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Common Banner 9 Features/Functions

Login Page

Log in using your RCS userid and password

Login

Rensselaer Theme
Application Navigator 443

Links to CAS Resources

- Dashboard
- Documentation
- Issue Tracker
- Mailing Lists
- Chatroom
- Blog

Forgot your password?

For security reasons, please [log out](#) and exit your web browser when you are done accessing services that require authentication!

Welcome Page

Search for a form using the 7-character Banner name, or using common language, or use the Navigation Bar

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Linda Marra-Thompson Sign Out ?

Welcome


Search...

You can search for forms, pages, menus, jobs and quickflows.

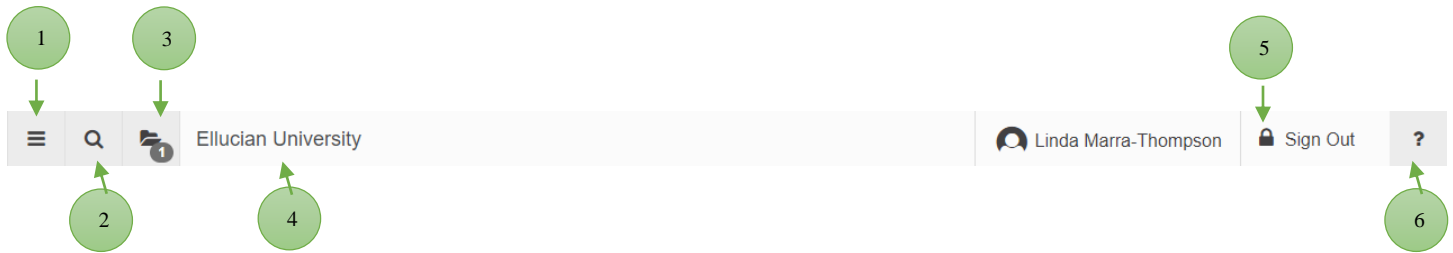
Close

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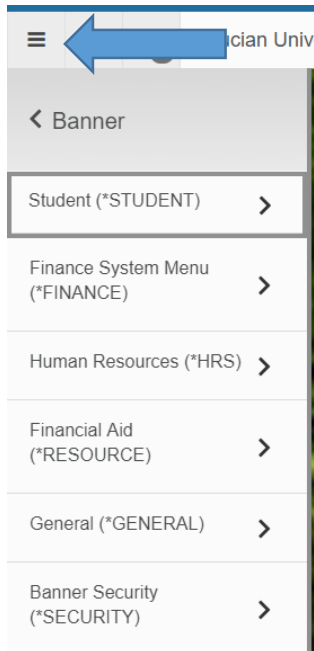
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 **Keyboard Shortcuts**

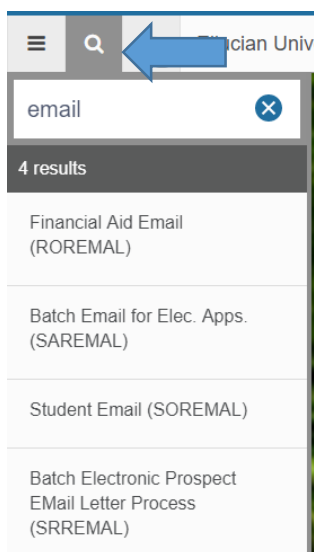
Navigation Bar



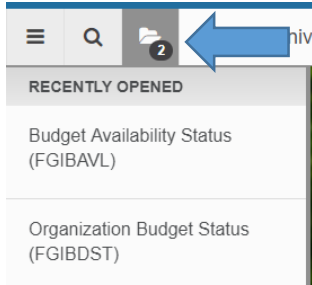
1. Menu (Ctrl + M) – Provides access to Banner Menu (also called “Hamburger Menu”)



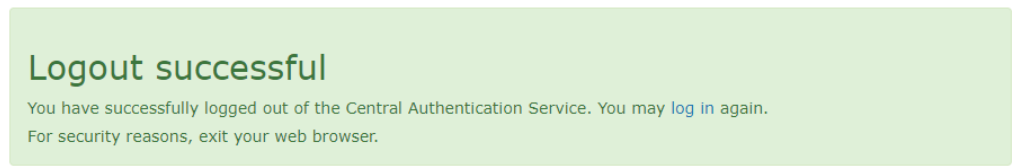
2. Search (Ctrl + Shift + Y) – Provides quick access to search for another form



