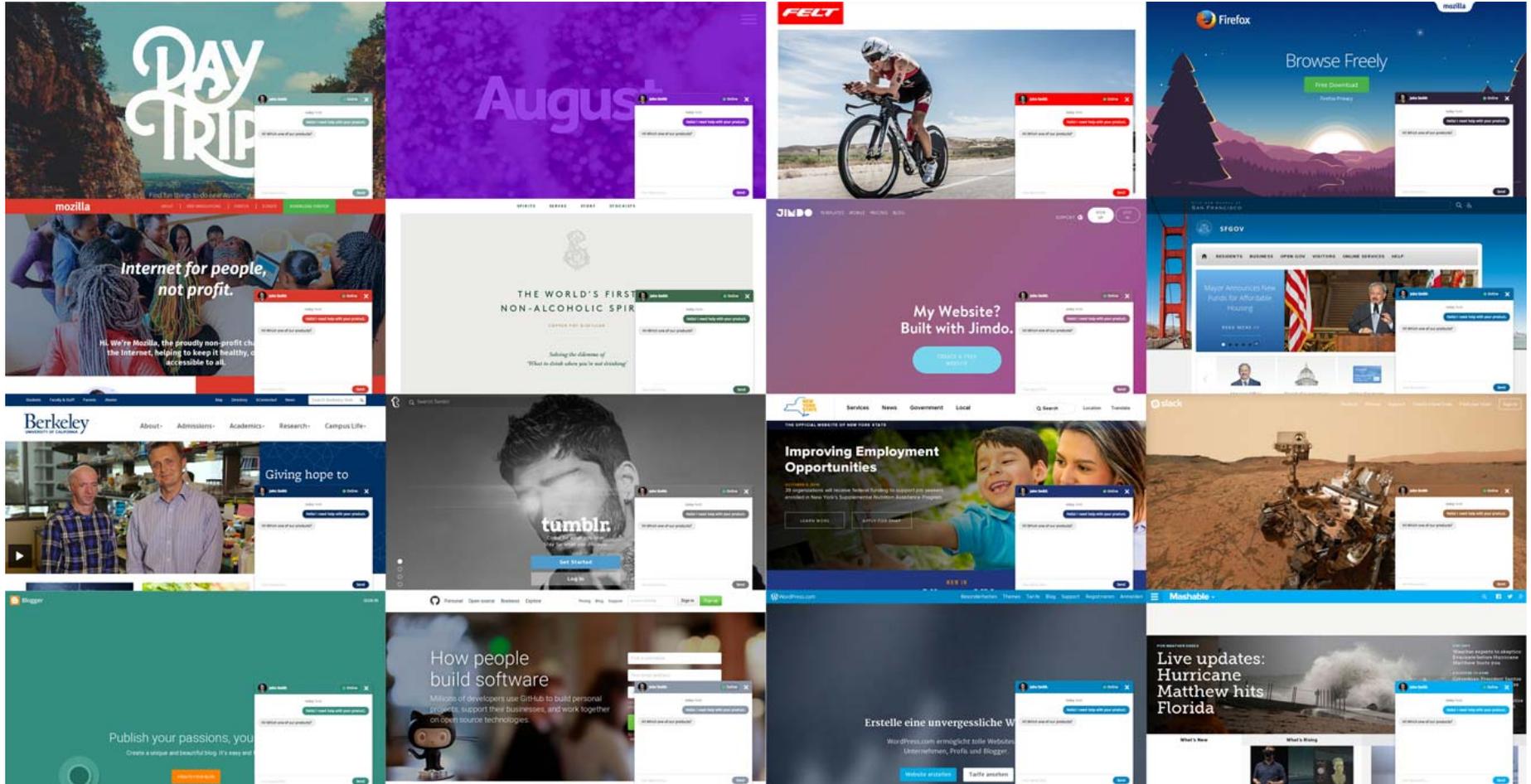
Manuelles öffnen des Chat

Wenn Du den Chat über einen Klick öffnen lassen möchtest, dann muss die Option `show` auf `false` stehen und die Class `open-zammad-chat` den Knopf hinzugefügt werden.

```
<button class="open-zammad-chat">Chat with us</button>

<script src="http://localhost:3000/assets/chat/chat.min.js"></script>
<script>
$(function() {
  new ZammadChat({
```

