

Configure UCCX Custom Call Variable Layouts for Finesse Desktop and FIPPA

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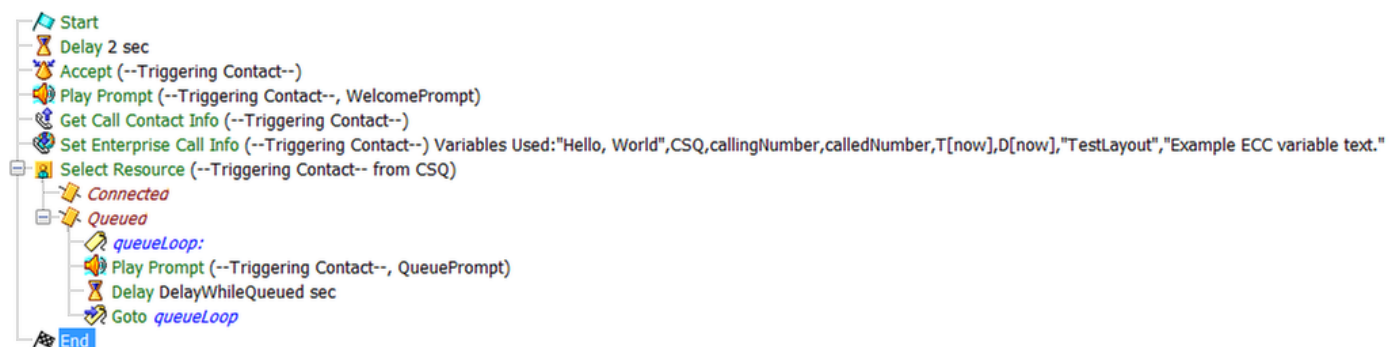
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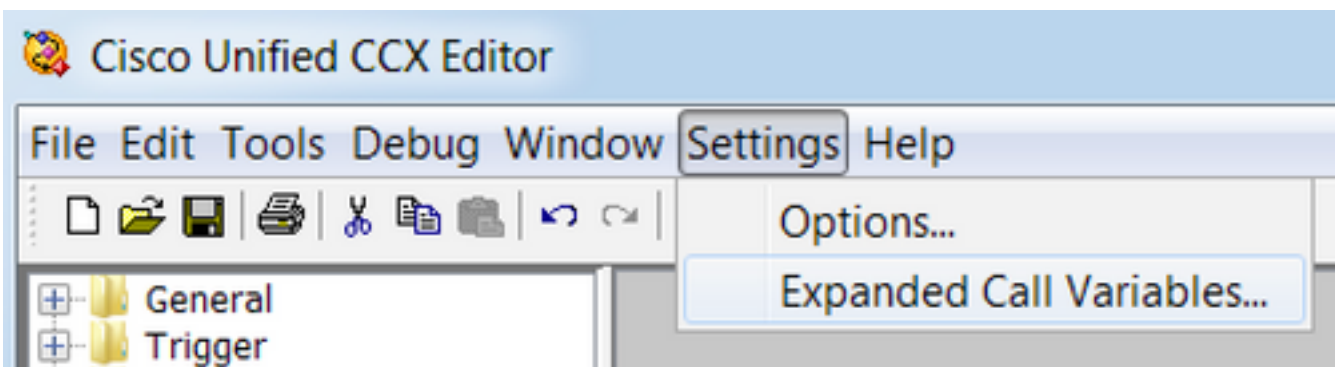
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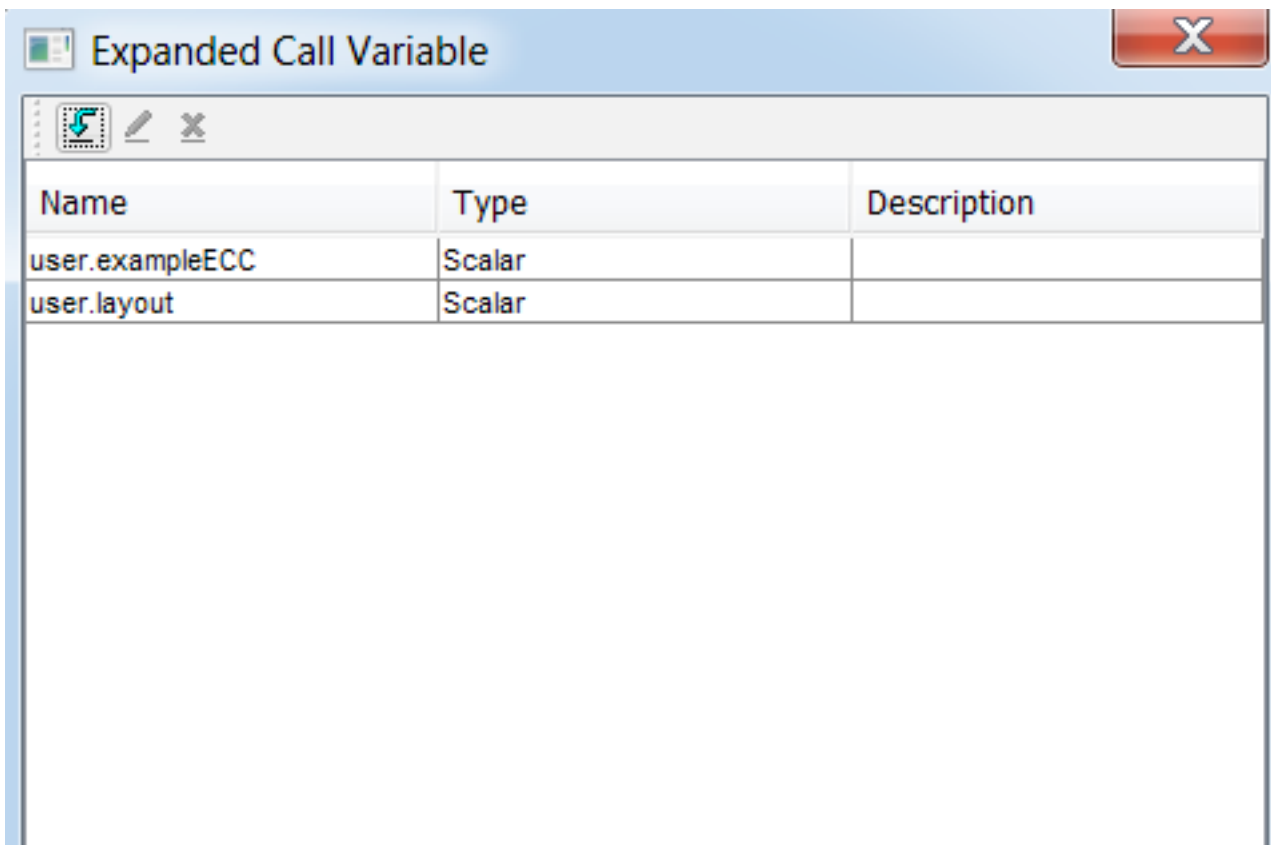
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Additionally, any other ECC variables are specified here.





