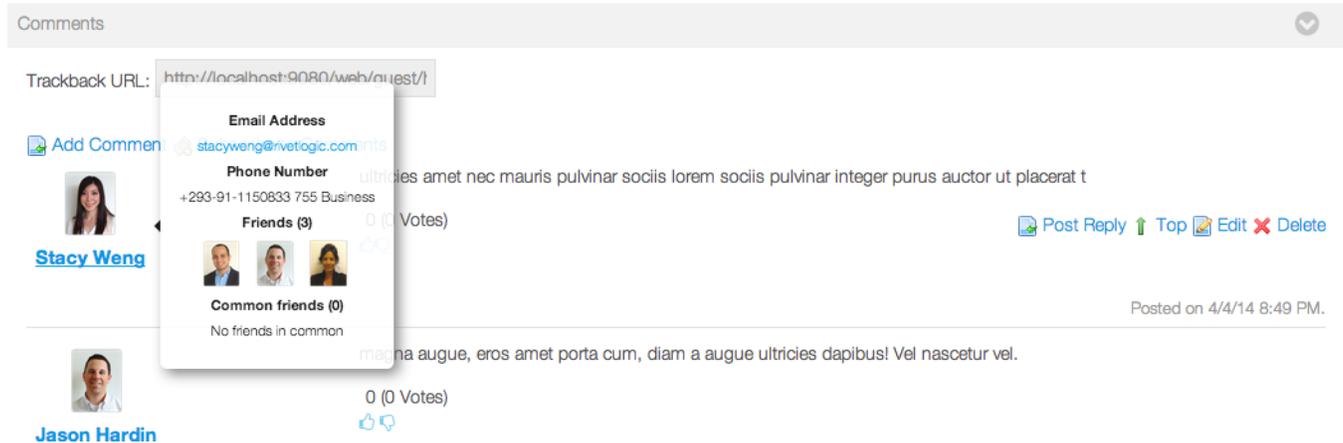


Hovercard



Summary

The hook enhances the default user display with additional user profile information in a pop up when hovering above user's avatar.



Overview

The hook introduces a key social feature that allows portal users to discover more about other users on a simple hover over their profile image, that appears across the portal, without having to click and visit a users profile page.

The fields that will be displayed on the hovercard are:

- Common friends
- Email address (only primary)
- Friends
- Phone number (only primary)

The plugin is a customization of the `<liferay-ui:user-display>` tag, that means the feature will appear on all portlets where this tag is used. Some of the places where this could be found are:

- Message Boards, Blogs and Wiki comments
- Recent Bloggers
- User statistics
- Requests
- Asset discussions

In order for the friends and common friends to be populated, the portal should have social networking portlets or custom portlets that allow connections and establishing relationships. In order to jump start, the [Liferay Social Networking](#) portlets can be downloaded, installed and made available to the portal users.

Installation

- Obtain the Hovercard app from Liferay Market Place.
- Deploy the app in your existing out of the box Liferay installation. If you haven't installed Liferay, please download and follow the instructions to do so.
- When the app is installed all users should see the hovercard, please note that those fields will only appear if the user has those fields updated in their My Account.

Please check on configuration for personalization and explanation about how to see the fields in hovercards.

Configuration

- In order to **choose** which fields to show please go to

Control Panel >> Portal Settings >> Users >> Hover Information

Control Panel Users Sites Apps Configuration My Sites 0 Test Test

Portal Settings Custom Fields Server Administration Portal Instances Workflow

Users

Fields Reserved Credentials Default User Associations Hover User Information

- Common friends
- Email Address
- Friends
- Phone Number

Liferay

CONFIGURATION

- General
- Authentication
- Users**
- Mail Host Names
- Email Notifications
- Content Sharing

Check and uncheck the fields you want or do not want to display and click on Save at the bottom of the page.

- Please remember that Users should update their **My Account** Additional Email address and Phone numbers section in order to have their email address and phone number to appear on hover over their profile picture. The user's login email address is not displayed by this hook but please feel free to modify if that is the desired behavior that you are looking for in your installation.

My Account

My Account

Account Settings My Pages My Workflow Tasks My Submissions

Details

Screen Name (Required)
test

Email Address (Required)
test@liferay.com

Title

First Name (Required)
Test

Middle Name

User ID
10201

Birthday
01/01/1970

Gender
Male

Change Delete

Test Test

User Information

- Details**
- Password
- Organizations
- Sites
- User Groups
- Roles
- Categorization

Identification

- Addresses
- Phone Numbers
- Additional Email Addresses
- Websites
- Instant Messenger
- Social Network

- In order to display friends and common friends use applications related to the social interaction to establish the relationship. A simple profile page with some of the social networking portlets such as Wall Portlet and Request Portlet from Liferay's Social Networking application is shown below.

Summary

Test Test



Send a Message

Add as Friend 

JOB TITLE Computer Engineer

ABOUT ME I'm nice.

ACTIVITY DETAILS

2 FORUM POSTS  

Wall

You have to be Test's friend to access his wall. Ask Test to be your friend.



Timothy Garret

 Timothy Garret wants to be your friend.

 Confirm  Ignore

REQUESTS

Note for developers

CSS is included on the html page not in a separate stylesheet as this is tag library with a lot of styles coming from user_display.css (which is also part of the taglib css) . Please feel free to override these in your theme as you see it fit.

Code repository

The latest source code is located at the following location:

<https://github.com/rivetlogic/liferay-hovercard>

Contact Us

We welcome feature/bug reports concerning the Hovercard app and other improvements customers may want. Discussion helps clarify the ways the app can be used and also helps define directions for future development. Please post your concerns at <http://issues.rivetlogic.com/browse/LRA>

Change log

1.1.0

Company credits.