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## email not working in for contact

Posted by ghostrider632 - 2006/02/13 02:08

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I figured this problem out. I didn't see a fix on this site so I will post what I did.

The Estate Agent listings are linked to the Joomla Core Contact system. So go into contact, manage contacts, open up one of your contacts put your email address in there, then in the drop down where it says Link to user, drop down and find your name.

Then make sure in the listing you have it linked to you or whom ever.

Hope that helps.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by DreNL - 2006/02/13 09:16

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Okay this worked for the contact form, you just made my day with this one! :)

Now to only get the mail to friend option to work on my particular site.....

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by Lee310 - 2006/02/13 22:01

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Sent to a friend just works fine here

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by le GROS j?j - 2006/02/14 12:35

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Hi and thanx for the email contact solution !

For me too the "send to a friend" doesn't work as it says you have to be loged in to use this function but I would like that any one can use it with no login before.

Is there a solution ?

Thanx and sorry for my english...

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by bluestar - 2006/02/14 13:25

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Thanks ghostrider632. If contact is linked to user, the contact email works.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by looch - 2006/03/01 05:42

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Hi,

I am having the same problem with sending a mail from EA.

It all works fine from the joomla com\_contacts but I get a server security error from Estate Agent.

I tried your fix but did not work...could you be a bit more specific???

Would really appreciate.

thanx

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by setanta - 2006/03/02 21:13

I cured the email to friend by removing the check in estateagent.php in function mailToFriend at line 613. I no-oped the following lines:

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    if ( $obj->id == null || $obj->access > $my->gid ) {
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*/
```

I also had to no-op line 631 which was an end conditional (})

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by setanta - 2006/03/04 02:08

Ok! I have it working now. I substituted mail for mosmail. This works for me because I don't have mail set up on my Apache server, so I use the Joomla settings which says to use my SMTP server. I changed line 599:

```
if(mail($row->email_to,$ctf_subject,$mail_body,$header)) $msg = _EA_CTF_MSUCCESS;
```

to:

```
if (mosMail( $ctf_mail, $ctf_name, $row->email_to, $ctf_subject, $mail_body )) $msg = _EA_CTF_MSUCCESS;
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It's probably better anyway to use mosMail and keep it all in the family.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by DreNL - 2006/03/04 09:43

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This is great! Changing to mosMail saved my day on this one, another functionality which can be used. Now I only have one more problem. As soon as I hit the mail to friend the pop-up comes up, but the site goes to the mainpage again. Someone has a solution for that?

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by admin - 2006/03/04 09:52

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Hi DreNL,

here?s a solution:

find the <a href...> tag which opens the mortgage calculator (estateagent.php / line ~530) and change it from this:

```
<a href="#" ...>
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to this:

```
<a href="javascript:void(0)"...>
```

kindly regards,

Darko

Post edited by: admin, at: 2006/03/04 09:54

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by admin - 2006/03/04 09:56

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Hi setanta,

thx for the solution! I was very busy last days, so I hadn?t the time to change it.

Darko

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by DreNL - 2006/03/04 11:26

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2 problems,

Number1: The link needs to be changed like this:

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<a href="\"javascript:void(0)\" .....>  
(notice the backslashes)
```

Number2: I still have the error. When I hover over the email to friend link I am getting: <http://www.kroatie-vakanties.com/#>

I have found it in the backend files. Open administrator/components/com\_estateagent/class.estateagent.php. On line

~423 change:

<a href="#" ...>

to

<a href="javascript:void(0)" ...>

Post edited by: DreNL, at: 2006/03/04 11:36

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by le GROS j?j - 2006/03/13 17:12

Hi , I've done all what you said but I have still 2 problems with the "email to a friend" function :  
when i send a mail it sais "fill in your email and the email of your friend" wich is already done and the mail is sent anyway.  
when I recieve the mail the link goes : http://.....=object&task=showEO&id=  
so the id is empty ???  
Thanx for your help

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I?ve cut of the link, because it has killed the template. (Darko)

Post edited by: admin, at: 2006/03/14 04:54

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by DreNL - 2006/03/13 19:55

Le GROS j?j?,

I have had the same problem and have disabled the function. The only thing I accomplished was that when you pushed the button, the site didn't jump back to the startpage.