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Example of CCX script ECC variables.

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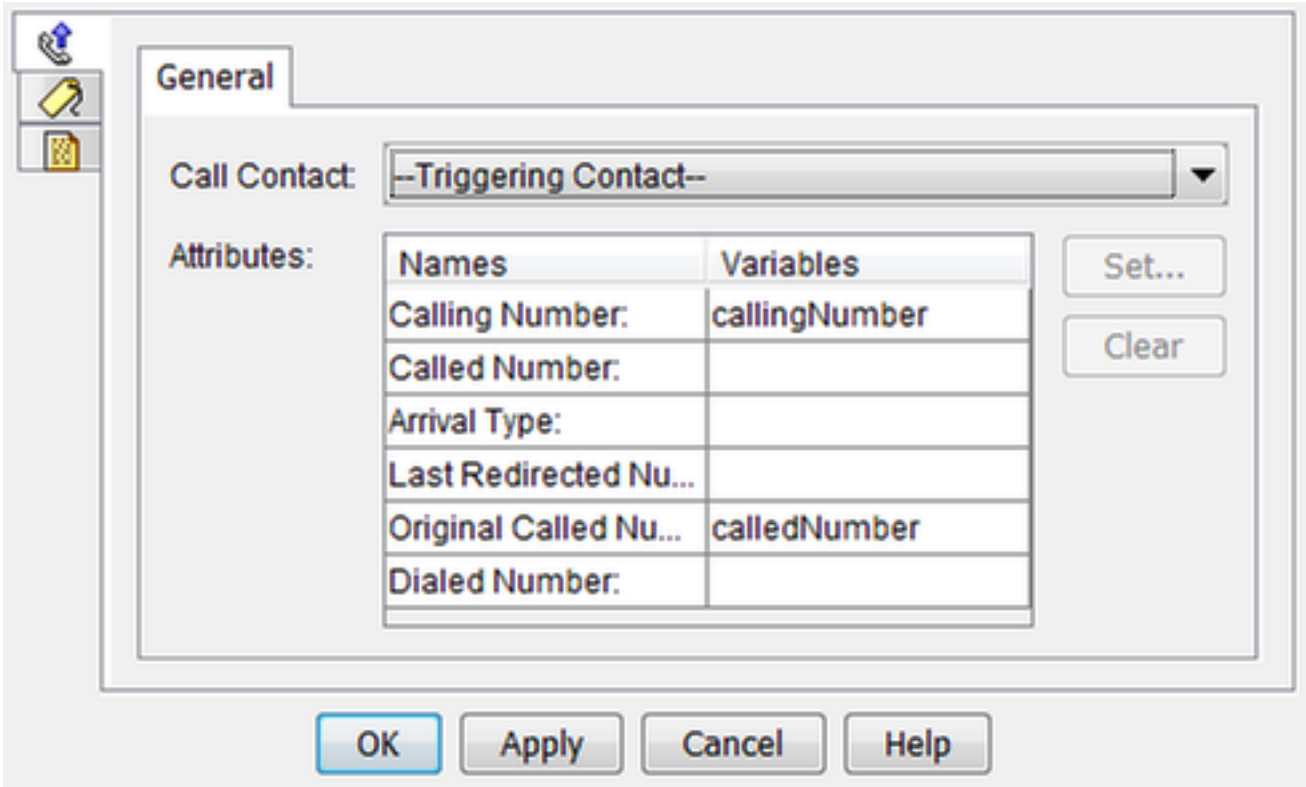
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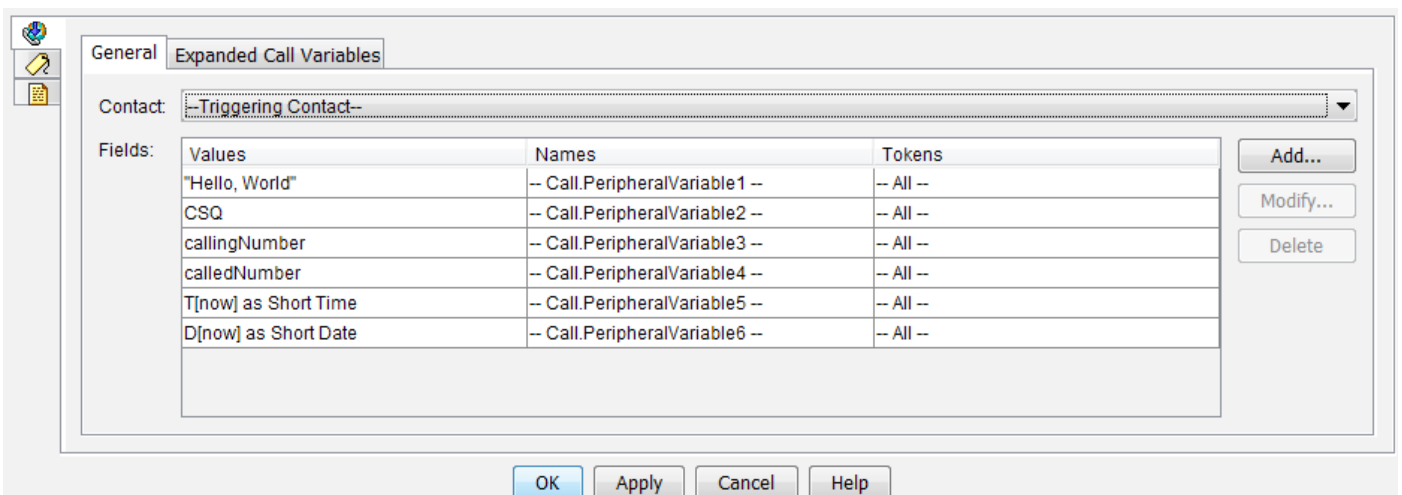
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A peripheral variable can only contain 40 bytes, while an ECC variable can contain 210 bytes. An American Standard Code for Information Interchange (ASCII) character is 1 byte in length. Additionally, if more call variables than those predefined in the **General** tab are needed, use ECC variables.



