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Subject: EditField.onFocus Event ?!?!?!?

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Hi there,

I am trying to achieve a pre-fill input textBox like the one in the picture at the bottom.

I could not find such function. Is there one?

So for that I just put a label inside the input textBox/EditField and I want to make it disappear whenever someone focuses on it and appear whenever loses focus.

For that I am attempting the following but it does not work.

```
SProject::SProject()
{
    CtrlLayout(*this, "Window title");
    Sizeable().Zoomable();

    //LogInTextBox is the EditField tool name
    if (LogInTextBox.FocusCtrl()){HideBoxText();}

    //or
    LogInTextBox.Focus() <=< THISBACK(HideBoxText);
}

void SProject::HideBoxText(){
    usernameBox.SetLabel("");
}
```

And BTW is the EditField the right tool to use for an inputBox?  
How can I extract the input text from an EditField?

Thank you a lot.

nejnio

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## File Attachments

1) [logIn.jpg](#), downloaded 399 times

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