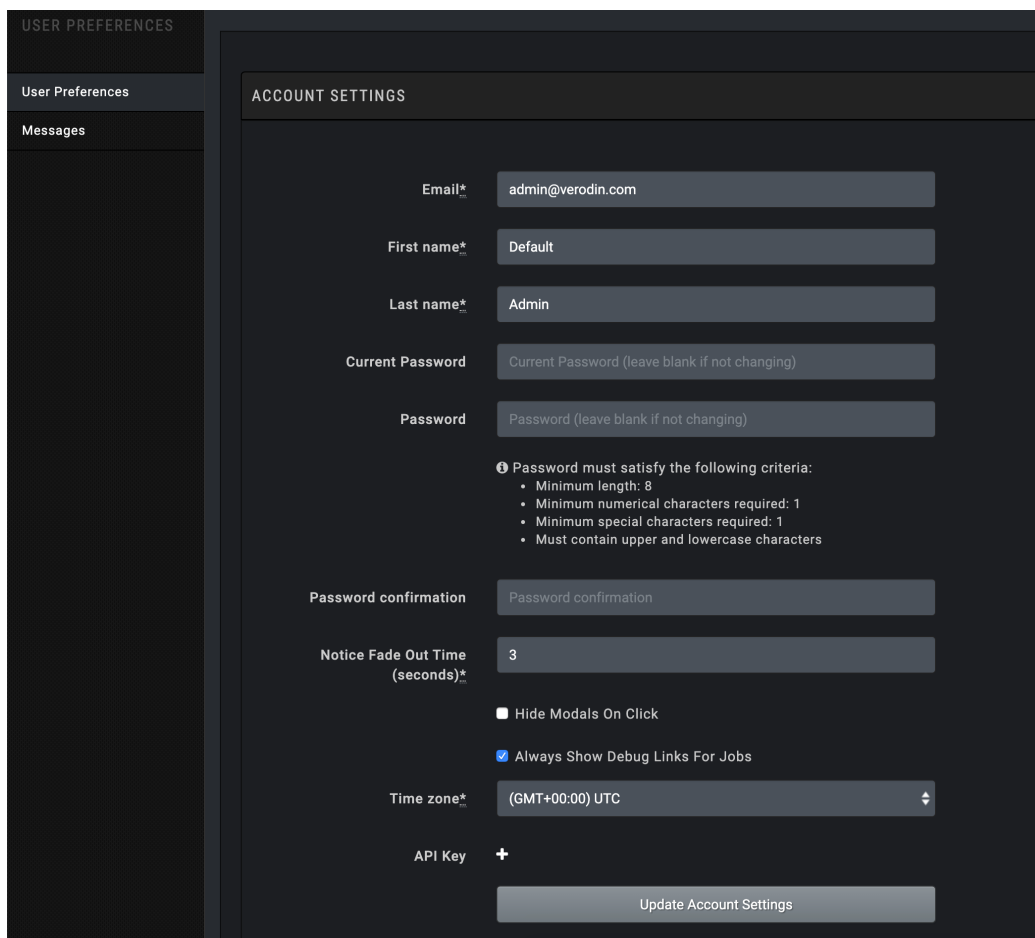


## USER PREFERENCES

User Preferences is where you view and configure your preferences for the Validation Platform. This includes:

- Email and Name
- **Password** (<https://docs.mandiant.com/home/msv-updating-your-password>)
- Notice fade out time (for Messages)
- Debug Link visibility (available based on your assigned user group)
- **Google Authenticator** (<https://docs.mandiant.com/home/msv-google-authenticator-authentication>) (when Google Authenticator is required)
- Time zone, which affects the times displayed in the Job Results page
- **API key** (<https://docs.mandiant.com/home/msv-api-keys>)
- User-specific **Messages**