Note: Call.PeripheralVariableX corresponds to the variable "callVariableX" in the Cisco Finesse Administration page, where X is an integer ranging from 1-10.

In the **Expanded Call Variables** tab, map values to the ECC variables.

ECC Variables:	Values	Names	Array Indexes	Tokens
"TestLayout"	-- user.layout --	-- Scalar --	-- All --	
"Example ECC variable text."	-- user.exampleECC --	-- Scalar --	-- All --	

Step 4. Create an Application That Uses the Script.

Navigate to the **Cisco Unified CCX Administration** page > **Applications** > **Script Management** and upload the script.

Navigate to the **Cisco Unified CCX Administration** page > **Applications** > **Application Management** and create an application that uses the script. Do not forget to define any necessary script parameters. In this example, the CSQ is a parameter that must be manually input on the application page.

Cisco Script Application

Update Delete Cancel ← Back to Application List

Status

ⓘ Status : Ready

[Unified CM Telephony Trigger: 7898](#)
[Add new trigger](#)

Name	Science
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Script*	<input type="text" value="SCRIPT[SetEnterpriseCallInfoWithCustomLayoutv2.aef]"/> Edit
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Description	<input type="text" value="Science"/>
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Example CCX application with script.

Note: Full configuration of the application, trigger, call control groups, agents, skills, other Finesse configuration, FIPPA, etc is outside the scope of this document. For details on this, refer to the [UCCX Administration guides](#).

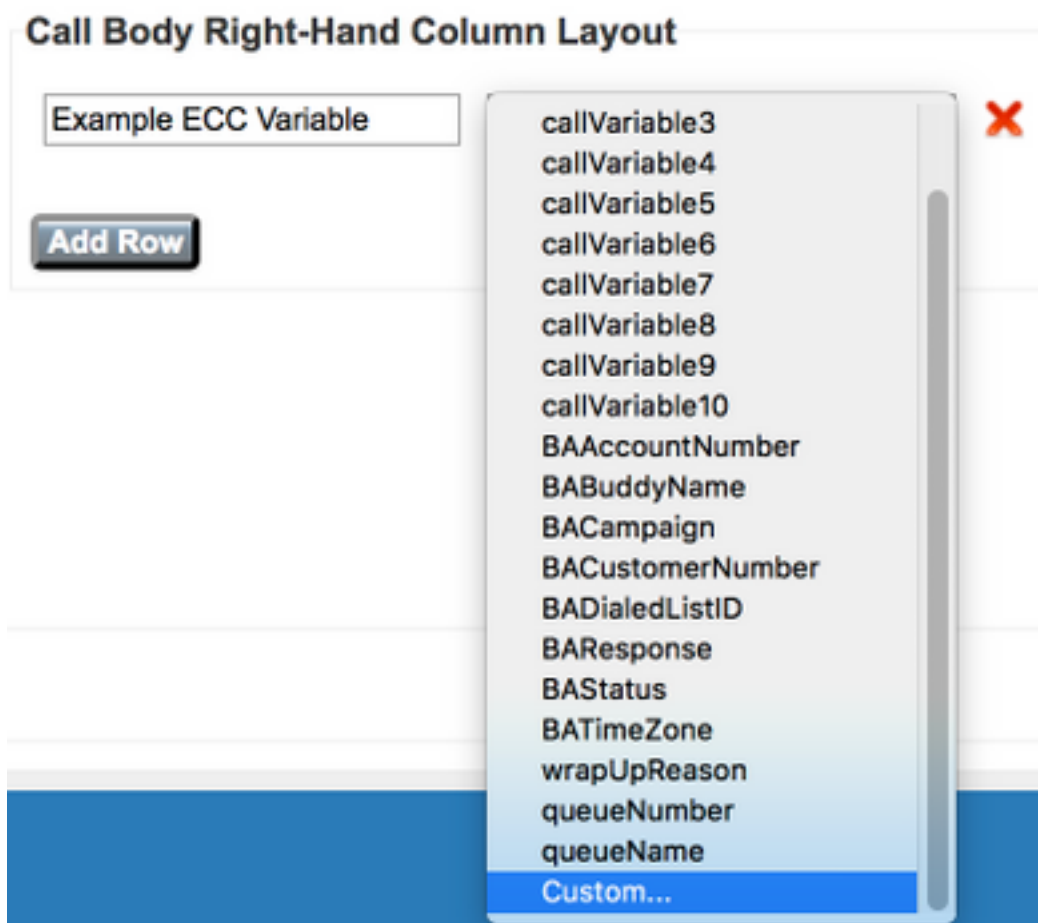
Step 5. Configure Finesse Layout.

