

# Here is my project:

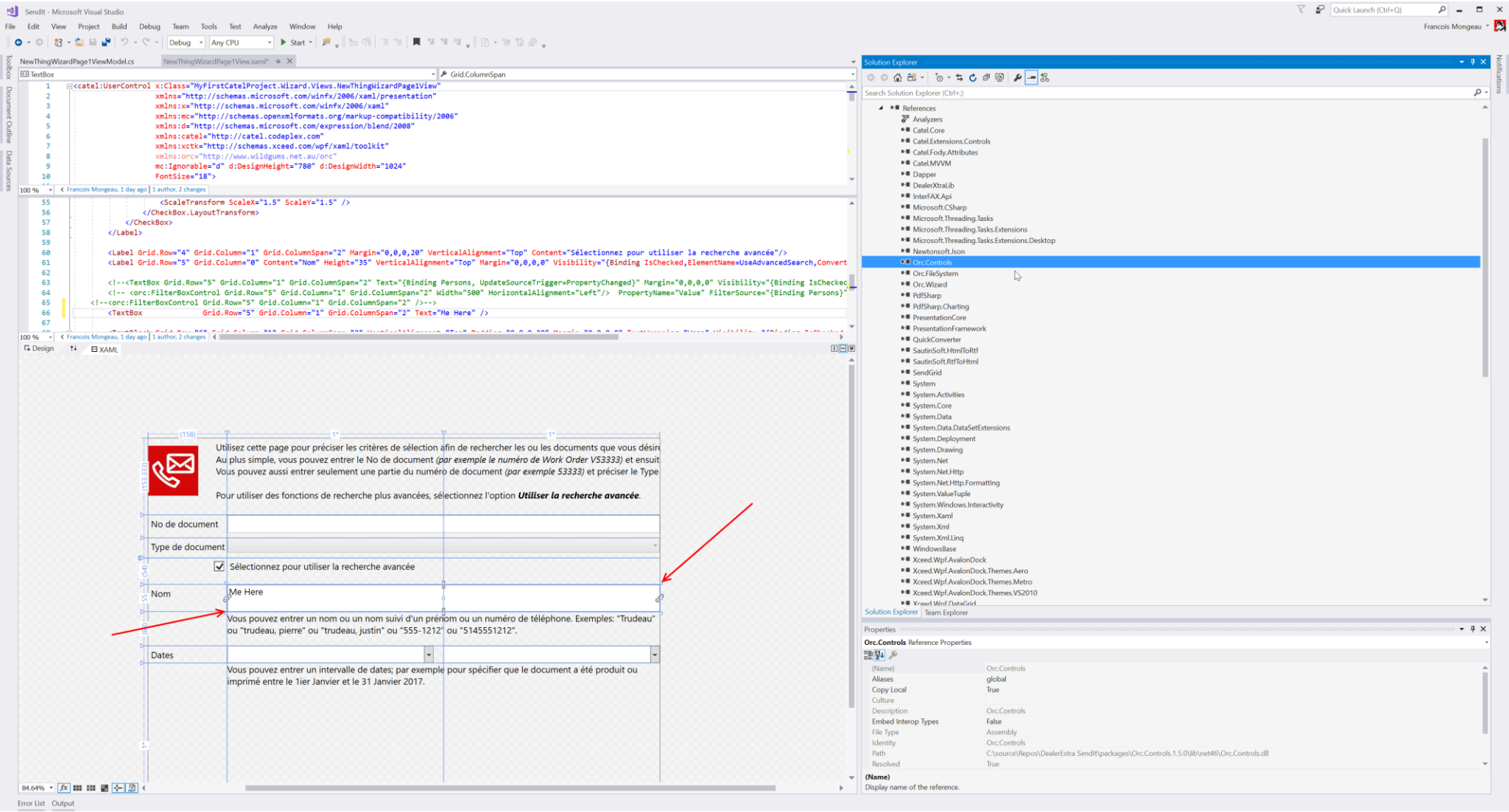
The screenshot displays the Microsoft Visual Studio IDE with the following components and annotations:

- XAML Code (Top):** Shows the namespace declaration for `orc:FilterBoxControl` in the `xmlns:orc` namespace. A red arrow labeled '1' points to this declaration.
- XAML Code (Middle):** Shows the `orc:FilterBoxControl` element being used in the XAML. A red arrow labeled '2' points to this element.
- Design View (Bottom):** Shows a form with search criteria. A red arrow labeled '3' points to the design outline of a text box.
- Solution Explorer (Right):** Shows the project structure. A red arrow labeled '4' points to the `Orc.Controls` project.
- Properties Window (Bottom Right):** Shows the reference properties for `Orc.Controls`. A red arrow labeled '5' points to the `Path` property, which is set to `C:\source\Repos\DealerExtra_SendIt\packages\Orc.Controls.1.5.0\lib\net46\Orc.Controls.dll`.

