

HUB Fluid Interface - First Step in Becoming Mobile Friendly

HUB Classic Interface

- Oracle PeopleSoft version 9.0 was launched in 2006, UB implemented in 2011
- No major changes in user-interface since introduction
- Designed in an era of non-mobile devices
- Updates are delivered four times per year; no major new features

HUB Fluid Interface

- Developed in 2015
- New interface designed to be responsive to different screen sizes
- Designed for smartphones and tablets
- Phase 1 Implemented at UB:
- Saturday January 7, 2017

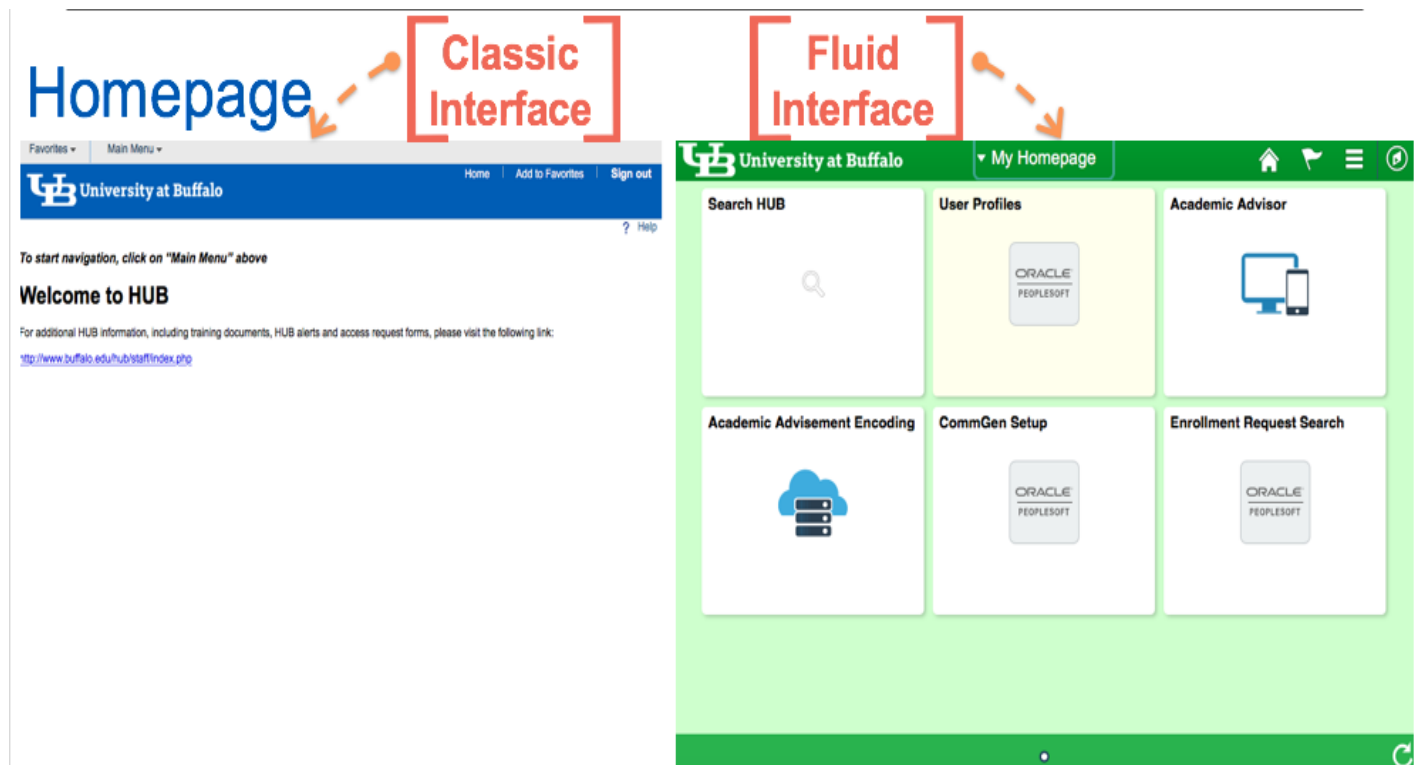


HUB Fluid Interface Phase 1

- Navigation changes only to start
- New home page with tiles
- No pages/functionality are changing at this time
- Change mainly affects staff through HUB Administrative Access
- HUB Student Center and HUB Faculty Center (self-service) pages are untouched
- Current user favorites are brought forward into new interface

