

# TIPS FOR WHEN >> THEN SMART HOME PERSONALIZATION

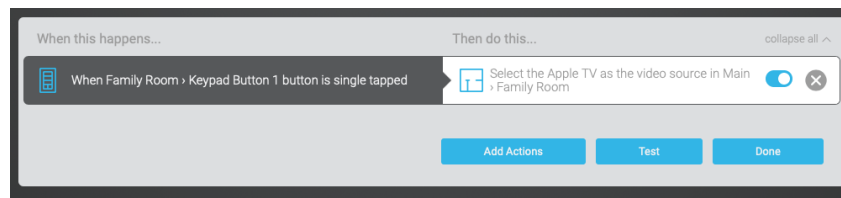
Now that you've had a chance to experience your Control4 system, would you like to be able to tweak and fine-tune the automation without having to engage your dealer to make simple adjustments? Now you can!

When >> Then, included with a Control4 4Sight subscription, is an intuitive, easy-to-use web interface that allows you to make direct adjustments to your home-automation settings to further personalize your system any time after the dealer installation.

You can program what happens when you press a button, when motion is detected, or when a certain condition occurs. For example, using When >> Then, you can change the schedule for the front porch light, change which music plays when a living room keypad button is pressed, or schedule to receive a notification when the garage door has been left open. You can even schedule events to happen only when certain time criteria are met, such as the time of day or between specific hours.

## GETTING STARTED

Want to personalize your Control4 system to better suite your lifestyle? There are dozens of available "When" actions that can be used to trigger a "Then" reaction. Here are a few ideas to help you get started using When >> Then.



### WHEN

- Kitchen keypad button is pressed
- Door station detects motion
- Morning lighting scene is activated
- It is dusk/dawn
- The garage light is turned on
- The front door is unlocked
- A voice command is given
- The sprinkler system turns on
- The security system is armed

### THEN

- Activate a lighting scene
- Send a notification to my phone
- Start my latest music playlist
- Ramp the lights to 25%
- Turn off the sprinkler system
- Find my remote control
- Open/close the shades
- Lock the front door
- Play a specific TV station

And so much more !

*Note: When >> Then requires Control4 OS 2.10.0 or newer. Contact your Control4 Dealer for questions about your system version or to update your system.*

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Here are some automation suggestions based on the type of equipment that might be installed in your home, with each proposed system getting more complicated.

### **Basic Control4 system (system controller and remote)**

*WHEN a custom button on the system remote is pressed >> THEN*

- *turn on the AppleTV.*
- *go to my favorite television channel.*
- *launch my favorite streaming-music station.*
- *play my Pandora playlist.*

### **Basic Control4 system + some Smart Lighting**

*WHEN it is dusk >> THEN turn the porch light on.*

*WHEN it is dawn >> THEN turn the porch light off.*

*WHEN it is 10 p.m. >> THEN initiate my "Good Night" scene.*

### **Basic Control4 system + Control4 Smart Lighting**

*WHEN I tap a keypad button >> THEN*

- *go to a specific video source.*
- *go to my favorite television channel.*
- *launch my favorite streaming-music station.*
- *play my favorite Pandora playlist.*

### **Basic Control4 system + Control4 Smart Lighting + smart thermostat**

*WHEN I tap a keypad button once, if it is daytime >> THEN turn the heat up.*

*WHEN I double tap a keypad button, if it is nighttime >> THEN turn the heat down.*

### **Basic Control4 system + Control4 smart lighting + garage door control**

*WHEN I tap a keypad button once >> THEN open the garage door.*

*WHEN I double tap a keypad button, wait 5 minutes >> THEN close the garage door.*

### **Basic Control4 system + Control4 Smart Lighting + smart door lock**

*WHEN I tap a keypad button >> THEN unlock my front door.*

*WHEN I double tap a keypad button >> THEN lock my front door.*

*WHEN the front door is locked >> THEN set the keypad LED to green.*

*WHEN the front door is unlocked >> THEN set the keypad LED to red.*

### **Basic Control4 system + Control4 Smart Lighting + smart door lock + smart shades**

*WHEN it is dawn >> THEN open the Kitchen shades.*

*WHEN it is dusk >> THEN close the Kitchen shades.*

*WHEN I tap a keypad button, if it is daytime >> THEN open the shades*

*WHEN the door is unlocked, if it is daytime >> THEN open the shades.*

Check out our introductory When >> Then video ([ctrl4.co/whenthen-video](http://ctrl4.co/whenthen-video)). To get started personalizing your Control4 Smart Home, follow the instructions in the When >> Then User's Guide ([ctrl4.co/user-automations](http://ctrl4.co/user-automations)). Or, consult with your home-technology professional for more details.