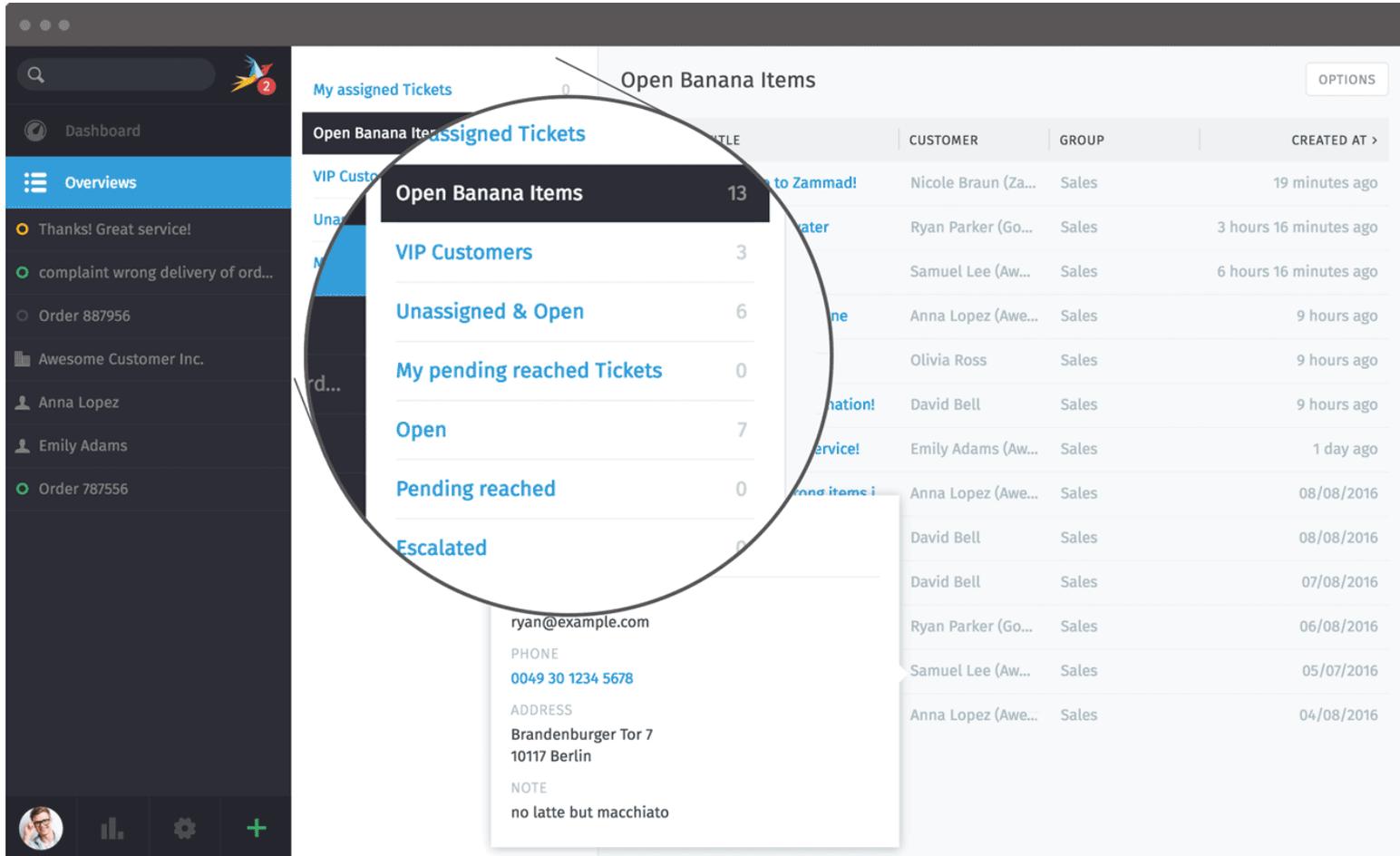
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Working in Team – Overviews



The screenshot displays the Zammad web interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation options: Dashboard, Overviews (highlighted), and a list of recent tickets and customer information. The main content area shows a table of tickets under the heading 'Open Banana Items'. A circular callout highlights a dropdown menu for 'Open Banana Items' with the following categories and counts:

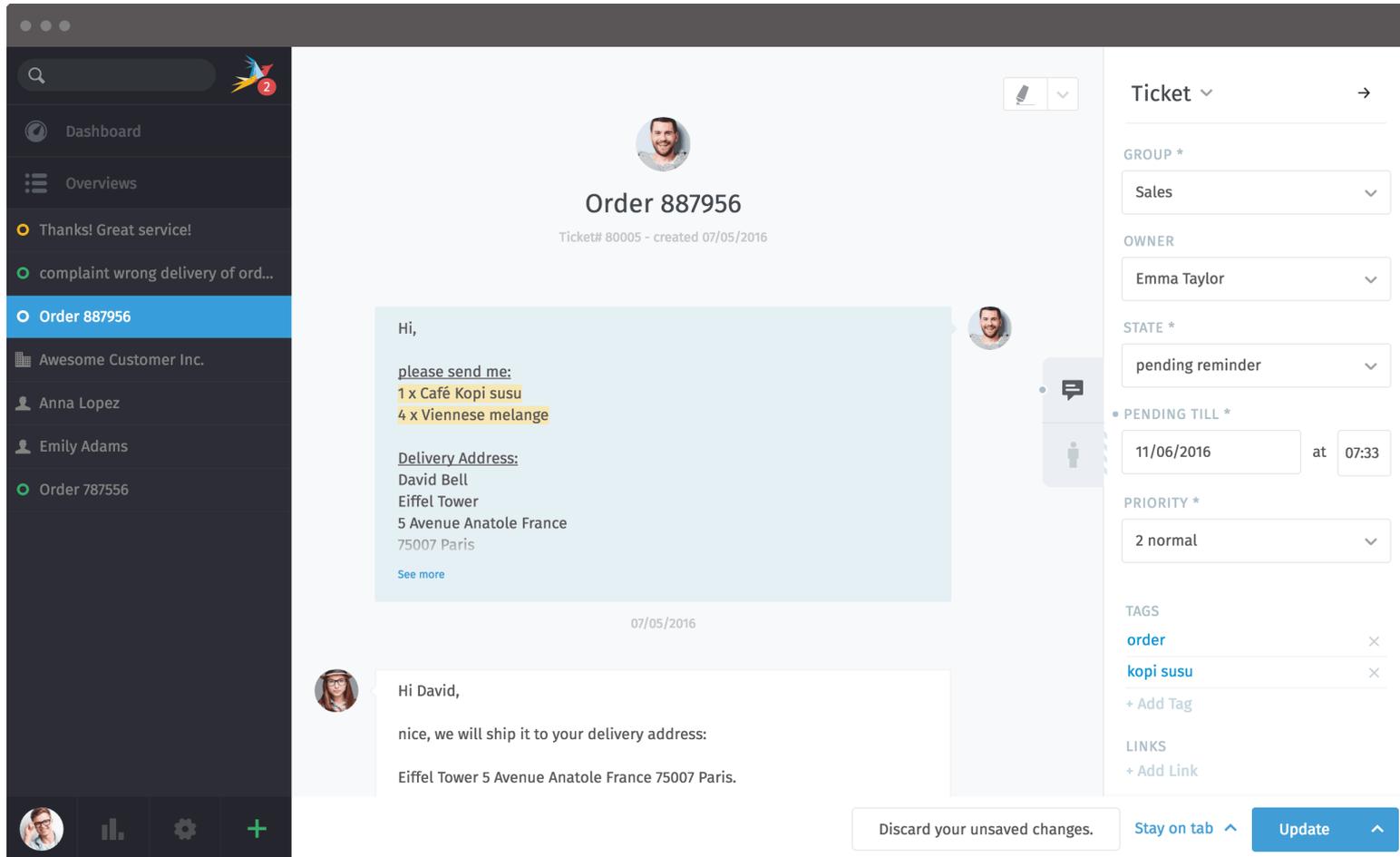
- Open Banana Items: 13
- VIP Customers: 3
- Unassigned & Open: 6
- My pending reached Tickets: 0
- Open: 7
- Pending reached: 0
- Escalated: 0

A customer profile popup is visible for 'ryan@example.com', showing contact details and a note:

PHONE: 0049 30 1234 5678
 ADDRESS: Brandenburger Tor 7, 10117 Berlin
 NOTE: no latte but macchiato

TITLE	CUSTOMER	GROUP	CREATED AT
to Zammad!	Nicole Braun (Za...)	Sales	19 minutes ago
water	Ryan Parker (Go...)	Sales	3 hours 16 minutes ago
	Samuel Lee (Aw...)	Sales	6 hours 16 minutes ago
ne	Anna Lopez (Awe...)	Sales	9 hours ago
	Olivia Ross	Sales	9 hours ago
nation!	David Bell	Sales	9 hours ago
service!	Emily Adams (Aw...)	Sales	1 day ago
and items i	Anna Lopez (Awe...)	Sales	08/08/2016
	David Bell	Sales	08/08/2016
	David Bell	Sales	07/08/2016
	Ryan Parker (Go...)	Sales	06/08/2016
	Samuel Lee (Aw...)	Sales	05/07/2016
	Anna Lopez (Awe...)	Sales	04/08/2016

Working in Team – Permanent markup



The screenshot displays the Zammad ticket management interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with a search bar, navigation menu (Dashboard, Overviews), and a list of tickets. The selected ticket, 'Order 887956', is highlighted in blue. The main area shows a conversation between a customer and a support agent. The customer's message includes a request for items and a delivery address. The support agent's response confirms shipping to the provided address. On the right, a metadata panel shows ticket details like group (Sales), owner (Emma Taylor), state (pending reminder), and priority (2 normal). At the bottom, a notification says 'Discard your unsaved changes.' and there are buttons for 'Stay on tab' and 'Update'.

Order 887956
Ticket# 80005 - created 07/05/2016

Hi,

please send me:
1 x Café Kopi susu
4 x Viennese melange

Delivery Address:
David Bell
Eiffel Tower
5 Avenue Anatole France
75007 Paris
[See more](#)

07/05/2016

Hi David,

nice, we will ship it to your delivery address:
Eiffel Tower 5 Avenue Anatole France 75007 Paris.