Homepage

- Consists of tiles
- Tiles are either links to single pages or multiple pages (navigation collections)
- Tiles can be created by users for pages they visit frequently
- Search has moved to a tile



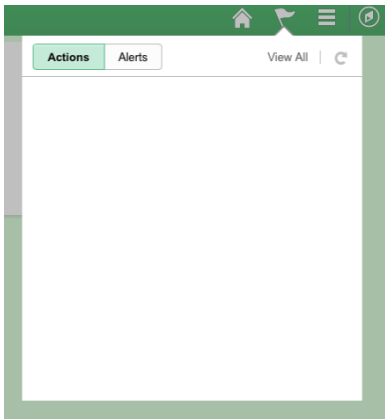
Navigation

Classic Interface

Fluid Interface



Home
Alerts
Action Menu
NavBar

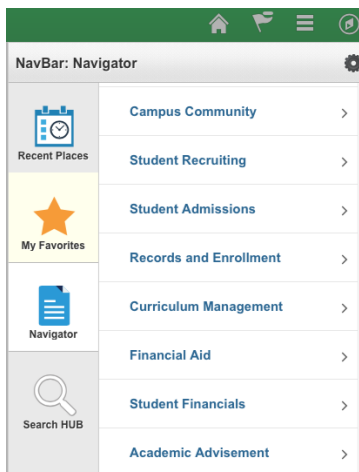
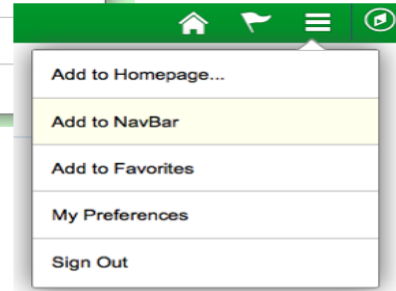
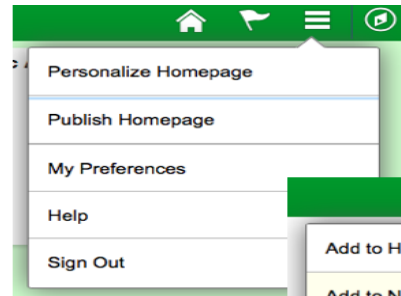


Alerts

- Will potentially be used to display information to students in a future phase of the Fluid Interface
- Could be used to alert students for items they need to check or take action on
- Will be empty for now

Action Menu

- Context sensitive menu that changes based on page
- Allows users to create favorites or tiles
- Allows users to customize their homepage by adding or rearranging tiles

