

Colleague Data Entry Tips & Tricks

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	Use '' at most LookUp prompts or fields with the '' symbol to the right as a wild card.								
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Enter '' at most LookUp prompts as a wildcard	Acad Program								
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	Ok	Cancel	Finish	Help					
	Ex: If you wanted to look for the academic program of "AA.BUSN" you could search:								
	 (will find all programs in Colleague)AA (will find all programs staring with AA)								
	 B (will find all programs with the letter B such as Business or Biology) AAN (will find all programs starting with AA and ending with N) 								
	Note: This wildcard is not allowed when looking up a person, organization, or institution.								
	Use the '@' symbol at most LookUp prompts to search for the most recent record. This can be used for person records, organization records, and codes.								
Enter '@' at most LookUp prompts to	Person LookUp								
search for the most recent									
record/code									
	Ok	Cancel Finish	n Help	J					
	Ex: If you have John Doe's record up on NAE and you move to a form not requiring a person record								
	in context (such as a parameter form), when you go to any other form requiring a person record in context, you will not need to re-search for John Doe using his name. You can just use the '@' sign.								
	Use the '=' sign at most free-form text fields for Colleague to retain the formatting of text as you typed it. By default, Colleague honors capitalization rules of mixed case, meaning the first letter of								
Enter '=' to retain	every word is capitalized. In some cases, such as acronyms, you may not want the capitalization								
formatting	rules to be honored. Once you move to another field, the '=' will not been seen.								
	Name 1 =PNC Bank								
	When entering a value into a multivalued field, Colleague will often move the cursor to the next line,								
↑↓ for	making it appear the	at what you entered h	as "disappeared". Yo	u can use the up arro	ow on your				
Multivalued Fields	keyboard to view the previous entry. Likewise, you can use the down arrow on your keyboard to view the next entry of a multivalued field.								
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	1 BUSN-101						
	Colleague honors the date settings on INTL to determine what the date formatting should be for						
	short and long dates. If you do not include the first two digits of the four digit year, Colleague will assume the current century until 2029.						
Entering Dates	Start/End Date 01/01/1930						
	 Entering 'XXXX29' = XX/XX/2029 Entering 'XXXX30' = XX/XX/1930 						
	Dates can be entered with or without separators. Separator options between month, day and year include "-" (hyphen), "." (period) or "/" (forward slash). Without separators, all 6 digits of a date can be entered (e.g., 010120 for 01/01/2020). For current year dates, year is not required (with or without separators).						
Entering Times	If AM or PM is not specified, Colleague will assume AM. Colleague honors military time. When entering time in increments less than one hour, you must use the four digit time. You can enter the colon (:) delimiter but it is not required.						
	Start/End Time 03:00PM						
J	 Entering '3' = 3:00AM Entering '3p' = 3:00PM Entering '0330' = 3:30AM Entering '15' = 3:00PM Entering '1500' = 3:00PM 						
	The Pref Name & Mail name default to Prefix, First name, Middle name, Last name, Suffix from NAE and will update automatically when a change is made to one of the mentioned fields. If you override either the Pref Name or Mail Name, these fields will no longer automatically update when a change is made to one of the fields from which it would calculate.						
Pref Name & Mail Name	Pref Name Kayla Leann Orr Mail Name 1 Kayla Leann Orr						
	To change the format of the <i>Pref Name</i> field (overriding the impact of the automatic calculation from other fields for this record only): • Enter 'im' = Prefix, First initial, Middle name, Last name, Suffix • Enter 'ii' = Prefix, First initial, Middle initial, Last name, Suffix						
	Enter 'fri' = Prefix, First name, Middle initial, Last name, Suffix Enter 'fm' = Prefix, First name, Middle name, Last name, Suffix (spelled out)						
Enter ';DATAELEMENT	• Enter 'fm' = Prefix, First name, Middle name, Last name, Suffix (spelled out) Entering a semicolon, no space, a data element in Colleague, space, and the data element value in a LookUp prompt will return the search results that meet your search criteria.						
VALUE' at most LookUp prompts to for advanced searches	Ex: I want to search for all people whose address state is FL for Florida from the NAE form. I would enter:						