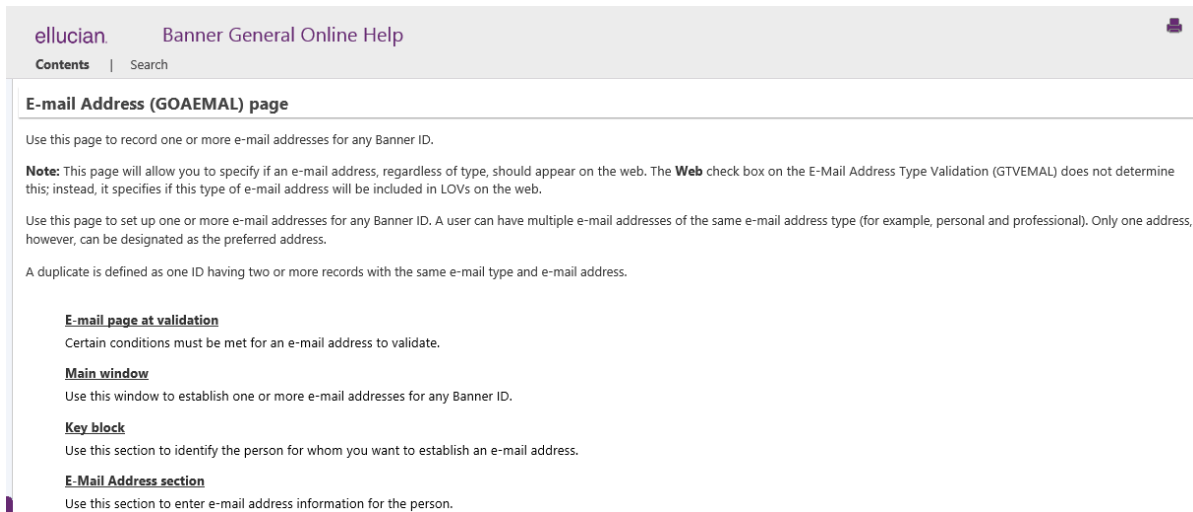
3. Recently Opened (Ctrl + Y) – Provides quick access to recently opened forms



4. Ellucian University – Select to return to the Welcome page at any time
5. Sign Out (Ctrl + Shift + F) – Select to sign out of all Single Sign On applications



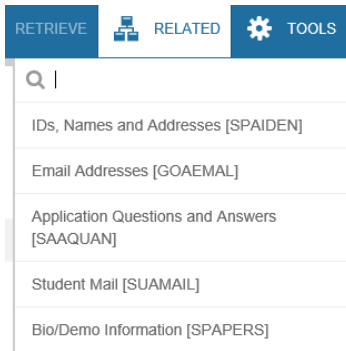
6. Help (Ctrl + Shift + L) – Accessible from any form in Banner – Will take you to online help which will provide more information about the form you are accessing.



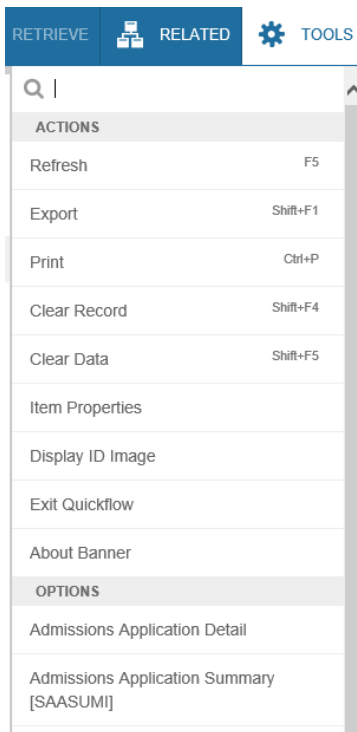
Form Header



1. Exit (Ctrl + Q) – Close form
2. Form Name, version and instance (BNRDEV9)
3. Related (Alt + Shift + R) – Provides quick access to related forms