Ticket ▾ →

GROUP *
Sales ▾

OWNER
Emma Taylor ▾

STATE *
pending reminder ▾

PENDING TILL *
11/06/2016 at 07:33

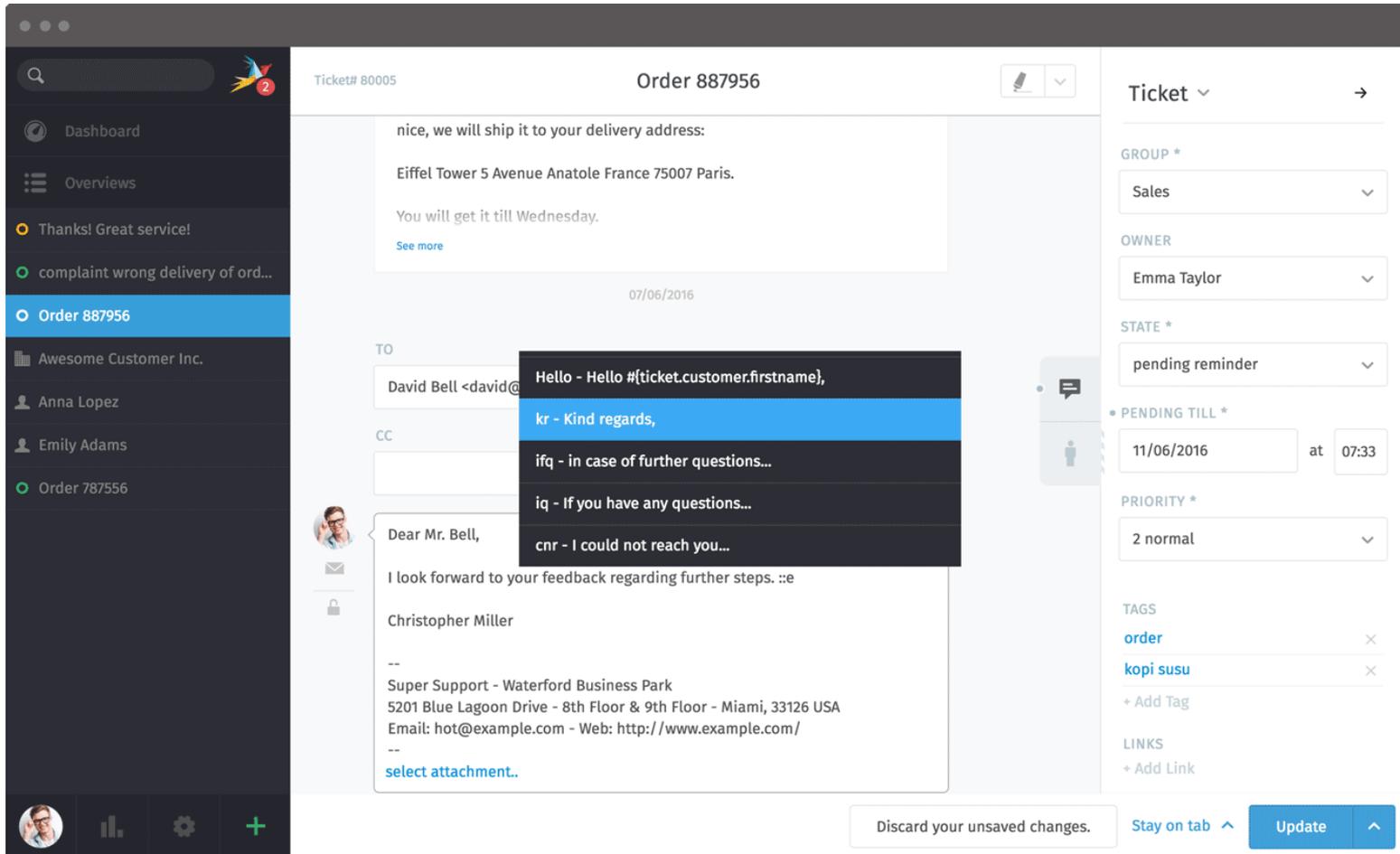
PRIORITY *
2 normal ▾

TAGS
order ×
kopi susu ×
+ Add Tag

LINKS
+ Add Link

Discard your unsaved changes. Stay on tab ^ Update ^

Working in Team – ::Text modules

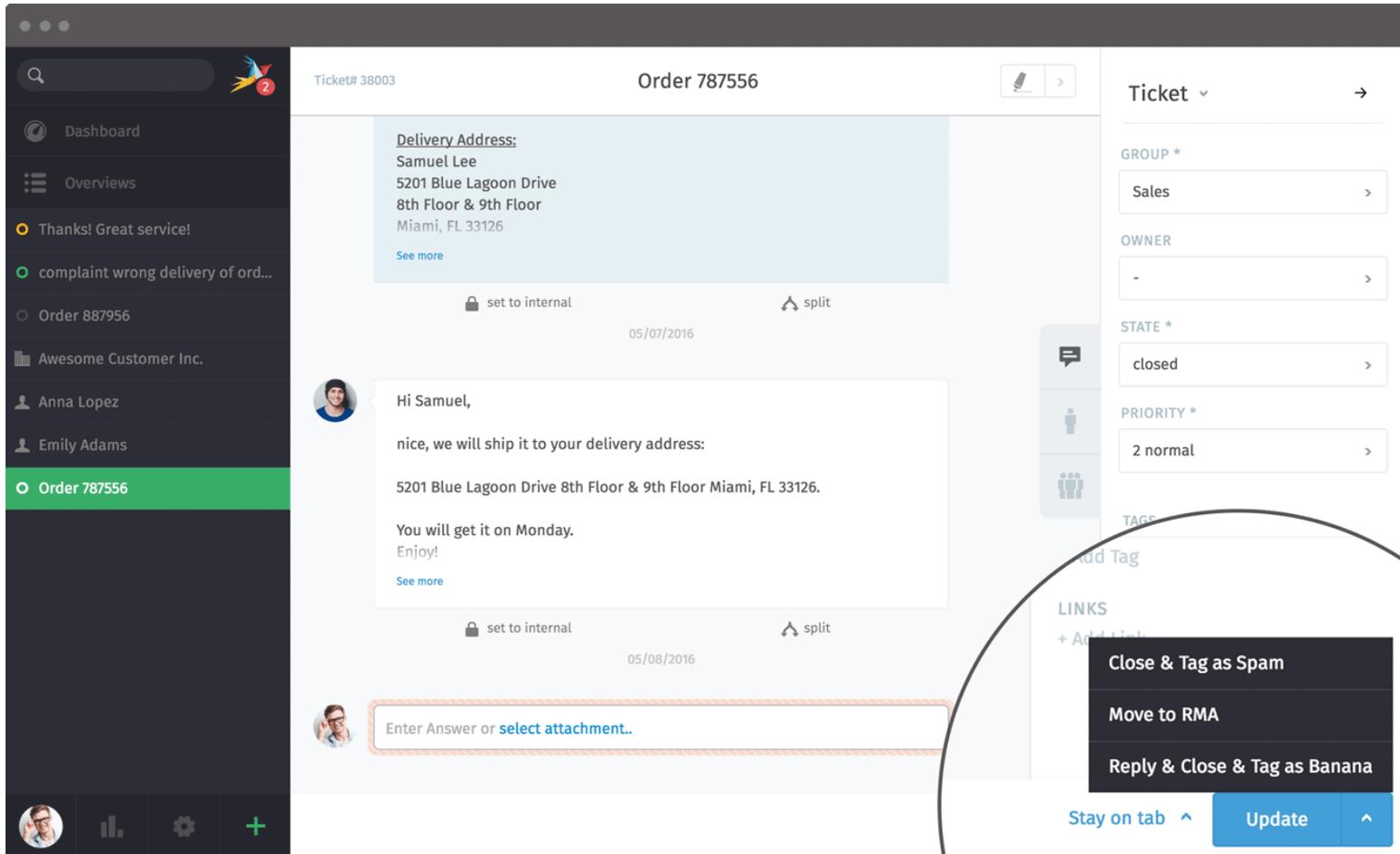


The screenshot displays the Zammad ticket management interface. The main content area shows a ticket for 'Order 887956' with a message from Christopher Miller to David Bell. A text module is being edited, showing a list of suggestions:

- Hello - Hello #{ticket.customer.firstname},
- kr - Kind regards,
- ifq - in case of further questions...
- iq - If you have any questions...
- cnr - I could not reach you...

The interface includes a sidebar with navigation options (Dashboard, Overviews, recent tickets), a top navigation bar with search and user profile, and a right-hand panel for ticket details (GROUP: Sales, OWNER: Emma Taylor, STATE: pending reminder, PENDING TILL: 11/06/2016 at 07:33, PRIORITY: 2 normal, TAGS: order, kopi susu). A 'Discard your unsaved changes.' warning is visible at the bottom.