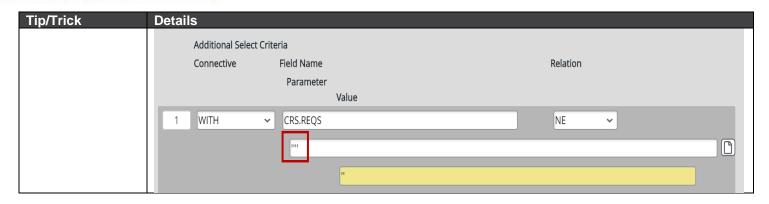


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	Ok	Cancel	Finish	Help					
	Ex: I want to search for all courses whose academic level is GR for Graduate from the CRSE form. I would enter:								
	Course LookUp								
	;CRS.ACAD.LEVEL GR								
	Ok	Cancel	Finish	Help					
	More than one search criteria can be specified separated by a space. All entered criteria must be true to receive results.								
	Ex: ;CRS.ACAD.LEVEL UG ;CRS.COURSE.TYPES HON would return a list of courses with the (undergraduate) academic level and a course type of honors.								
	Relational operators can be specified between the data element and value. • NE = not equal • GT = greater than • GE = greater than or equal to • LT = less than • LE = less than or equal to • LIKE = like a pattern • UNLIKE = unlike a pattern Ex: ;CRS.MIN.CRED GT 3 returns a list of courses whose minimum credits are greater than 3.								
Use '/' directly in front of a person or organization search at most LookUp prompts to phonetic sound of the word, rather than matching characters.									
	Ex: The name Candy could also be spelled Kandy. If I search for '/Candy', I will get any person in Colleague whose first name phonetically sounds like 'Candy'.								
Enter '/' before your search at most LookUp prompts to search									
by Soundex	Person LookUp /Candy								
	Ok	Cancel	Finish	Help					



Details Tip/Trick Use the Input # Colleague displays a Search Results window when it finds a match to your search criteria. Your from the Search cursor is automatically placed in the Input field within the Search Results window. Type the Results to select corresponding sequence # of your desired record to select it. (Alternatively, you could click the record with your mouse and then click Open or you could double-click the record to select and open your record without clicking on in it. Ex: In my search for 'Smith', Colleague found multiple records. I want to select and open 'Arthur Dean Smith' so I will type a '3' in the Input window and then press Enter on my keyboard. SEARCH RESULTS FOR: Open PERSON Combined Input smith # Name Address Line DOB \$ ID Address CSZ 1 Jamie Brown-Smith 4365 Big Horn Wy 0001318 Cheyenne WY 82001 2 Kayla Leann Orr 4000 Central Florida Blvd 09/13/1996 0003472 Orlando FL 32816 3 Arthur Dean Smith 13966 Elm Rd S Apt 137 10/30/1993 0003153 Birmingham AL 35296 4 Audrey Danielle Smith 21839 Broadway Ave NW 0001804 Pittsburgh PA 15210 5 Marshall TX 75670 Chester Johnny Smith 8302 Union Way N 02/26/1994 0003278 Enter values to be Either single or double quotes can be used. evaluated in rules and additional **Checking Criteria** selection criteria in capital letters and Left-hand Expression Connector Relation ight-hand Expression within quotation EVERY ~ [[] PST.ACTIVE.RESTRICTIONS NE 'BUS' marks. ~ P Additional Select Criteria Connective Field Name Relation Parameter Value WITH SCS.STATUS EQ ~ 'A' Α Use a set of Either single or double quotes can be used. quotation marks to evaluate the "null" Checking Criteria (blank) condition. Connector Left-hand Expression Relation Right-hand Expression STU.CURRENT.HOME.LOCATION ~ || [P] SEC.LOCATION WITH ΕO 2 OR ~ [C] SEC.LOCATION EQ ~ [P ••• 3 In the Additional Selection Criteria context, the evaluation of the null (blank) condition requires that the set of quotation marks be enclosed within quotation marks. In the following example, four single quotation marks are used to designate the null condition.





Keyboard Shortcuts

This document describes the keyboard shortcuts available in Colleague UI. Many shortcuts work for both Windows machines and Macs. Some sections below are repeated when there are significant differences.

Colleague UI Feature Shortcuts

The following shortcuts are available from most places in Colleague UI. **Note:** Some keyboard shortcuts have changed as of UI 5.7. Please review this list carefully. Note: Some of these shortcuts may not work in all browsers. Browser plug-ins or other applications may override these shortcuts and activate different commands.