I will talk to Darko and see if there can be a solution. It has to do with anti-spam measures for bots..

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by le GROS j?j - 2006/03/13 21:16

Thanx DreNL ,  
The funny thing is that this function worked all right in the previous versions...  
I looked in the older files but it looks that darko has changed the way it was working before ?!  
thanx for your help

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by admin - 2006/03/14 05:07

Hi,  
going to check it again...

Darko

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by le GROS j?j - 2006/03/14 11:19

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Hi Darko , I tried on your demo and it's working all right ...  
What is the problem with me and drenl then ???  
Does your hoster have something special ???

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by setanta - 2006/03/14 14:33

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Can you cut and paste your mailToFriend function so I can check with mine. If you no-oped some code as per my post, maybe, just maybe, you no-oped too much or didn't no-op enough.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by le GROS j?j - 2006/03/14 14:40

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Here it is :

```
function mailToFriend($option,$act,$task,$id,$send ) {
global $database, $my, $mainframe, $ea_footer;
    global $mosConfig_live_site, $mosConfig_sitename;
    global $mosConfig_mailfrom, $mosConfig_fromname;

if($send == 0){ // show mailform

/*$obj = new mosContent( $database );
    $obj->load( $id );

if ( $obj->id === null || $obj->access > $my->gid ) {
    mosNotAuth();
    return;
} else {*/
    $query = "SELECT template FROM #__templates_menu"
        . "\n WHERE client_id = 0"
        . "\n AND menuid = 0";
    $database->setQuery( $query );
    $tmpl = $database->loadResult();

$ea_footer = 0; // do not show EA footer in popup window

HTML_frontend_estateagent::«»show_mtfForm( $obj->id, $obj->title, $tmpl );
}
/*}*/
else{ // send email to friend

$validate = mosGetParam( $_POST, mosHash( 'validate' ), 0 );
if (!$validate) {
    // probably a spoofing attack
    echo _NOT_AUTH;
    return;
}

$id = mosGetParam( $_POST, 'id', '0' );
$email = mosGetParam( $_POST, 'email', '' );
$sendername = mosGetParam( $_POST, 'sendername', '' );
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$senderemail = mosGetParam( $_POST, 'senderemail', " );
$subject_default = _EA ETF_INFO .' . $sendername;
$subject = mosGetParam( $_POST, 'subject', $subject_default );

if ($oid < 1 || !$email || !$senderemail || ( check_email( $email ) == false ) || (check_email( $senderemail ) == false)) {
    echo "<script> alert('._EA ETF_ERR_NOEMAIL. '); window.history.go(-1);</script>";
}

$query = "SELECT template FROM #__templates_menu"
        . "\n WHERE client_id = 0"
        . "\n AND menuid = 0";
$databse->setQuery( $query );
$tmp1 = $databse->loadResult();

$link = sefRelToAbs( $mosConfig_live_site .'/index.php?option=com_estateagent&act=object&task=showEO&id='.
$oid );
$msg = sprintf( _EA ETF_MSG, $sendername, $senderemail, $mosConfig_sitename, $link );
mosMail( $senderemail, $sendername, $email, $subject, $msg );

HTML_frontend_estateagent::emailTFSent( $email, $tmp1 );
}
}
```

Thanx for having a look on this

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by DreNL - 2006/03/14 17:21

Well when I install it on a fresh Joomla it is running good, so it is not a hosting problem.. It has something to do with settings that are different on my life site. Have tried everything to no avail. So I have given up on it a little.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by setanta - 2006/03/14 17:59

Sorry, no help. It looks just like mine.

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## Re:email not working in for contact

Posted by jim - 2006/04/13 17:25

Works Now Thank You Very Much I Love Your EA. ;)

LINK CONTACTS IN CONTACT MANAGER TO SAME USERS THAT ADMINISTER EA. IN CATEGORY DROP DOWN CHOSE "ESTATE AGENTS"

Mail to a Friend function works fine ...unless ... you've messed around with the code ...

:whistle:

Post edited by: jim, at: 2006/04/13 17:26

