

Start Here — GCBC

Genesis Company Brain Compiler. Four steps, about two minutes. Everything runs on your computer.

On a Mac

1. **Download** the zip from the link in your GCBC email and double-click it. Drag **GCBC** into your Applications folder.
2. **Double-click GCBC.** GCBC is signed with a Developer ID and notarized by Apple, so your Mac checks it and opens it. The first time, your Mac may ask you to confirm that you want to open an app you downloaded.
3. **Paste the key from your email.** Your browser opens the GCBC welcome page. Copy the license key from your GCBC email (it starts with `GCBC1.`), paste it into the box and click **Activate**.
4. **Ask your first question.** Answer the eight short setup questions, click **Add documents...** to choose a folder, then type a question on the board — for example, *“What can GCBC build for me?”*

On Windows: open the **GCBC for Windows** folder and double-click **GCBC.bat**. If Windows says it protected your PC, click **More info** → **Run anyway**. Your browser opens the same welcome page — paste your key there.

Bring in your tools — on every plan. Click **Add documents...** and choose a sync folder (Google Drive, OneDrive, SharePoint, Box) or an export (Gmail Takeout .mbox, Notion, Slack, Confluence, Jira, saved .eml mail). Choose the sync folder itself, not your whole home folder. Or click **Connectors** on the board and press **Connect** to sign in to a service with your own account: GCBC only reads, only after you press Connect, and the copies land on your computer. GCBC lists every file it could not read and why; Outlook .pst, .olm and .msg files are not read yet, so save messages as .eml.

Your documents and index stay on this computer. A connector you turn on talks only to that service, using your own sign-in, and nothing is sent to us. To open GCBC again, just double-click it. Your license and answers are kept in your own data folder (Mac: Library/Application Support/GCBC · Windows: %APPDATA%\GCBC), so replacing the app never loses them. Lost the email or need help? support@reaveslabs.ai **Refunds.** Within 30 days of purchase, email support@reaveslabs.ai for a full refund, no questions asked.