

# ColdBox 2.6 Makes ColdCourse Integration Even Easier

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Awhile back I posted about [ColdCourse Integration](#) in [ColdBox](#) , and how easy it is to use SES (or "pretty") URLs with ColdBox. Today I was taking a peek at the [What's New in ColdBox 2.6](#) documentation, and down at the very bottom I spotted something that seems so trivial, but is so totally cool that I wanted to be sure to highlight it.

In ColdBox 2.5 SES links were really easy to build...

```
.. <a href= "#getSetting('htmlBaseURL')#" > Home Page </a>
?. <a href= "#getSetting('sesBaseURL')#/user/login" > Login </a>
}. <form action= "#getSetting('sesBaseURL')#/user/doLogin" >
```

Brand new in ColdBox 2.6 is a `buildLink()` method, so now they're even simpler...

```
.. <a href= "#event.buildLink('')#" > Home Page </a>
?. <a href= "#event.buildLink('user/login')#" > Login </a>
}. <form action= "#event.buildLink('user/doLogin')#" >
```

Just one more simple yet useful feature packed into ColdBox.

"Quack," you mutter, "you are so easily entertained."

You say that like it's a bad thing? ;-)

P.S. Even if you don't use SES URLs with your ColdBox applications, the new `buildLink()` method still works. The framework auto-detects whether or not you're using SES and builds the links for whichever scenario your application needs. In other words, just write the view file, use `#event.buildLink()#`, and be done with your views forever.