## Sending Email

In your process design, you may include a Tool element and map it to the  ${\sf Email}\ {\sf Tool}.$ 

Configure email server settings in the Plugin Configuration dialog box.

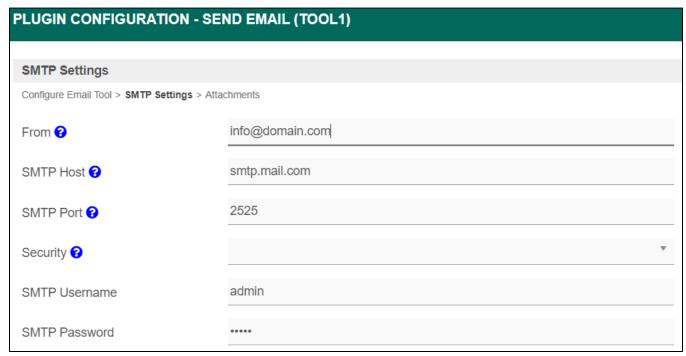


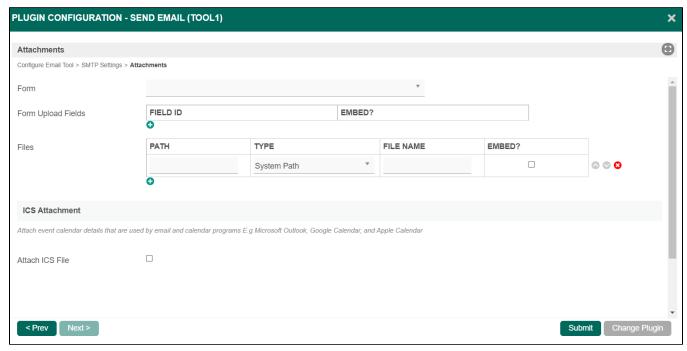
Figure 1: Email Setting

In the  $\textbf{\textit{Email}}$  tab, customize the content of the email.

PLUGIN CONFIGURATION - SEND EMAIL (TOOL1)	
Configure Email Tool ?	
Configure Email Tool > SMTP Settings > Attachments	
To (Specific email address)	
To (Participant ID)	requester
CC	
BCC	
Subject	Application Approved
Message	Hi #requester.firstName#
	Your application has been Approved.

Figure 2: Customizing the Email Content

You may make use of hash variables in your email message to gain access to useful information such as requester's details, form data, etc.



## Figure 3: Including File Attachments

You can also include file attachments in the email by looking up the files uploaded in a form or by providing a system path or URL for external files.

**Note:** If you want to setup a task notification for new tasks, please see User Notifications Tutorial.

## Verifying SMTP Server Connectivity

You will need to check with the server administrator on permission for connection/port for the SMTP server. A quick way to check connectivity to the server is to execute the following command:

```
telnet mail.sampleDomain.com 25
Connecting To mail.sampleDomain.com...
```

Upon successful connection, you will see this message:

+OK Microsoft Exchange Server 2001 POP3 server version 1.2.3.4 (sampleDomain.local) ready.

## **Related Elements**

Email Tool