Create a custom layout in the Finesse page by clicking **New**.

Specify the number of variables and name the variables on the left and right columns.

Specify which variables are passed from the script to be displayed on Finesse. The variable dropdowns contain all variable options that can be passed to Finesse.

To specify ECC variables, select **Custom...** from the dropdown option:



All user-defined ECC variable names created in any UCCX script must start with **user.** (read: user<dot>), so the Finesse ECC variable configuration will always have **user** as the first part of the variable name.

Custom/ECC Variable Entry

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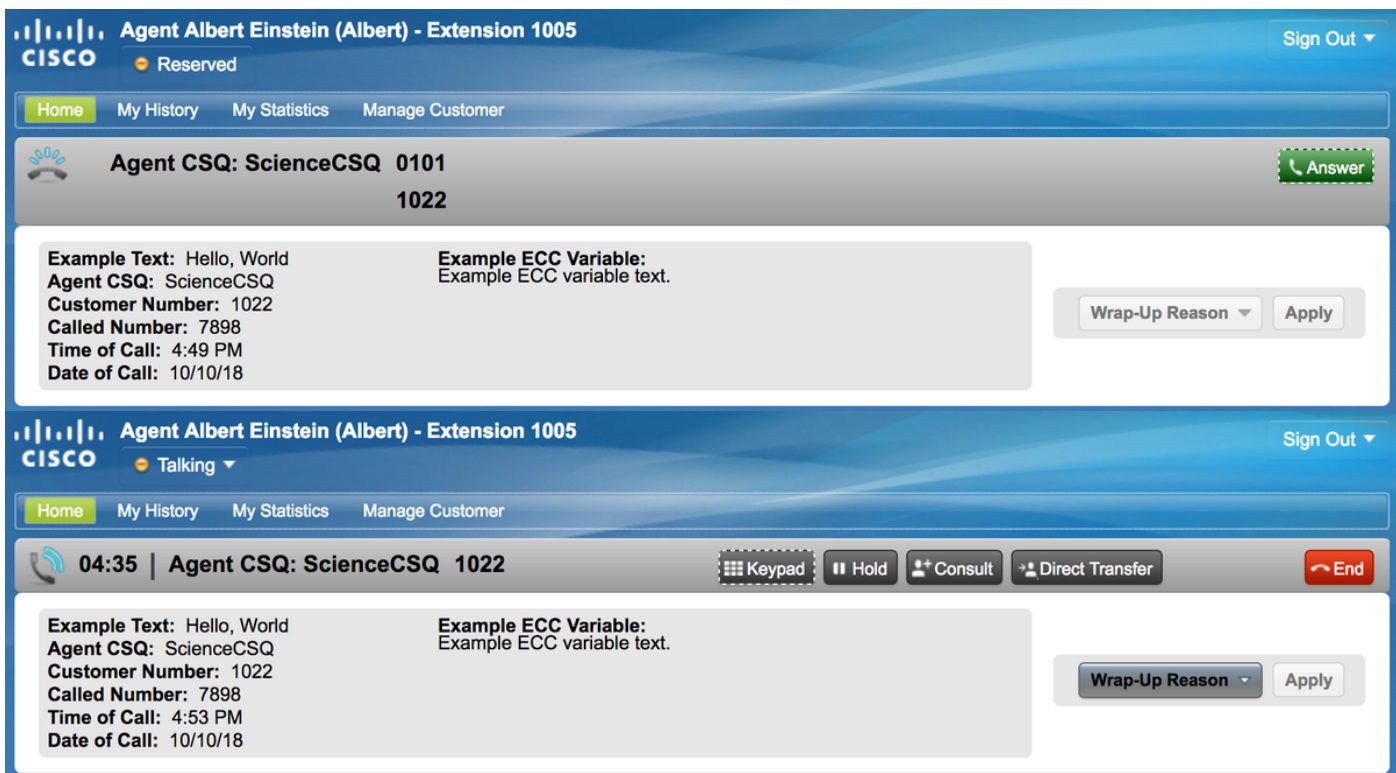
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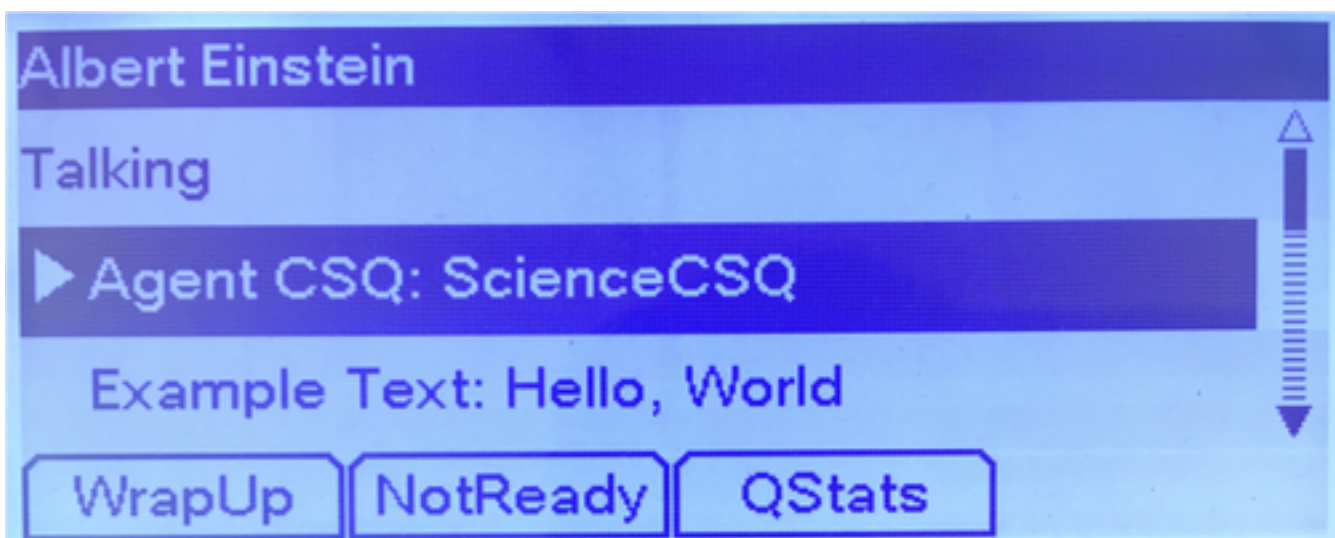
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Make a test call and validate the Finesse desktop looks as desired.



