

Working with claims & roles



In this exercise we are going to look at how you can:

- Create & Delete Identities
- Create & Delete Claims
- Create, Delete & Edit Roles
- Assign Roles to Identities

Note that this exercise requires that you have an existing identity database structure.



First of all we are going to create a **UserManager** and a **RoleManager**. These managers will give you everything you need to create a **CRUD** for users and roles, and much more.

```
private static readonly RoleManager<IdentityRole> roleManager =
new RoleManager<IdentityRole>(new RoleStore<IdentityRole>());

private static readonly UserManager<IdentityUser> userManager =
new UserManager<IdentityUser>(new UserStore<IdentityUser>(new IdentityDbContext<IdentityUser>()));
```



We create an Identity and use the UserManager to add it to the database

```
public static void AddIdentity(string email, string phone, string password)
{
    var user = new IdentityUser()
    { UserName = email, Email = email, PhoneNumber = phone };
    userManager.Create(user, password);
}
```

The UserManager contains several useful methods which can be used to manage your users http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/dn613059%28v=vs.108%29.aspx



We find an existing Identity by its name and delete it, using the Usermanager

```
public static void DeleteIdentity(string username)
{
   var user = userManager.FindByName(username);
   userManager.Delete(user);
}
```



We create a Claim and add it to an existing Identity. Please note that all claims in the database are bound to a specific user.

```
public static void AddClaimToUser(string username, string type, string
value)
{
    var user = userManager.FindByName(username);
    userManager.AddClaim(user.Id, new Claim(type, value));
}
```



We delete a Claim from an existing Identity.



We create a Role by using the Rolemanager to add it to the database

```
public static void AddRole(string roleName)
{
    roleManager.Create(new IdentityRole(roleName));
}
```

The RoleManager contains several useful methods which can be used to manage your roles http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/dn613286(v=vs.108).aspx



We delete an already existing Role, using the Rolemanager

```
public static void DeleteRole(string roleName)
    {
      var role = roleManager.FindByName(roleName);
      roleManager.Delete(role);
    }
```



We update an already existing Role, using the Rolemanager

```
public static void UpdateRole(string oldRoleName, string newRoleName)
{
    var role = roleManager.FindByName(oldRoleName);
    role.Name = newRoleName;
    roleManager.Update(role);
}
```



We add an existing Identity to an existing Role using the Usermanager

```
public static void AddUserToRole(string username, string roleName)
{
    var user = userManager.FindByName(username);
    userManager.AddToRole(user.Id, roleName);
}
```

