

## Web Application Development : Formmail Migrations

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# So you want to migrate to [Formmail?](#)

## Old Script

```
<form method="post" action="http://www.csuchico.edu/cgi-bin/formmail/fm.stucomp" name="Help">
  <p>
    <label for="sender_name">Your Full Name</label>:
    <input type="text" name="sender_name" size="20" alt="Your Full Name">
    <input type="Submit" value="Submit" />
  </p>
</form>
```

## New Script

With the new Formmail, every organization will be able to utilize the same script. That means no more specific CGI for each department. With the new script you'll be able to define all the parameters yourself

## Required Form Info

With Formmail, the only field that is required is **recipient** which you can define in a hidden field or as an input field.

```
<form method="post" action="/cgi-bin/formmail.cgi">
  <p>
    <label for="sender_name">Your Full Name</label>:
    <input type="text" name="sender_name" size="20" alt="Your Full Name">
  </p>
  <input type="hidden" name="recipient" value="youremail@csuchico.edu" />
  <input type="Submit" value="Submit" />
</form>
```

## Other definable fields

- [email](#)
- [realname](#)
- [subject](#)
- [redirect](#)

There are several other definable fields aside from those listed. See documentation for more information: <http://www.scriptarchive.com/readme/formmail.html>