If FIPPA is used, make a test call and validate the FIPPA phone application looks as desired.



Troubleshoot

There is currently no special troubleshooting information available for this configuration.

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Introduction

This document describes how to configure custom call variable layouts for Finesse and the Finesse IP Phone Agent (FIPPA) for UCCX.

Prerequisites

Requirements

Cisco recommends that you have knowledge of these topics:

- Unified Contact Center Express (UCCX)
- Finesse

Components Used

The information in this document is based on these software and hardware versions:

- UCCX version 11.0(1) and above. The images come from UCCX 11.6(1).

The information in this document was created from the devices in a specific lab environment. All of the devices used in this document started with a cleared (default) configuration. If your network is live, make sure that you understand the potential impact of any command.

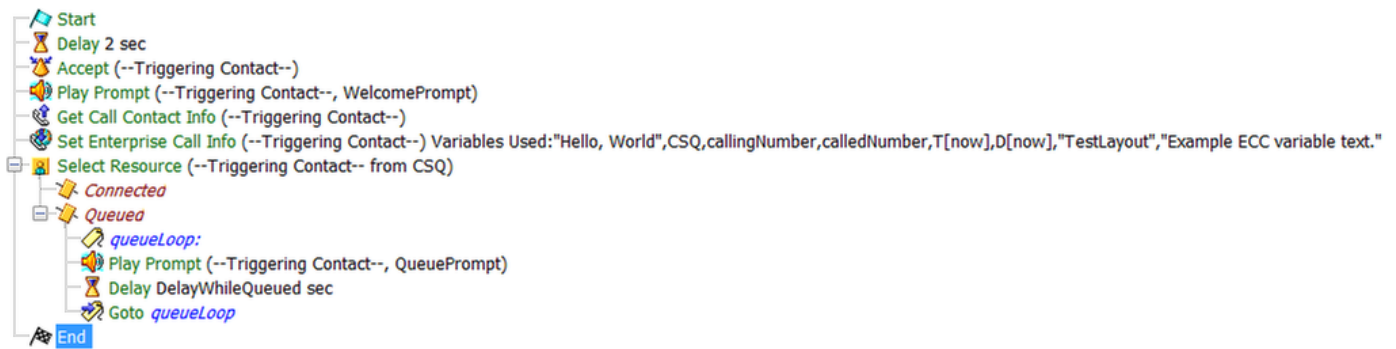
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Most of the configuration is done in the script used to route the call to the Finesse agent. Multiple call variable layouts can be created in Finesse starting with UCCX 11.0. Prior to 11.0 (10.0, 10.5, and 10.6), only one call variable layout could be created in Finesse. FIPPA was introduced in UCCX 11.0.

