Stack Overflow is a community of 4.7 million programmers, just like you, helping each other.

Join them; it only takes a minute:

Sign up

Join the Stack Overflow community to:

Ask programming questions

Answer and help your peers

Get recognized for your expertise

—

validate text area box after clicking particular radio button

hi my code in html is like this

```
<input type="radio" name='answer_value1[<?php echo $survey1->id?>]' value="<?php echo
$answer1->id?>" validate="required:true" id="<?php $answer1->valdt == '1' ? print
"welcome":""?>" />
```

And this is code for comment box

```
<textarea rows="5" cols="55" name="nn[<?php echo $survey1->id?>]" id="comment" >
</textarea>
```

if the radio button id is "welcome" then i want to make the textarea should be validate otherwise not.

and i wrote some code in jquery

```
$(function() {
  $('input[id="welcome"]')).change(function() {
  $('textarea[id="comment"]').each(function(){
      $(this).rules("add", {
         required: true,

      } );
  } );
} );
```

If i click this field first and after if i clicked another radio button it's still validate this textarea field. please give me some idea

php   javascript   mysql   ajax

edited Jan 27 '13 at 10:51   asked Jan 26 '13 at 7:19

Ujnep
61   1   8

Show what you tried. – Barmar Jan 26 '13 at 7:29

@Barmar if($answer1->valdt=="1") { $validate[$i]="validate='required:true'"; } – Ujnep   Jan 26 '13 at 11:56

That's server code, not AJAX. Post the Javascript code you tried. Are you using a validation library? If you use jQuery, there's a good one at docs.jquery.com/Plugins/Validation – Barmar Jan 26 '13 at 15:35

@bamar I edit the code please view and suggest me . – Ujnep   Jan 27 '13 at 11:18

Are these elements being created in a PHP loop? You need to ensure that IDs are unique. Using `.each()` with an ID selector makes no sense, since there can only be one matching element. And it's more idiomatic to use `$("#welcome")` than `$("[id=welcome]")`. Regarding the validation code, I suggest you look at some of the examples in the documentation, you've got it all wrong. – Barmar Jan 27 '13 at 20:14

2 Answers

FYI, ajax is not for validation. Its for asynchronous fetching of data from the server.

```
if (document.getElementById('welcome').checked) {
    var textarea = document.getElementById('comment');

    if (textarea.value = '') {
        // validation failed
        return false;
    } else {
        return true;
    }
}
```
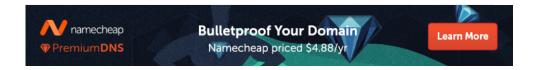
edited Jan 27 '13 at 12:44   answered Jan 26 '13 at 10:02

Салман
3,198 1 16 36

i edited the code can you please give more idea? – Ujnep Jan 27 '13 at 12:39

@UjwalKoirala Edited the code, you can put it in your form submit event. is it what you looking for? – Салман Jan 27 '13 at 12:45

thank you my 50% headache reduced – Ujnep Jan 27 '13 at 13:13

Did you try this :

var v = document.getElementById("validation1"); ValidatorValidate(v);

by this line of code you can force validator to check validation. so you can add validation control for your textBox and run above code on radio button selectedChanged event handler.

answered Jan 26 '13 at 7:38

hm1984ir
356 1 7

@HM19984ir Sir, Can you please describe which code should i put where? – Ujnep Jan 26 '13 at 10:12