- Change focus to Search Box: Ctrl+Alt+S
- Toggle between Person and Form search in the Search Box: Ctrl+Alt+S
- Show Search Results dialog box: Ctrl+Alt+R
- Show Advanced Person Search dialog box: Ctrl+Alt+A
- Show Navigation dialog box: Ctrl+Alt+N
- Show Preferences dialog box: Ctrl+Alt+C
- Show the Settings menu: Ctrl+Alt+U
- Exit/Logout: Ctrl+Alt+L
- Show Favorites dialog box: Ctrl+Alt+F
- Show Help (for current UI area in focus): Ctrl+Alt+H
- Show the Help menu: Ctrl+Alt+/ (forward slash)
- Show Keyboard Shortcuts: Ctrl+Alt+K
- Show the Quick Tour video: Crtl+Alt+Q
- Close an open dialog box (and return to the Search Box): Esc
- Move to the next focus spot: Tab
- Move to the previous focus spot: Shift+Tab

Field Text Editing Shortcuts For Windows

The following shortcuts are available for text entry boxes:

- Select all text in input area: Ctrl+A
- Copy selected text: Ctrl+C
- Delete a character or selected text: Delete
- Cut selected text: Shift+Delete or Ctrl+X
- Paste text in clipboard: Ctrl+V
- Select text to end of field: Shift+End
- De-select a character: Shift+Left Arrow
- Select a character: Shift+Right Arrow
- Move to the beginning of the current input area: Home
- Move to the end of the current input area: End
- Move one character to the left: Left Arrow
- Move one character to the right: Right Arrow
- Move one word to the left: Ctrl+Left Arrow



- Move one word to the right: Ctrl+Right Arrow
- Undo last command: Ctrl+Z
- Redo last command: Ctrl+Y

Field Text Editing Shortcuts For Mac

The following shortcuts are available for text entry boxes:

- Select all text in input area: Cmd+A
- Copy selected text: Cmd+C
- Delete a character or selected text: Delete
- Cut selected text: Cmd+X
- Paste text in clipboard: Cmd+V
- Delete the character to the left: Ctrl+H or Delete
- Delete the character to the right: Ctrl+D or Fn+Delete
- Extend text selection one character to the left: Shift+Left Arrow
- Extend text selection one character to the right: Shift+Right Arrow
- Select the text to beginning of field: Shift+Cmd+Left Arrow
- Select the text to end of field: Shift+Cmd+Right Arrow
- Move to beginning of the current input area: Cmd+Left Arrow
- Move to end of the current input area: Cmd+Right Arrow
- Move to beginning of the previous word: Opt+Left Arrow
- Move to end of the next word: Opt+Right Arrow
- Move one character forward: Ctrl+F
- Move one character backward: Ctrl+B
- Undo the previous command: Cmd+Z
- Redo; reverse the undo command: Cmd+Y or Shift+Cmd+Z

Context Area Shortcuts

The following shortcuts are for working with records in the Context Area:

- Toggle Context Keep Open/Auto Close: Ctrl+Alt+O
- Show Context Area help: Ctrl+Alt+Y
- View all records in Context Area (card selector drop-down): Ctrl+Alt+1
- Close current record in Context Area: Ctrl+Alt+X
- Close all records in Context Area: Ctrl+Shift+X
- Add current record in Context Area to Favorites: Ctrl+Alt+V
- Add all records in Context Area to Favorites: Ctrl+Alt+2
- Go to next record in Context Area: Ctrl+. (dot)
- Go to previous record in Context Area: Ctrl+, (Comma)
- Change focus to the Context Area (works even if no active context card is displayed): Ctrl+Alt+W

Colleague Form Shortcuts

The keyboard shortcuts listed below are available only when working within a UI form or when a form is open (alternative keystroke combinations are separated by |). **Note:** Some of these shortcuts may not work in all browsers. Browser plugins or other applications may override these shortcuts and activate different commands. *Field Movement Shortcuts*

- Move to the next field: Tab
- Move to the previous field: Shift+Tab
- Move to the beginning of the current field: Home
- Move to the end of the current field: End
- Open a drop-down list to select a value: Down Arrow
- Scroll through the values in a drop-down list: Up/Down Arrow
- Select the highlighted value in the drop-down list: Enter



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Envision Table Shortcuts

- Move forward one row in a table: Down Arrow*
- Move back one row in a table: Up Arrow*
- Move forward one page in a table: Page Up
- Move backward one page in a table: Page Down
- Move to the first row of a table: Ctrl+Home
- Move to the last row of a table: Ctrl+End
- Field insert in a table: Insert
- Field delete in a table: Ctrl+Alt+D
- Export table contents to Excel: Ctrl+Alt+E

*If the current field within a window has a drop-down list, use Down Arrow to open the list, **Up/Down Arrow** to move up and down within the list, and **Ctrl+Up** or **Ctrl+Down** to move back or forward one row.

