

## Smuxi - Bug # 998: Exception: Object must implement IConvertible.

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Priority:</b>	Normal
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<b>Updated:</b>	11/19/2016	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Complexity:</b>			
<b>Found in Version:</b>			
<b>Subject:</b>	Exception: Object must implement IConvertible.		
<b>Description:</b>	<p>Hello, I am a new user of smuxi. I today added my twitter account to the program. This exception occurs when it tries to fetch data from twitter. I'm connecting through smuxi-server hosted on a debian 7.</p> <p>&lt;pre&gt; Exception Type: System.InvalidCastException</p> <p>Exception Message: Object must implement IConvertible.</p> <p>Exception StackTrace:</p> <p>Server stack trace: at System.Convert.ChangeType(Object value, Type conversionType, IFormatProvider provider) at System.Runtime.Serialization.FormatterConverter.Convert(Object value, Type type) at System.Runtime.Serialization.SerializationInfo.GetValue(String name, Type type) at System.Collections.Generic.Dictionary`2.OnDeserialization(Object sender) at System.Runtime.Serialization.ObjectManager.RaiseDeserializationEvent() at System.Runtime.Serialization.Formatters.Binary.ObjectReader.Deserialize(HeaderHandler handler, __BinaryParser serParser, Boolean fCheck, Boolean isCrossAppDomain, IMethodCallMessage methodCallMessage) at System.Runtime.Serialization.Formatters.Binary.BinaryFormatter.Deserialize(Stream serializationStream, HeaderHandler handler, Boolean fCheck, Boolean isCrossAppDomain, IMethodCallMessage methodCallMessage) at System.Runtime.Remoting.Channels.CoreChannel.DeserializeBinaryResponseMessage(Stream inputStream, IMethodCallMessage reqMsg, Boolean bStrictBinding) at System.Runtime.Remoting.Channels.BinaryClientFormatterSink.SyncProcessMessage(IMessage msg)</p> <p>Exception rethrown at [0]: at System.Runtime.Remoting.Proxies.RealProxy.HandleReturnMessage(IMessage reqMsg, IMessage retMsg) at System.Runtime.Remoting.Proxies.RealProxy.PrivateInvoke(MessageData&amp; msgData, Int32 type) at Smuxi.Engine.GroupChatModel.get_Persons() at Smuxi.Frontend.Gnome.GroupChatView.Sync() at Smuxi.Frontend.Gnome.TwitterGroupChatView.Sync() at Smuxi.Fronten</p>		

### History

11/19/2014 01:43 PM - Whinette Karmina

The frontend client runs on win 8.1 pro

**06/14/2015 03:54 PM - Mirco Bauer**

The only known workaround is to use Mono on the Windows side instead of Microsoft .NET

**11/19/2016 11:58 AM - Mirco Bauer**

- *Status changed from New to Closed*

Smuxi is now detecting this issue and shows a dialog with a link to resolve the issue instead of crashing.