Working in Team – Macros: automatic action sequences

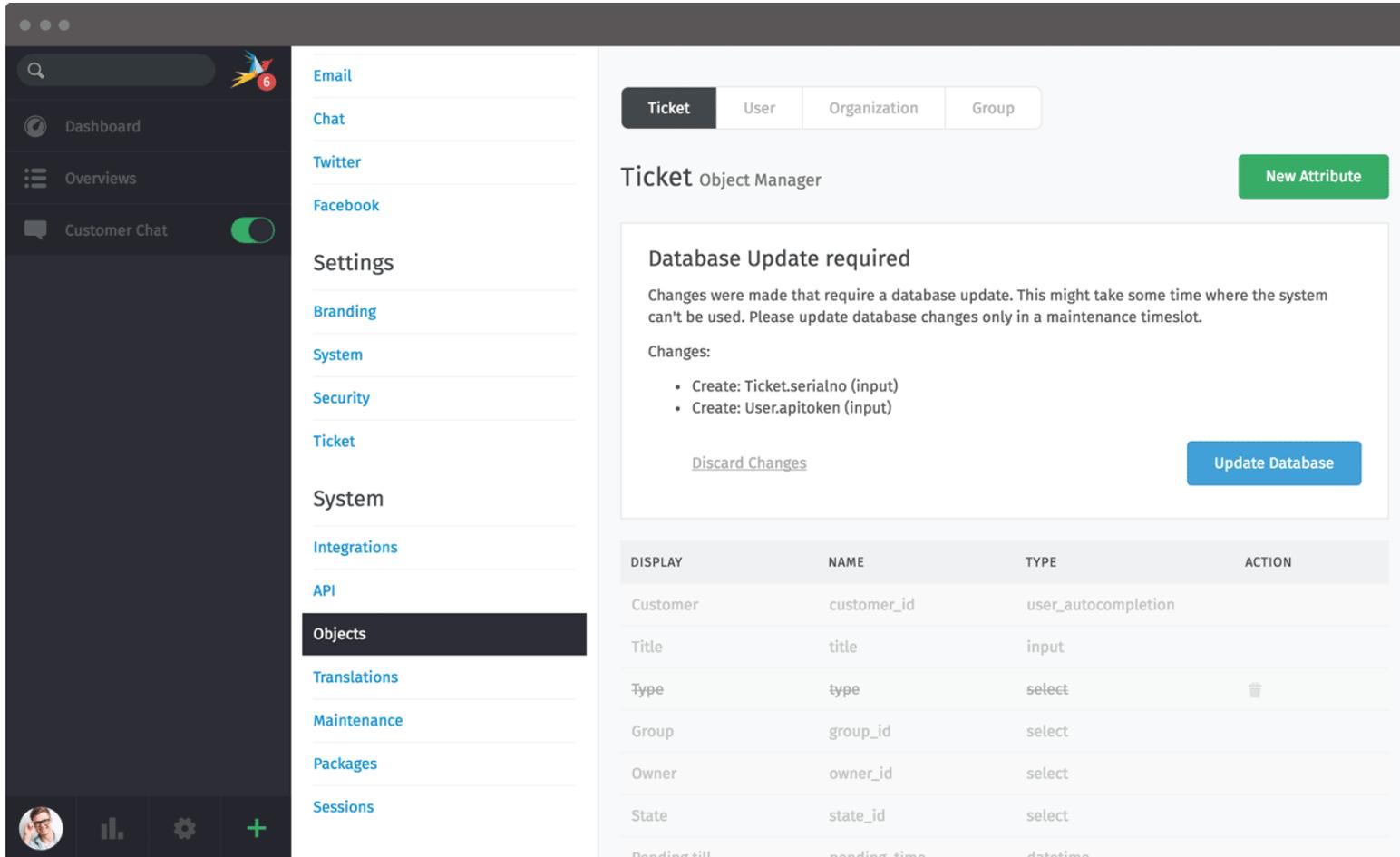


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The main content area shows the ticket details for 'Ticket# 38003' and 'Order 787556'. It features a light blue box for the 'Delivery Address' (Samuel Lee, 5201 Blue Lagoon Drive, 8th Floor & 9th Floor, Miami, FL 33126) and a message from a user: 'Hi Samuel, nice, we will ship it to your delivery address: 5201 Blue Lagoon Drive 8th Floor & 9th Floor Miami, FL 33126. You will get it on Monday. Enjoy!'. The message is dated 05/08/2016 and includes a 'set to internal' and 'split' icon.

On the right, a configuration panel for the ticket is visible, showing fields for 'Ticket', 'GROUP *' (Sales), 'OWNER', 'STATE *' (closed), and 'PRIORITY *' (2 normal). Below this, there are sections for 'TAGS' and 'LINKS'. At the bottom right, a blue 'Update' button is highlighted, and a macro menu is open over it, listing actions: 'Close & Tag as Spam', 'Move to RMA', and 'Reply & Close & Tag as Banana'. Other buttons include 'Stay on tab ^' and an upward arrow.

Working in Team – Individual fields



The screenshot shows the Zammad web interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation options: Dashboard, Chat, Overviews, and Customer Chat. A central menu lists various settings categories: Email, Chat, Twitter, Facebook, Settings, Branding, System, Security, Ticket, System, Integrations, API, Objects (highlighted), Translations, Maintenance, Packages, and Sessions. The main content area is titled 'Ticket Object Manager' and includes tabs for Ticket, User, Organization, and Group. A green 'New Attribute' button is visible. A notification box states 'Database Update required' with details about the update and a list of changes: 'Create: Ticket.serialno (input)' and 'Create: User.apitoken (input)'. Below the notification is a table of fields.

DISPLAY	NAME	TYPE	ACTION
Customer	customer_id	user_autocompletion	
Title	title	input	
Type	type	select	
Group	group_id	select	
Owner	owner_id	select	
State	state_id	select	
Pending till	pending_time	datetime	

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