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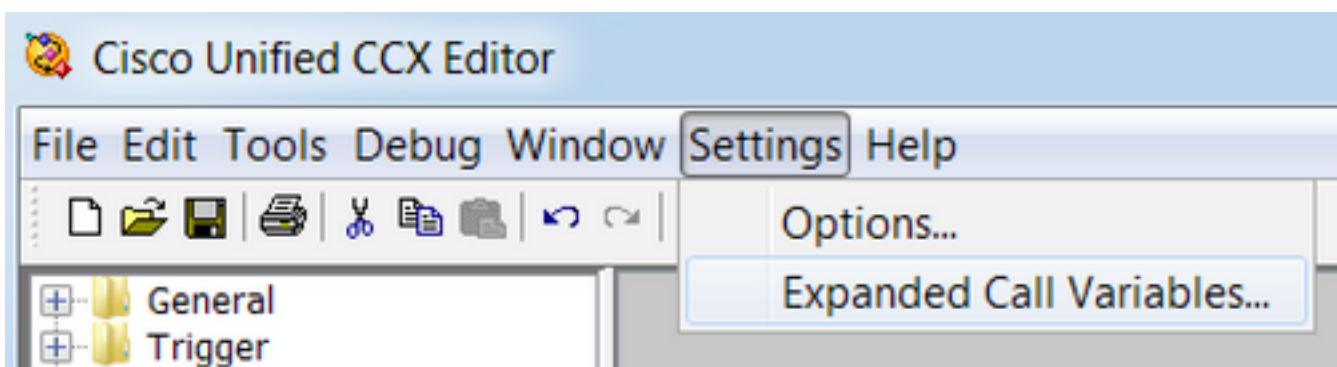
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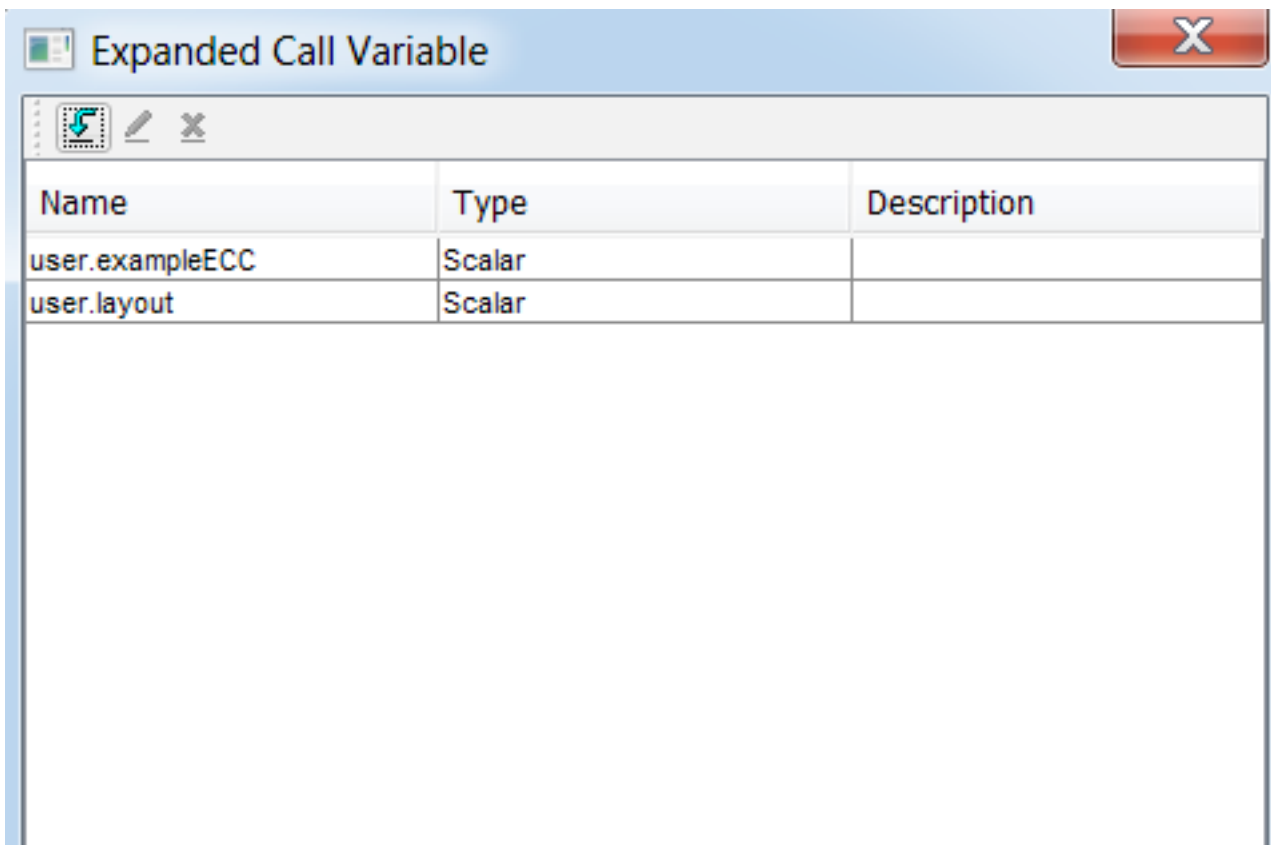
