ChiliProject - Task # 82: Proposal: Custom fields for users

Status:	Closed	**Priority:**	Normal
Author:	Eric Davis	**Category:**	
Created:	2011-01-20	**Assignee:**	Eric Davis
Updated:	2011-01-21	**Due date:**	

Remote issue URL:	
Description:	I think if we add some custom fields to each user account it will make it easier to get to know everyone and connect people's faces/accounts to the names. I propose we add:
	* IRC handle - can help with support
	* Twitter account - can help with support
	* Github account - can help when reviewing patches and giving credit
	Thoughts? Any other ones?

History

2011-01-20 02:28 am - Muntek Singh

These along with the standard fields should suffice, I vote yes on all three.

2011-01-20 10:29 am - Wieland Lindenthal

I vote for those three.

Further, it would be nice to link to your homepage but I believe that this invites spammers to join the project... :(

2011-01-20 11:35 am - Felix Schäfer

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2011-01-21 05:54 pm - Eric Davis

Wieland Lindenthal wrote:

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I agree, we'd need a bit more control over links I think.

Felix Schäfer wrote:

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Not yet, Chili Project doesn't support auto-linking custom fields. Ideally, we could create new Custom Data Types for each of those and then it would just work. I started working on a url one but we would need to change how Chili Project is escaping custom data first. Nothing too difficult, just needs some major testing.

2011-01-21 05:58 pm - Eric Davis

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Added the 3 custom user fields. "Example of mine":/users/1