Form Shortcuts

- Save current form: F9
- Save all open forms: Ctrl+Shift+F9 [NOTE: Shift+F9 not available for Firefox]
- Cancel from current form: F8 or Ctrl+Alt+End
- Cancel from all forms: Ctrl+Shift+F8 [NOTE: Use Shift+F8 not available for Firefox]
- Finish from current form: Ctrl+F9
- Move to the next form: Ctrl+Alt+Dot
- Move to the previous form: Ctrl+Alt+Comma
- Add current form to Favorites: Ctrl+Alt+4
- Record Delete (when allowed): Ctrl+Alt+Z
- Print active form: Ctrl+Alt+P
- Open external hyperlink associated to form: Ctrl+Alt+G
- Open Colleague Attachments dialog: Ctrl+Alt+T
- Move focus to open UI form: ESC or Ctrl+Alt+Home

Help: Ctrl+Alt+H | F1 (shows help for area currently in focus; F1 may not work in all instances)

Search Results Shortcuts

Person and Other Search Results

The keyboard shortcuts listed below are available only when working within a Search Results Panel that is **not Form Search**:

- Select all records: FA
- Add a new record, if available: A
- Jump to page containing result number n: J n
- Enter sort select criteria, if applicable: S
- Switch to Card View: C
- Switch to Grid View: G
- Export results to Excel: E
- Move to the next page of results: PageDown
- Move to the previous page of results: PageUp
- Move to the first page of results: Home
- Move to the last page of results: End
- Show these search input options: ?

Form Search Results

The keyboard shortcuts listed below are available when focused on the Input box for a **Form Search Results** panel:



Execute result n: n (enter the number)

Jump to and focus on result number n: J n

Move to the next page of results: PageDown
Move to the previous page of results: PageUp

Move to the first page of results: Home

Move to the last page of results: End

Windows Accessibility Shortcuts:

The keyboard shortcuts listed below are available when working within a UI form using assistive technology software, specifically JAWS and NVDA. The Access Forward and Back keys allow movement between fields on a form regardless of whether the field is inquiry or maintainable. Access Forward will change focus to the next field on the form as defined by the form's field order. Access Back will change focus to the previous field on the form. When focus is on an Envision window field, the Access Forward and Back keys function as Tab and Shift+Tab, respectively.

There are two options for reading data in the row of Envision windows. Read Window Row will read column and data information according to the Verbose Accessibility setting in the Miscellaneous section of the Preferences panel. If this flag is checked, Read Window Row will read verbose data, including the name of the window, the column number, the name of the window element, whether the element is maintainable or inquiry, and the value of the element. If this flag is unchecked, Read Window Row reads only the column number and the element value. Elucidate Window Row Detail reads the verbose version of Read Window Row. **Note:** Some of these shortcuts may not work in all browsers. Browser plug-ins or other applications may override these shortcuts and activate different commands. *Colleague Form Shortcuts*

Announce Current Form: Ctrl+Shift+F

Read all Inquiry fields on a form: Ctrl+Alt+I

Access Forward: Ctrl+Alt+] (right bracket)

Access Back: Ctrl+Alt+[(left bracket)

Read Window Row: Ctrl+Alt+- (hypen)

Elucidate Window Row Detail: Ctrl+Shift+Y

Move focus to Context Header: Ctrl+Alt+W

The keyboard shortcuts listed below are available when in Accessibility Mode and focused on the Input box for a Search Results panel that is **not Form Search**:

Select all records: FA

Add a new record, if available: A

• Jump to page containing result number n: J n

Enter sort select criteria, if applicable: S

Switch to Card View: CSwitch to Grid View: G

Export results to Excel: E

Read key for result number n: R n

Read details for result number n: RD n

Toggle selection of row n: T n

Move to the next page of results: PageDown

Move to the previous page of results: PageUp

Move to the first page of results: Home

Move to the last page of results: End

Show search input options: ?

The accessibility keyboard shortcuts listed below are available when focused on the Input box for a **Form Search Results** panel and in Accessibility Mode.

• Execute result *n*: *n* (enter the number)

Read results row n: R n



- Jump to and focus on result number n: J n
- Move to the next page of results: **PageDown**
- Move to the previous page of results: PageUp
- Move to the first page of results: Home
- Move to the last page of results: End