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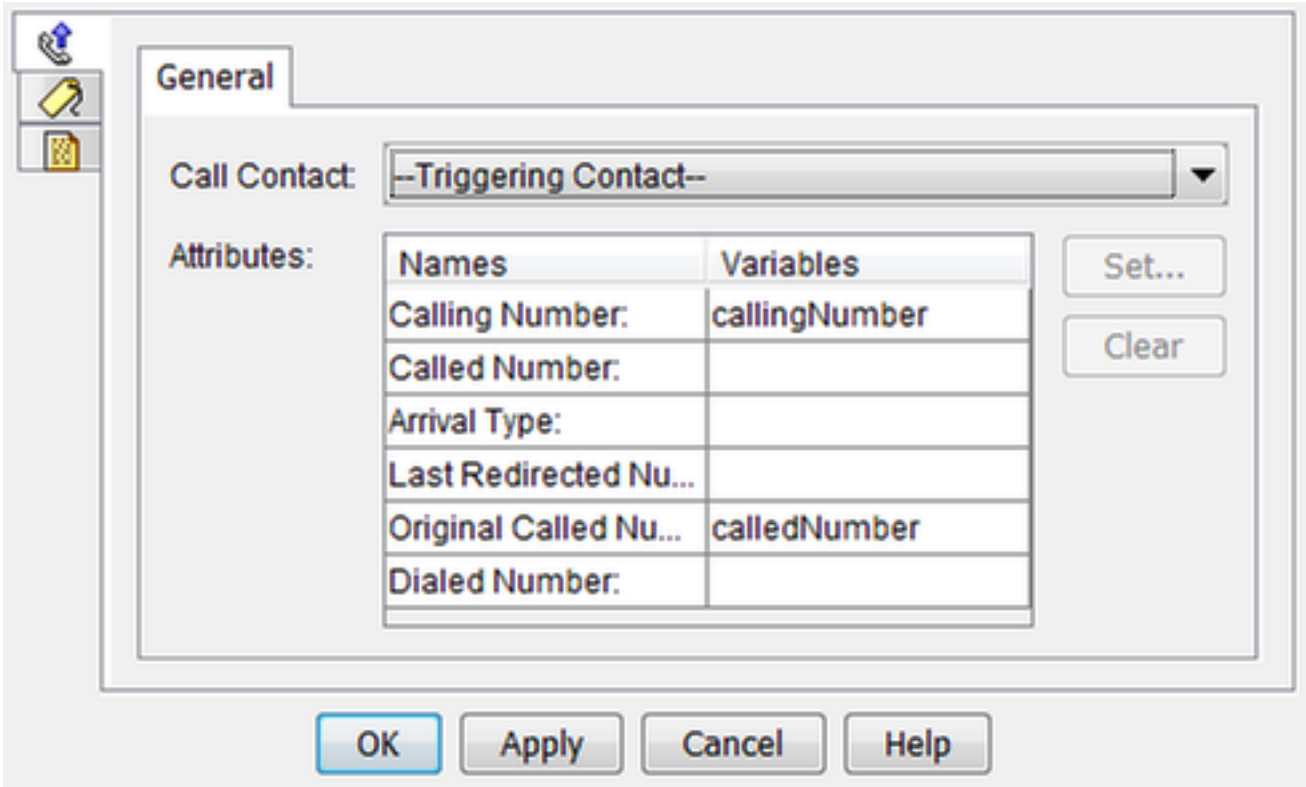
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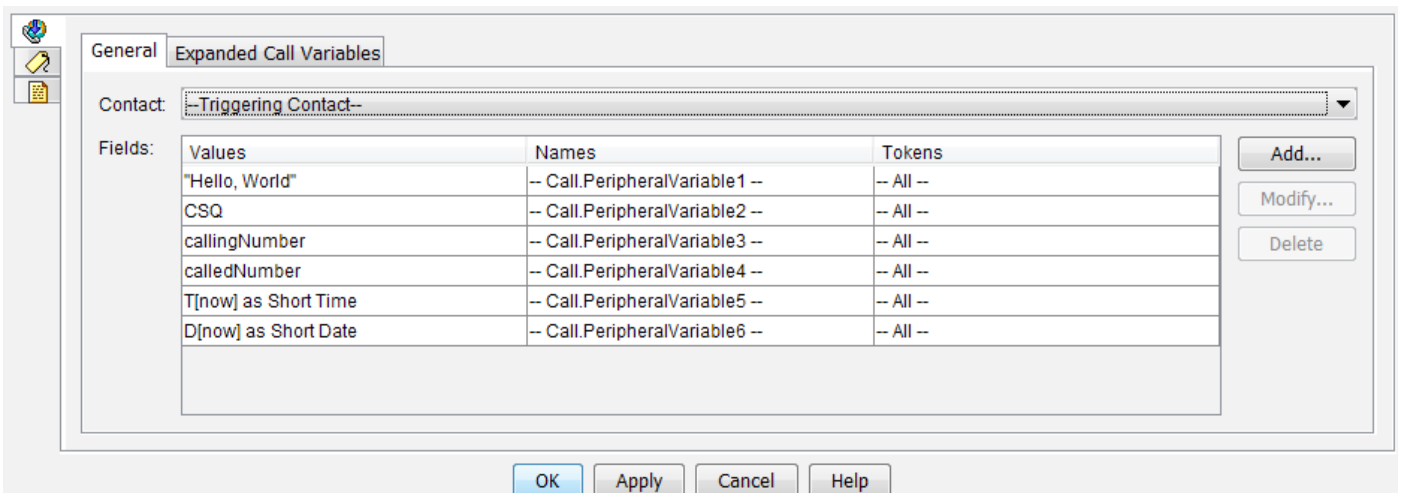
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