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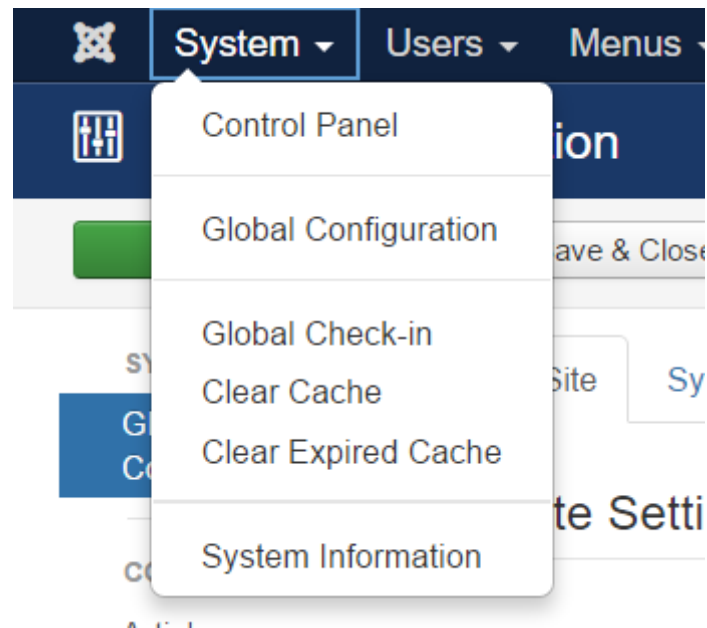


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# Joomla Enable SEF

To enable SEO for your Joomla site:

- Login to administration (i.e. <https://domain.tld/administration>)
- In the top left click on System and then Global Configuration



- In the SEO Settings section enable “Search Engine Friendly URLs” & “Use URL Rewriting”

## SEO Settings

Search Engine Friendly URLs	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Use URL Rewriting	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Adds Suffix to URL	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Unicode Aliases	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Include Site Name in Page Titles	<input type="text" value="Before"/>

- Enabling “Adds Suffix to URL” will add .html to most pages (this will depend on the MIME type), for example <https://domain.tld/index.html> or <https://domain.tld/index.php>
- Enabling “Unicode Aliases” will use the exact text in the alias of each object instead of using transliteration for non ANSI aliases.
- Final step for this to work you need to rename the file htaccess.txt to .htaccess in the root of your web folder.

```
mv htaccess.txt .htaccess
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[This is the default htaccess for Joomla 3+](#)

htaccess.txt

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