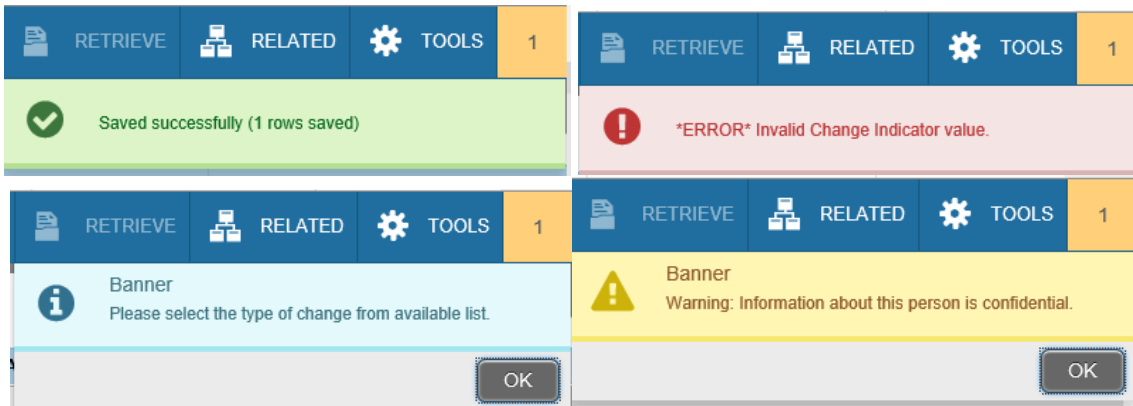


4. Tools (Alt + Shift + T) – Provides access to Actions and Options



Notifications

Clear obvious messages notifying user of information, successful actions, warnings and errors.



Record Navigation



1. First Page – Navigate to first page of records
2. Previous Page (↑)– Navigate to previous page of records
3. Record – Quickly navigate to a specific record by entering the record number
4. Next Page (↓) – Navigate to next page of records
5. Last Page – Navigate to last page of records
6. Per Page Drop-down – Select to change number of records displayed on screen
7. Record Count – Shows which record you have selected and the total number of records

Common Actions/Features



(Buttons will be grey when not usable)

Insert (F6) – create a new record

Delete (Shift + F6) – delete selected record

Copy (F4) – Copy selected record

Filter (Query Mode) (F7) – Filter records/enter query mode

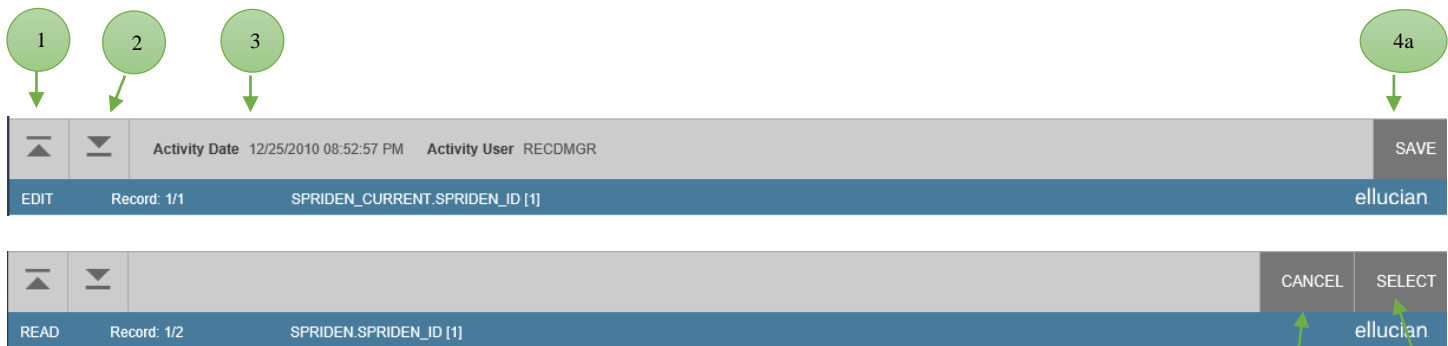
Execute (F8) – While in query mode, press Go to execute

Exit Query (Ctrl + Q) – Press X –Exit- to exit query mode



List of Values (F9) – Select the ellipsis (...) on any field to see a list of valid values.

