Quick View Insider—Microblog: Why Is There No Inbox?

Applies to:
SAP SNC (Supply Network Collaboration) release 7.0 enhancement pack 1
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Summary
Question: Why doesn’t the microblog have an “Inbox”.
Answer: It has one. You can activate it by setting the corresponding flag in method /SCF/IF_MYSTALK_PERMISSION~GET_PEMISSIONS of the microblog’s feeder class. This article explains all the options for selecting microblog messages and how to activate them.

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There are 5 message views; we restricted the default to only 2 views to keep it simple:

- **Posted for Me**
  Incoming only: Messages for my user or my partner or public messages ("inbox")

- **Posted by Me**
  Outgoing only: Messages I have posted ("outbox")

- **My Timeline**
  Posted for Me + Posted by Me

- **Posted by My Partner**
  Outgoing only: Messages any user assigned to my partner has posted ("partner outbox")

- **My Partner Timeline**
  Posted for Me + Posted by My Partner

Below is a diagram that explains which messages a user would see in the different views. In the diagram’s example (2) is a message from the first customer user to the supplier partner, (3) is a message to the second supplier user, (4) is a public message and (6) is a message from the first customer user to the second customer user:

If you want to provide more or different views for your users, you set the corresponding flags in the microblog’s feeder class and assign that feeder class to your microblog building block:

- Call transaction SE24 and display Object type `/SCA/CL_MYSTALK_PERMSN_PUBLIC`
- Right-click the root-node and copy the class into the customer namespace
- Edit method /SCF/IF_MYSTALK_PERMISSION~GET_PERMISSION, set the views you want your users to see to ABAP_TRUE and others to ABAP_FALSE and activate your class:

- Then create your own copy of the microblog building block in the quick view configuration (transaction /n/SCF/MYSCFG → Define Building Blocks for Quick View):
• And enter your newly created class as the feeder class of the copied building block:

![Change View “Define Building Blocks for Quick View”: Details of Select](image)

• Then replace the standard microblog building block your new building block in view Assign Building Blocks to Quick View.

These other articles provide tips quick view configuration:

- How Do I Configure Quick View Fast?
- Understanding Quick View Configuration
- How Do I Get Rid of Bars from a Building Block?

- Article I Don’t Want Certain Partner Users to Add Attachments, Add URLs, Send E-Mails, Or Ask for Response! lists other microblog options that can be controlled in this way.

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