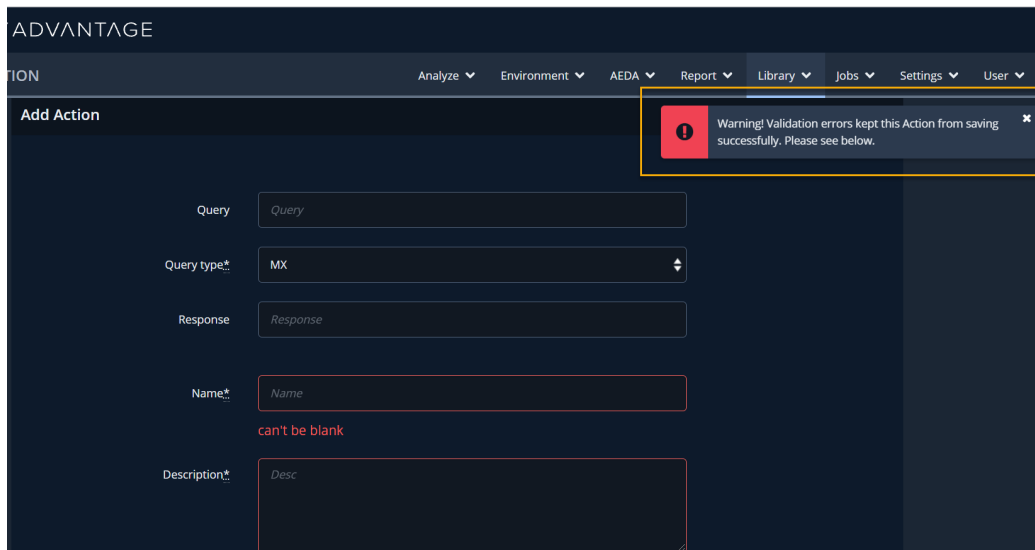
The screenshot shows the 'ACCOUNT SETTINGS' page in a dark-themed interface. On the left is a sidebar with 'USER PREFERENCES' at the top, followed by 'User Preferences' and 'Messages'. The main content area contains the following fields and options:

- Email\***: admin@verodin.com
- First name\***: Default
- Last name\***: Admin
- Current Password**: Current Password (leave blank if not changing)
- Password**: Password (leave blank if not changing)
- Password criteria**:
  - Minimum length: 8
  - Minimum numerical characters required: 1
  - Minimum special characters required: 1
  - Must contain upper and lowercase characters
- Password confirmation**: Password confirmation
- Notice Fade Out Time (seconds)\***: 3
- Hide Modals On Click**:
- Always Show Debug Links For Jobs**:
- Time zone\***: (GMT+00:00) UTC
- API Key**: +
- Update Account Settings** button

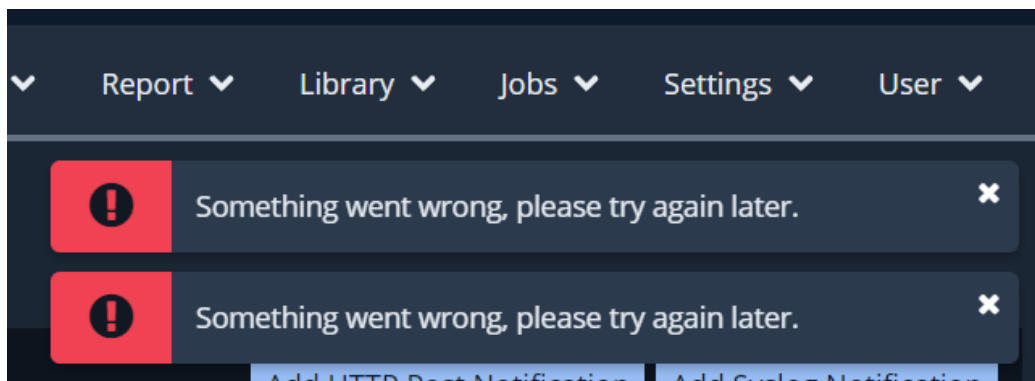
User Preferences

### Flash Notification Messages Overview

The Validation Platform displays important flash notification messages for various reasons and as a result of specific actions you take in the platform. These messages appear as cards that display in the top-right corner of the UI (just below the navigation menu). In some cases, these message cards can be stacked, such as when you enter incorrect values or information multiple times (see the following figures for examples of notification message cards).



Example of notification warning card



Example of stacked notification message cards

### Viewing and Deleting Records of Your Flash Notification Messages

You can view information about and delete the records of Platform flash notification messages you have received in the Messages page. This page includes the following columns:

- **Created At:** When the notification message was created
- **Message Type:** The notification message type, such as Alert or Notice
- **Message:** The text of the notification message or message ID
- **Actions:** Action you can take for the message, such as Delete



**NOTE:** Records of the flash notification messages are kept for 30 days.

#### TO VIEW/DELETE NOTIFICATION MESSAGES

1. Go to **User > Messages**. The Messages page opens.
2. To delete an individual message, locate the specific message from the Messages list.
3. In the Actions menu, click the **Delete** button next to the message.
4. To delete all the messages in the list, click **Delete All** at the top-right of the list of messages.