Form Footer



1. Previous Selection (Alt + Pg-Up) – Navigate to previous Block/Tab/Page
2. Next Selection (Alt + Pg-Down) – Navigate to next Block/Tab/Page
3. Record Information – may contain Activity Date and User
4. Action Buttons
 - a. Save (F10) – save current changes
 - b. Cancel (Ctrl + Q) – cancel selection
 - c. Select (Alt + S) – select and return value

List of Keyboard Shortcuts

Cancel	Ctrl + Q
Copy	F4
Delete	Shift + F6
Exit (close form)	Ctrl + Q
Filter/Query Mode - Enter	F7 *
Filter/Query Mode - Execute	F8
Filter/Query Mode - Exit	Ctrl + Q
Help	Ctrl + Shift + L
Insert	F6
List of Values	F9
Menu	Ctrl + M
Next Record	↓ (Down Arrow)
Next Selection	Alt + Pg-down
Previous Record	↑ (Up Arrow)
Previous Selection	Alt + Pg-up
Recently Opened	Ctrl + Y
Related Forms	Alt + Shift + R
Save	F10
Search	Ctrl + Shift + Y
Select	Alt + S
Sign Out	Ctrl + Shift + F
Tools	Alt + Shift + T

* This keystroke conflicts with Firefox browser feature

WHAT is a name search?

1. A name search is a way to look through the Banner system to find the ID of someone who may have records within the system.
2. It is the way to identify if a person has multiple IDs within the system.

WHO needs to do a name search?

1. Anyone who is using the system to view someone’s records.
2. Anyone who is entering data into the system.

WHY must a name search be done?

1. To make sure data is entered into the right person’s record.
2. To make sure each person’s data can be easily accessed.
3. To make sure each person’s record is accurate and complete.

WHEN must a name search be done?

1. Anytime someone’s records are viewed.
2. Anytime data entry is done on a person’s records.

INFORMATION about Name Searching

1. Name Searching is not case sensitive.
2. Name Searches can be done from ANY form that requires an ID.
3. Always use the wildcard (See: USING the WILDCARD).
4. Enter as few letters in the name as possible to get the broadest search.
5. Searches may be done on only last names, only first names or on both first and last names.
6. Be cautious when searching on first names that could be “nick” names.
Examples: Bill/William, Tony/Anthony, Beth/Elizabeth, Debbie/Debra, Cathy/Catherine, Rick/Richard
7. Be cautious of multiple spellings of names. The Sounds Like feature may be of assistance (Pg 9 Step 7).
Examples: Cathy/Kathy, Lori/Laurie, Anderson/Andersen, McDonald/Mc Donald

USING the WILDCARD

1. The ‘%’ sign is used as the wildcard.
2. ALWAYS use the wildcard.
3. You may use more than one wildcard in each name field.
4. Wildcards may be placed anywhere in the name field.
5. Without the wildcard the system will look for an exact match.

NAME SEARCH EXAMPLES

Name:	LAST NAME field:	FIRST NAME field:
Bob McDonald	Mc%on%	%ob%
Sue Smythe	Sm%th%	Su%
Cathy Larson-White	%Lar%	%ath%
	%Whi%	%ath%
Larry Andersen	Ander%	L%

Performing ID/Name Search

1. From any form with an ID field, Click on the ellipsis (...)

General Person Identification SPAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)

ID: ...

Get Started: Fill out the fields above and press Go.

2. Select Person Search

Option List

[Person Search](#)

[Non-Person Search](#)

[Alternate ID Search](#)

3. From the drop down list, select Last Name

Person Search SOAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)

PERSON SEARCH

Enter a query, press F8 to execute.

Add Another Field ...

ID

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Change Indicator

Name Type

Case Sensitive Query

4. Enter a portion of the Last Name

5. Select First Name from the drop down and enter a portion of the First Name

Person Search SOAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)

PERSON SEARCH

Enter a query, press F8 to execute.

Last Name

First Name

Add Another Field ...

Case Insensitive Query Case Sensitive Query

- a. Note: Wildcards % are permitted but not required – see example below

Person Search SOAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)

PERSON SEARCH

Enter a query, press F8 to execute.

