

# OnBase COMPLEX SEARCHES - QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

## RETRIEVAL USING COMPLEX SEARCH

1. Open the **OnBase Unity Client** and from the Documents Group select **Retrieval**
2. Select a **Document Type Group**
3. Select the **Document Type(s)** you would like to retrieve. To select multiple document types use **CTRL+Click** or **SHIFT+Click**

**Note:** When multiple Document Types are selected, **only the keywords they have in common** will be available for retrieval

4. To add multiple Search Fields of the same Keyword Type, **double click on the Keyword Label** OR from within the Keyword box and **press F6** (see example below, First Name field)

## KEYWORD OPERATORS

Choices of Operators will depend on the format of the Keyword Type (alphanumeric, numeric, or date). **Left Click** on the Operator to toggle through the choices.

=	<b>Equal To</b> - Search for keyword values that are equal to the value entered
<>	<b>Not Equal To</b> - Search for keyword values that are not equal to the value entered
“ ”	<b>Double Quotes</b> - Search for keyword values with the literal string (exact match including spaces, letters/numbers) entered
>	<b>Greater Than</b> - Search for dates or numbers that are greater than the value entered
<	<b>Less Than</b> - Search for dates or numbers that are less than the value entered
>=	<b>Greater Than or Equal to</b> - Search for dates or numbers that are greater than or equal to the value entered
<=	<b>Less Than or Equal to</b> - Search for dates or numbers that are less than or equal to the value entered
AND	Use <b>AND</b> to search for two or more values of the same keyword type
OR	<b>OR</b> will search for either one or more keyword type values
TO	<b>TO</b> will search a date or number range value

## CUSTOM QUERIES USING COMPLEX SEARCH

1. Open the **OnBase Unity Client** and from the Documents Group Select **Custom Queries**
2. Select a **Custom Query** from the list of queries
3. Complete the **Custom Query Form** with the necessary **search criteria**. As seen below, you can also use Keyword Operators in a Custom Query
4. To add multiple Search Fields of the same Keyword Type, **double click on the Keyword Label** OR from within the Keyword box and **press F6** (see example below, Faculty/School)

**Note:** You can use **wildcards** as substitutes for unknown characters (\*) or for a single unknown character (?)