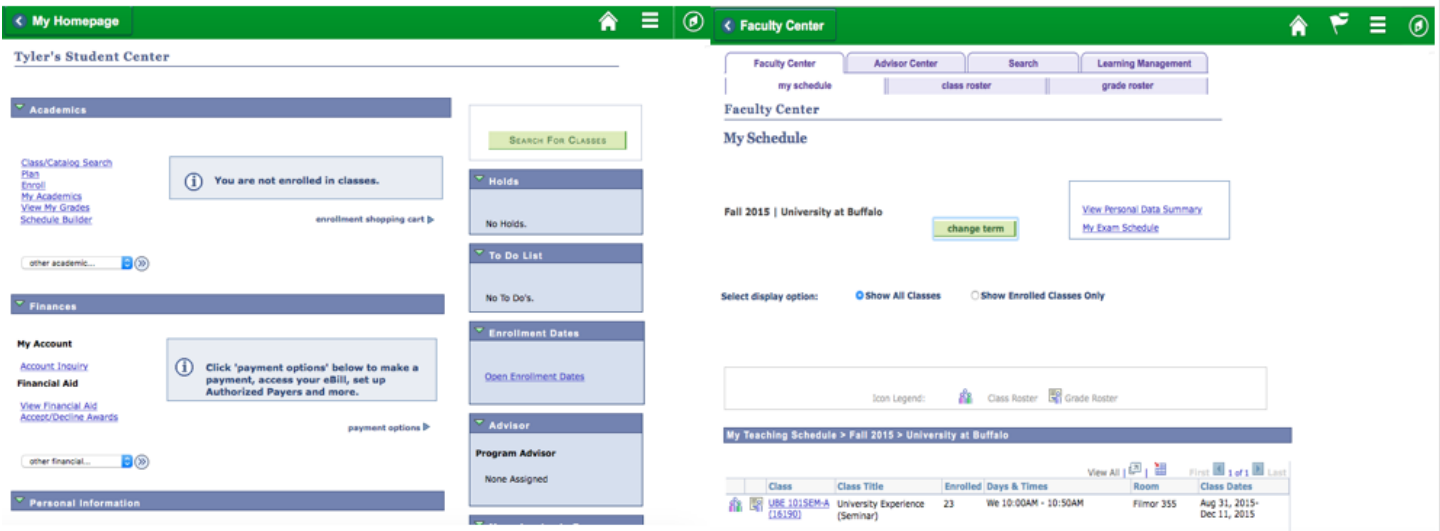
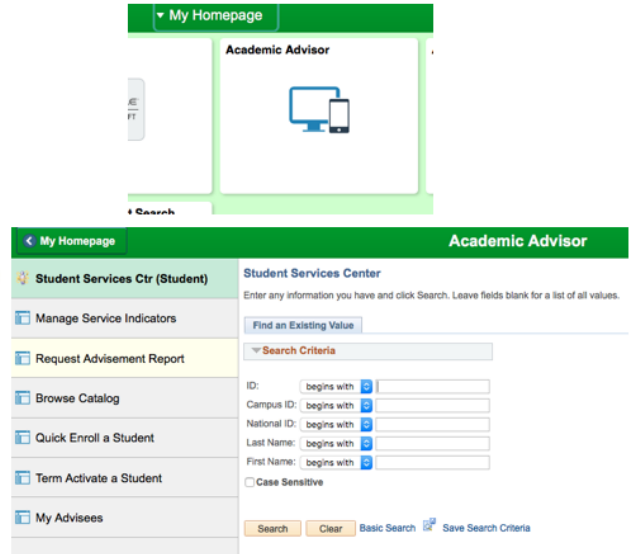


NavBar

- Main navigation method of HUB
- Replaces Favorites and Menu Menu from top bar
- Navigator contains links to all pages of HUB
- Search HUB page can be accessed on the NavBar

Navigation Collections

- Some tiles can be made into Navigation Collections
- Custom grouping of pages that can be accessed without using menu structure
- Quick switching between pages from persistent menu on left
- Created by HUB & Student Systems Support Team



HUB Fluid Interface Phase 1 Training Sessions

- Drop-in sessions to explore interface or ask questions
- No formal presentation/program
- All sessions in Park 143
- Thursday 01/05/17 2-4pm
- Friday 01/06/17 9-11am
- Monday 01/09/17 9-11am & 1-3pm
- Tuesday 01/10/17 10am-12pm
- Questions via email: hubmail@buffalo.edu

HUB Fluid Interface Future Phases

- Upgrade to PeopleSoft 9.2 in June 2017
- Enhanced Navigation Collections for Admin Users
- Oracle will begin to deploy mobile friendly Student Center pages
- UB Implementation of mobile pages: TBD