As you can see: (1) the namespace is referenced, (2) the `orc:FilterBoxControl` is selected, (3) the designer shows the outline of the text box but does not show the text box itself, (4) it looks to me like I have the right reference to the `Orc.Controls` and (5) I tried many of the available versions.

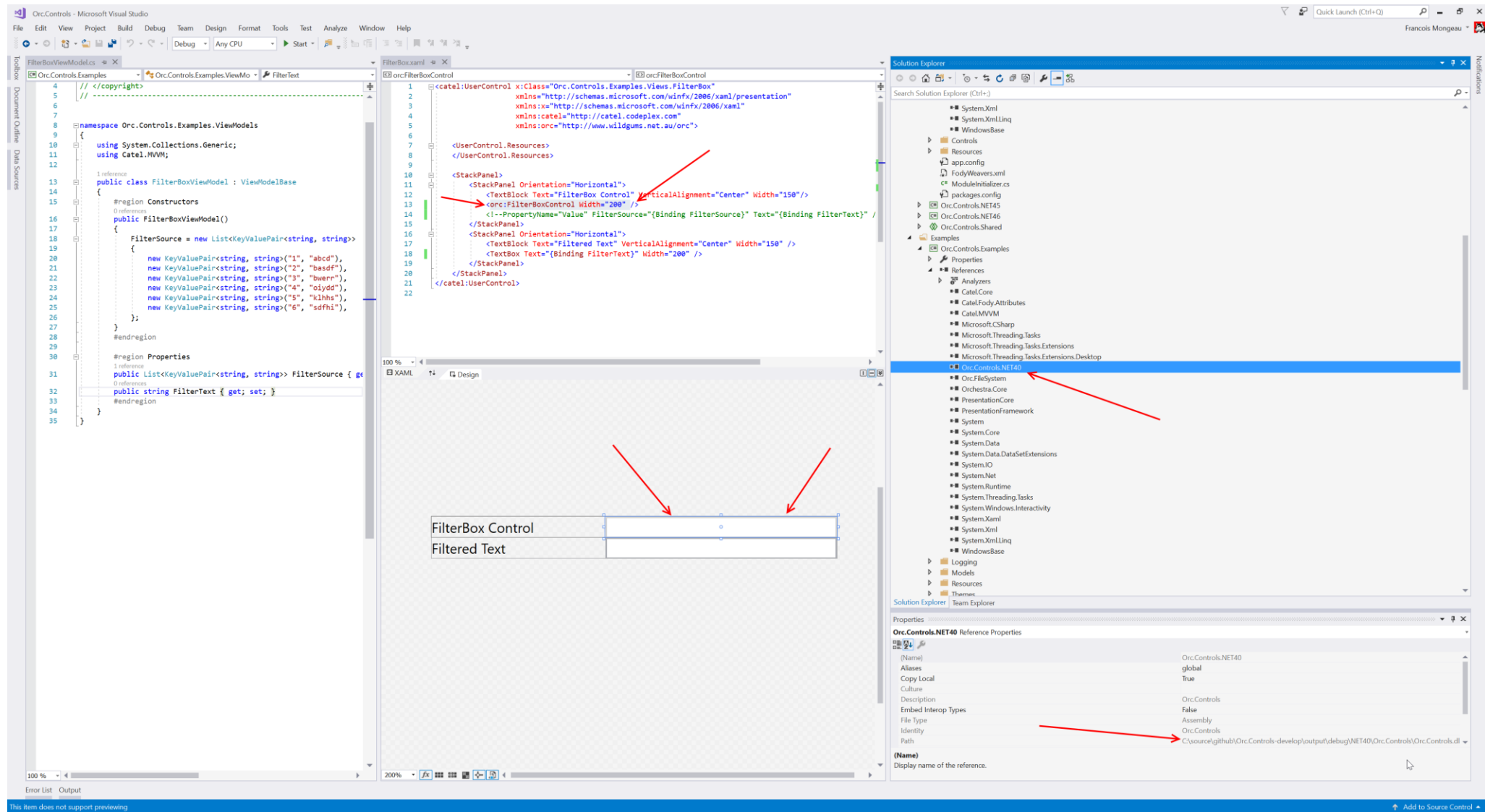
The issue is that the text box does not show – neither in design mode nor in run time.

As a test, I replaced the orc control by a text box:



... when I use a regular text box, it does show as expected.

In the example for the orc:FilterBoxControl:



The text box does show as expected.

What am I doing wrong? What's the difference between the two projects? (I'm using VS2017 for both).