

Contact Selector

This package was originally developed for use with an Expression Engine 2.0 system, however it is fully contained and only requires a few simple changes to be made in order to have proper functionality in any server environment.

Files

Verify that the structure matches the below before using this tool.

Structure

```
maps_updater
|   mcp.maps_updater.php
|   mod.maps_updater.php
|   README
|   upd.maps_updater.php
|
|   +---contact_selector
|   |   contact_selector.html
|   |   handle_contact_selector.php
|   |   regions.js
|   |   selectize.css
|   |   selectize.js
|   |
|   +---css
|   |   |   bootstrap.css
|   |   |   selectize.css
|   |   |   style.css
|   |   |   trumbowyg.css
|   |   |
|   |   \---ui
|   |       FhHRx.gif
|   |       icons.svg
|   |
|   +---javascript
|   |   bootstrap.js
|   |   jquery.js
|   |   scripts.js
|   |   selectize.js
|   |   trumbowyg.js
|   |
|   +---language
|   |   \---english
|   |       maps_updater_lang.php
|   |
|   \---views
|       attributes.php
|       config.php
|       index.php
|       location_inc.php
|       mapdata-read.php
|       points_inc.php
|       providers_inc.php
|       publish.php
|       regions.js
|       settings_inc.php
|       updateLocation.php
|       updatePoints.php
|       updateProviders.php
|       updateSettings.php
|       _wrapper.php
```

Required for Expression Engine:

1. mcp.maps_updater.php
2. mod.maps_updater.php
3. upd.maps_updater.php

Usage

Anything you need to know about using this tool can be found in this section.

Config

Every variable needed by initialization is present in the `/views/config.php` file. This includes access to the database, paths to place files as well as variables used within the tool itself.

Customization

You can customize the front-end visuals by opening the template `/contact_selector/contact_selector.html` and changing the CSS in the `<style>` tags. If you change this file in the module folder, `maps_updater/`, it will publish the changes to the set path in `/views/config.php`.

Initialization

Lets get things started!

Admin Tool((Back-end):

When using **Expression Engine** all you need to do is copy the folder `maps_updater/` into Expression Engines' `/third_party/` modules folder, install the module and open it. This will move all the files to the correct locations assuming the paths are correctly set in `/views/config.php`.

For everything else, place the `maps_updater/` folder within your CMS secured folders to prevent access from unauthorized individuals, and open the file `/views/index.php` and uncomment the two comment blocks marked as

```
// Uncomment the following for use outside Expression Engine
```

then run `/views/index.php` to start using the tool. Like before assuming the paths are correctly set in `/views/config.php` it will move the files to the correct locations and work as intended.

Contact Selector(Front-end):

When using **Expression Engine** embed the template where you would like it to display with the following code: `{embed="includes/contact_selector"}`. This embed code is setup to allow 5 different parameters which allow you to customize the output of the contacts, **these parameters are case sensitive**.

- `... allow_region="true" ...}`
- `... selection_type="All" ...}`

All three of the following must be present to work correctly.

- `... selection_location="United States" ...}`
- `... selection_category="Category 1" ...}`
- `... selection_product="Product 1" ...}`

Example of all 5

- `{embed="includes/contact_selector" selection_type="All" allow_region="false" selection_location="United States" selection_category="Category 1" selection_product="Product 1"}`

For everything else, the conditions above are all defined at the top of the `/contact_selector/contact_selector.html` file and need to be set for the tool to work correctly.