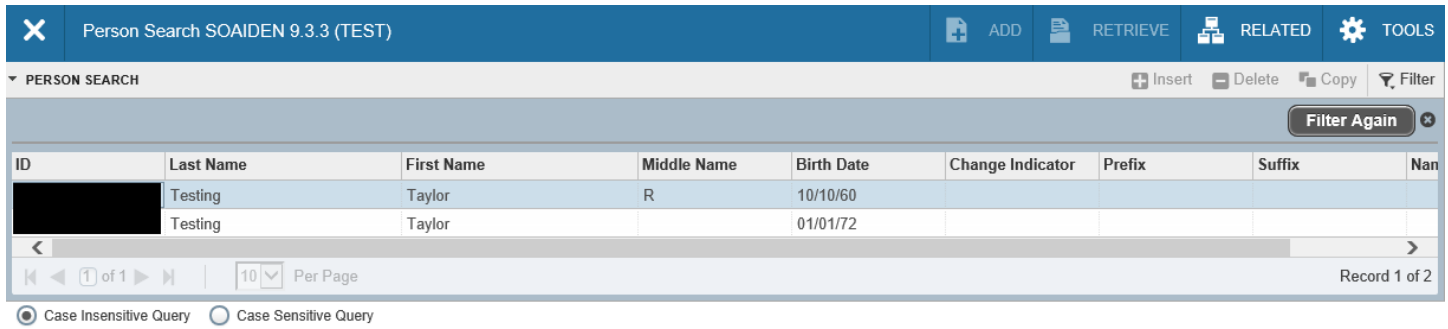
Last Name

First Name

Add Another Field ...

Case Insensitive Query Case Sensitive Query

6. Press Go (F8) – The results will be displayed

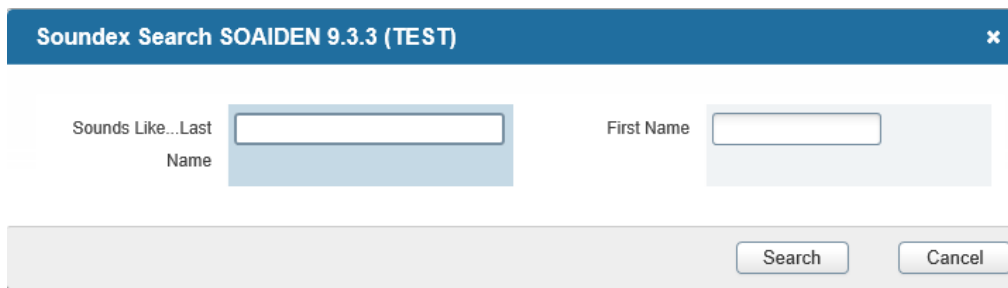


The screenshot shows the 'Person Search SOAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)' window. At the top, there are buttons for 'ADD', 'RETRIEVE', 'RELATED', and 'TOOLS'. Below the title bar, there are options for 'Insert', 'Delete', 'Copy', and 'Filter'. A 'Filter Again' button is visible on the right. The main area contains a table with the following columns: ID, Last Name, First Name, Middle Name, Birth Date, Change Indicator, Prefix, Suffix, and Name. Two records are displayed:

ID	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Birth Date	Change Indicator	Prefix	Suffix	Name
[REDACTED]	Testing	Taylor	R	10/10/60				
	Testing	Taylor		01/01/72				

At the bottom of the table, there are navigation controls: '1 of 1', 'Per Page' (set to 10), and 'Record 1 of 2'. Below the table, there are radio buttons for 'Case Insensitive Query' (selected) and 'Case Sensitive Query'.

7. Review the records. If you have located the desired record, and select it and click Select (Alt +S). You will return to the previous screen with the ID populated. If you still don't see the student you are looking for, see 7a-c below
- Select Filter Again (F7) and add more criteria (Return to Step 3), or select Next Selection (Alt + Pg-down)
 - The Sounds Like window will appear



The screenshot shows the 'Soundex Search SOAIDEN 9.3.3 (TEST)' window. It has a title bar with a close button. The main area contains two input fields: 'Sounds Like...Last Name' and 'First Name'. Below these fields are 'Search' and 'Cancel' buttons.

- Enter your search criteria and select Search – Return to step 7.
Do not use wildcards % in the Sounds Like search