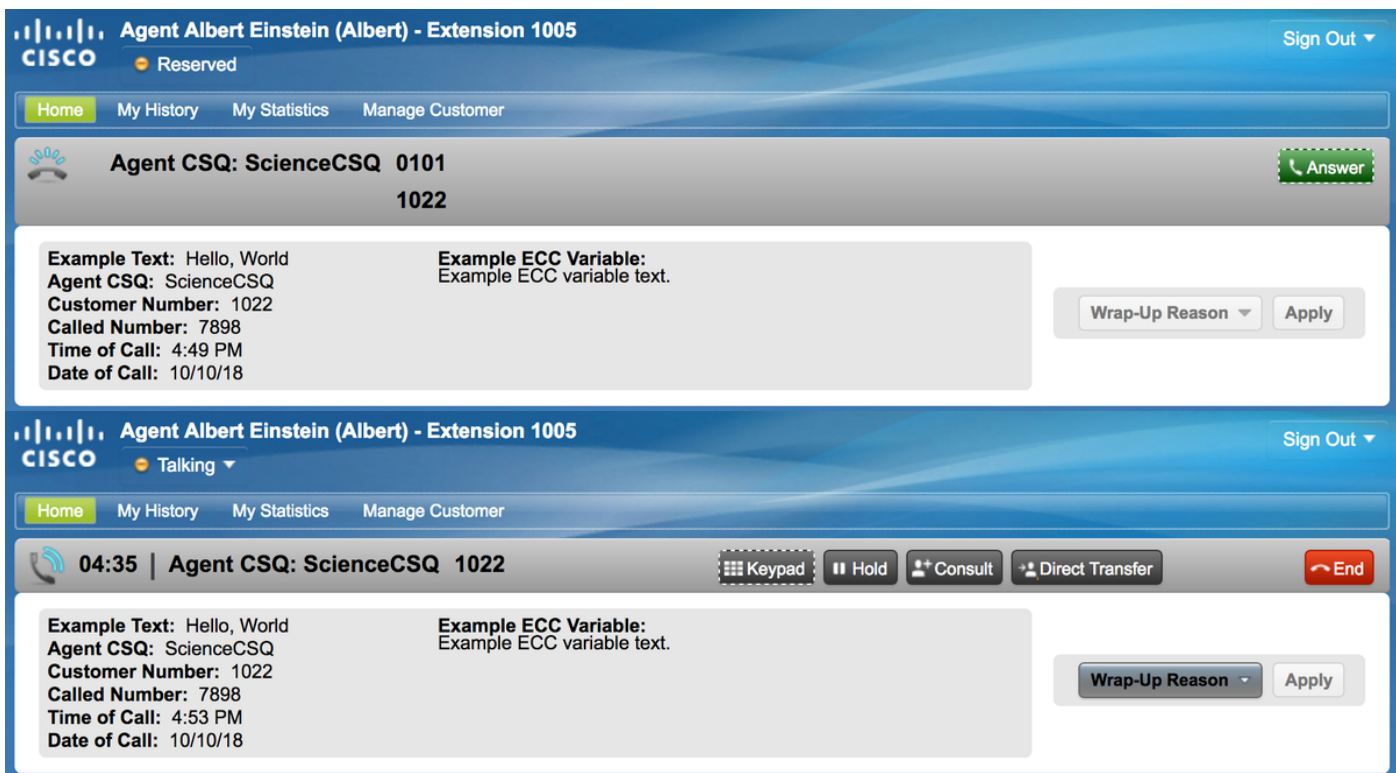
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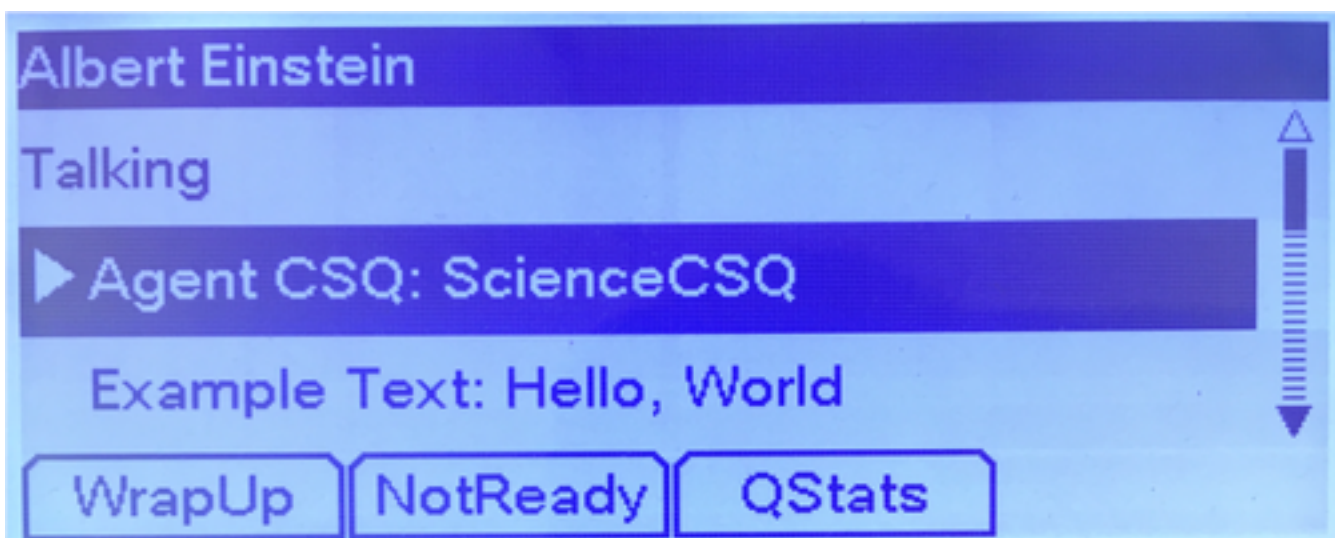
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