Introduction

The Electronic Bidding System (EBS) provides a user-friendly interface for users to sell and buy items in an auction environment.

Requirements

EBS requires Java version 1.5.0_06 or greater. EBS needs 5 Mbytes of space on your hard drive and a minimum of 128 Mbytes of RAM. You should anticipate needing 100 Mbytes of space for every 1000 items in the system, depending on the size of the images inputted.

Installation

- 1. Copy the EBS folder from the source (CD-ROM, zip file) to a destination of your choosing (recommended c:\Program Files).
- 1. Click on the runEBS icon.
- 2. (Optional) For quick access, copy the runEBS program to your desktop.

Running

Click on the runEBS icon.

Getting Started

Login with user name admin and password pwd.

Click on My Account and change your password.

The admin account is the account that you can manage the system with.

To create ordinary user accounts, run EBS and click the Register button on the login screen. After a user has entered their information, you may approve their account by login in to the admin account, going to the Approve Users tab, and clicking approve. To post an item, click on the "post an item" tab.

To enter a complaint click on an item from the browse tab and click the "complain" button.

To look at the transaction history, click on the "Transaction History" tab.

To look at the system statistics, click on the "statistics" tab.

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