

BLUE CHAMELEON : Advanced Functions and Configuring : Main Menu personalization

For links outside this document,

*download the relevant chapter or the **Blue Chameleon Full Documentation**.*

December 19, 2013

Appendix C

Main Menu personalization

The Main Menu is not static : it can be modified to suit the specific needs of users. The configuration of the Main Menu is accessed via **Options** / **Main menu** and then choosing the menu you want to modify (as default 'Standard menu') : you will be brought to the *Menu Management Page* for this very menu, as featured on Fig.C.1.

There, command groups are listed, with for each a series of buttons aimed to manage them.

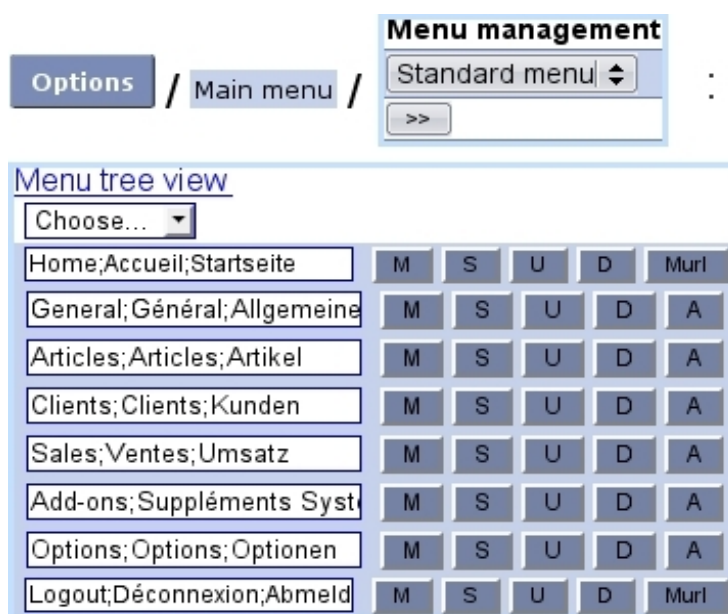


Figure C.1: The *Menu Management Page* enables to accomplish any menu personalization.



User rights for menu management (rearranging, creating submenus,...) can be set up either at the Modify User Page (Fig.9.17) or the User Right Page (B.2) under the element

Menu management

C.1 Command group names

Command group names, on the *Menu Management Page*, appear by default in three languages, as separated by a semicolon, in the following order : English, French and German. For instance "Sales;Ventes;Umsatz". The language in which they ultimately appear in the menu bar is the that has been selected at the *Merchant Configuration Page* (9.1.9).

Those names can be changed at your convenience, respecting the language order. Any modification on a name field you would like to make has to be validated by clicking on the corresponding **M** button.

C.2 Command group displacement

Command groups appear at the Main Menu in the same order (from the left to the right) as they are listed (from the top to the bottom) on the *Menu Management Page*. To move a command group before its predecessor , click on the corresponding **U** button. To perform the inverse move (after its follower), click on the **D** button.

C.3 Displaying sub-(...)-menus and procedures

This task is achieved via **A**. All command groups except **Home** and **Logout** break down into submenus and even sub-submenus for some of their elements. As shown in Fig.C.2, clicking on the **A** button display those (along a drop-down menu enabling to add a new menu or procedure).

Name modifications as well as displacements then work in the same way as cleared up above, and also, if it exists, the displaying of a sub-submenu.

It can be seen on this Fig. that the elements displayed by clicking on 'Misc's **A** button do not provide themselves a **A** button, but a **Murl** : that is because these elements are procedures, which means that they **lead to a screen and not another submenu**.

As a matter of fact, the **Home** and **Logout** command groups are indeed procedures, as they directly induce an action on behalf of Blue Chameleon.

[Menu Management Page]

The screenshot displays a menu management interface with a grid of menu items. Each item is represented by a text box containing its name in three languages (e.g., 'Home;Accueil;Startseite') and a set of buttons labeled 'M', 'S', 'U', 'D', and 'A'. A red hand icon indicates a click on the 'A' button for the 'General' menu item. Below the grid, a navigation pane on the right shows the resulting menu structure, with 'General' expanded to show its sub-items: 'Merchant', 'Users', 'Personalization', and 'Miscellaneous'. The 'Miscellaneous' sub-item is further expanded to show its own sub-items: 'Delivery methods', 'Delivery sets', 'Payment methods', 'Payment sets', 'Taxes', 'Token', and 'Images'.

Home;Accueil;Startseite	M	S	U	D	Murl
General;Général;Allgemeine	M	S	U	D	A
Merchant;Commerçant;Händler	M	S	U	D	A
Users;Utilisateurs;Benutzer	M	S	U	D	A
Personalization;Personnalisations	M	S	U	D	A
Miscellaneous;Divers;Verschiedenes	M	S	U	D	A
Delivery methods;Modes de livraison	M	S	U	D	Murl
Delivery sets;Sets de livraison	M	S	U	D	Murl
Payment methods;Modes de paiement	M	S	U	D	Murl
Payment sets;Sets de paiement	M	S	U	D	Murl
Taxes;Taxes;Mehrwertsteuer	M	S	U	D	Murl
Token;Jetons;Token	M	S	U	D	Murl
Images;Images;Bilder	M	S	U	D	Murl
Articles;Articles;Artikel	M	S	U	D	A
Clients;Clients;Kunden	M	S	U	D	A
Sales;Ventes;Umsatz	M	S	U	D	A
Add-ons;Suppléments System	M	S	U	D	A
Options;Options;Optionen	M	S	U	D	A

Figure C.2: (Top :) First clicking on 'A' besides 'General' displays its sub-menu, then clicking on 'Misc's 'A' displays the menu it itself contains. (Bottom :) Following that path shows the actual result of that structuring.