
Chatfirst Python Client Documentation

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Chatfirst Python Client provides simple interface to [Chatfirst API](#)

Installation

```
pip install chatfirst
```


Quickstart

```
#!/usr/bin/env python

from chatfirst.client import Chatfirst

client = Chatfirst(your_chatfirst_user_token)
my_bots = client.bots_list()
```

Get the code

The [source](#) is available on Github.

Contents:

4.1 Build adapter

class `chatfirst.client.Chatfirst` (*token*)

The `Chatfirst` class is a wrapper of `Chatfirst API`. This class provides easy access to `bots`, `push`, `talk`, `broadcast` `methods`

Parameters `token` (*str*) – user’s token from Chatfirst dashboard

broadcast (*bot*, *channel_type*, *text*)

Use this method to broadcast text message to all users of bot.

Parameters

- **bot** (`Bot`) – bot that will push user
- **channel_type** (*str*) – one of [telegram, facebook, slack]
- **text** (*str*) – text message

push (*bot*, *channel_type*, *ar*, *user_id*)

Use this method to push message to user of bot. The message should be packed into `ActionResponse` object. This allows to push text messages, buttons, images. This also allows to force current state of user.

Parameters

- **bot** (`Bot`) – bot that will push user
- **channel_type** (*str*) – one of [telegram, facebook, slack]
- **ar** (`ActionResponse`) – message packed in response object
- **user_id** (*str*) – user id in used channel

class `chatfirst.models.ActionResponse` (*data={}*)

Main class defining `ActionResponse` entity

Parameters `data` (*dict*) – serialized object

count = None

ignore this parameter

entities = None

`data["Entities"]`, list of `LinkedEntity` objects

forced = None

`data["ForcedState"]`, forced transition to state (useful trick for scoped scenarios and error handling)

keyboard = None
data["ForcedKeyboard"], keys to be shown to user

messages = None
data["Messages"], list of messages to return as text messages

to_json()
Serialize object to json dict

Returns dict

class chatfirst.models.**LinkedEntity** (*data={}*)
The way to show images in bot. Every object will be rendered as gallery or set of image messages.

Parameters **data** (*dict*) – serialized object

desc = None
data["Description"], description of image

name = None
data["Name"], name of image

options = None
data["EntityOptions"], keys to be shown to user

to_json()
Serialize object to json dict

Returns dict

url = None
data["ImageUrl"], url of image

4.2 Build channel

class chatfirst.client.**Chatfirst** (*token*)
The Chatfirst class is a wrapper of [Chatfirst API](#) This class provides easy access to bots, push, talk, broadcast methods

Parameters **token** (*str*) – user’s token from Chatfirst dashboard

bots_create (*bot*)
Save new bot

Parameters **bot** (*Bot*) – bot object to save

bots_delete (*bot*)
Delete existing bot

Parameters **bot** (*Bot*) – bot to delete

bots_get (*bot*)
Fetch and fill Bot object

Parameters **bot** (*Bot*) – empty bot object with name to search

Return type *Bot*

Returns filled bot object

bots_list ()
List all user’s bots

Return type list of Bot

Returns user's bots

bots_update (*bot*)

Update Bot

Parameters **bot** (*Bot*) – bot object to update

talk (*bot, message*)

Talk to bot and get response based You can use this method to integrate the platform with your own channels

Parameters

- **bot** (*Bot*) – bot to talk to
- **message** (*Message*) – message to send to bot

Return type *ActionResponse*

Returns response object

class `chatfirst.models.Bot` (*data={}*)

Main class defining Bot entity

Parameters **data** (*dict*) – serialized object

fancy_name = None

`data["fancy_name"]`, long name of bot

language = None

`data["language"]`, 0 - Russian, 1 - English

name = None

`data["name"]`, short name of bot

scenario = None

`data["scenario"]`, scenario of bot

to_json ()

Serialize object to json dict

Returns dict

class `chatfirst.models.Message` (*data={}*)

Use this class if you want to integrate your own channel and use talk method. Chatfirst platform accepts incoming talk requests with special json object:

Parameters **data** (*dict*) – serialized object

first_name = None

`data["FirstName"]`, first name of talking user

id_ = None

`data["InterlocutorId"]`, internal id of talking user

last_name = None

`data["LastName"]`, last name of talking user

text = None

`data["Text"]`, text message that user sent

to_json ()

Serialize object to json dict

Returns dict

username = None

data["Username"], username of talking user

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