

## Re: Loop through names of controls

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oops. Looked too quick. Didn't scroll down to the string of the sql. I thought he was having trouble getting an object in his loop.

"Dan Artuso" <dartuso@NSpagepearls.com> wrote in message news:ubBJhItEHA.2072@tk2msftngp13.phx.gbl...

> *Hi,*

> *This is how you would refer to a control in your loop:*

> *stEstCode = Me("cboEstCode" & intEstCode)*

>

> *AND*

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> *stCands = Me("txtCands" & intCands)*

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> *--*

> *HTH*

> *Dan Artuso, Access MVP*

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> *"Baby Face Lee" <BabyFaceLee@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:BB6D7288-FB04-4D9F-9A6A-709AA548E95F@microsoft.com...*

> > *Hello (again)*

> > *Sorry to keep bothering you guys but I'm having probs trying to do a loop.*

> > *I've got a control (well two infact) that each have the same name except for*

> > *a number at the end (eg cboEstCode1 to cboEstCode12) - there are 12 of them.*

> > *I'm running some SQL to insert the value in each control into a table. I*

> > *thought I'd do a For/Next loop that goes round 12 times adding the digit to*

> > *the end of the control name but the SQL is taking the string values*

*literally*

> > *(not surprisingly) rather than finding the value that's in the name of the*

> > *control.*

> > *Here's my code:*

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> > *Set db = DBEngine(0)(0)*

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> > *For intEstCode = 1 To 12*

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> > stEstCode = "cboEstCode" & intEstCode
> > For intCands = 1 To 12
> > stCands = "txtCands" & intCands
> >
> > strSQL = "INSERT INTO tbl_Estimates (CentreNo, EstCode, Cands)" _
> > & " VALUES (" & Me!cboCentreNo & ", " & "" & stEstCode & "" & ", "
> > & stCands & ");"
> > db.Execute strSQL
> > Exit For
> > Next
> > Next
> >
> > I know this is not the way a form should be constructed but I'm trying to
> > 'push' the data into a table to improve speed and a continuous form doesn't
> > work because being Unbound it doesn't hold more than one record at a time.
> > Sorry for all the waffle but can you help with this? Have I got the loop
> > structure right too?
> > Thanks guys!
> > Lee
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