

BiblioteQ Administrator Guide

Introduction

This document details the installation, configuration, and removal of BiblioteQ.

1. Database Configuration

1.1 PostgreSQL Database Configuration

BiblioteQ supports PostgreSQL 8.x and newer. Please follow the PostgreSQL-provided documentation for installing PostgreSQL. After installing the required PostgreSQL packages, please perform the following operations:

- a) Create the xbook_db database via `createdb xbook_db -E UTF8` or via the PostgreSQL-recommended protocol. Please note that xbook_db is only a suggestion.
- b) Execute `createlang plpgsql -d xbook_db` or the PostgreSQL-recommended protocol for adding a new programming language to the database.
- c) Replace all instances of the default administrator xbook_admin in `postgresql_create_schema.sql` file.
- d) Log into your PostgreSQL database and load the `postgresql_create_schema.sql` file via `\i postgresql_create_schema.sql`.

1.2 Database Updates

It is sometimes necessary to update a database schema after a software update. To do so, please execute the SQL statements that are located in the `postgresql_update_schema.sql`. You may also be required to execute additional steps via BiblioteQ. Please read and follow the version-specific instructions listed at http://biblioteq.sourceforge.net/release_notes.html.

2. BiblioteQ Installation

2.1 OS X Installation

Please copy the contents of the OS X bundle to the desired folder.

2.2 Unix Installation

Installing BiblioteQ on platforms that lack installers involves several operations. First, please resolve the following software prerequisites:

- a) Qt 4.8.x must be installed. Qt 5.x is also supported. Qt 4.7.4 is loosely supported. Please download the software from <http://qt-project.org/downloads>. You have the option of building Qt with the PostgreSQL driver or creating the driver separately as a plugin.
- b) YAZ 4.2.x, or higher, must be installed. Please download the software from <http://www.indexdata.com/yaz>.
- c) If you intend to use PostgreSQL, the PostgreSQL database package must be installed. Please download the software from <http://www.postgresql.org/download>.
- d) If you intend to use SQLite, the SQLite package must be installed. Please download the software from <http://www.sqlite.org/download.html>.

- e) After the required dependencies have been fulfilled and your environment is properly configured for Qt, build BiblioteQ via `qmake -o Makefile biblioteq.pro && make`.

2.3 Windows Installation

Windows users are urged to download the appropriate installer. After an installer has been downloaded, double-click on the appropriate icon and follow the instructions.

3. Configuring BiblioteQ

Configuring the runtime environment of BiblioteQ is relatively simple. Bundled with the software is the `biblioteq.conf` file. After BiblioteQ has been installed, please review the `biblioteq.conf` file. If necessary, please modify it to suit your preferences.

4. Removing BiblioteQ

4.1 OS X

Remove the `/Applications/BiblioteQ.d` directory. You may also wish to remove the configuration file (`~/biblioteq`).

4.2 Unix

Remove the `/usr/local/biblioteq` directory. You may also wish to remove the configuration file (`~/biblioteq`).

4.3 Windows

Remove the BiblioteQ folder.

5. PostgreSQL Database Removal

The script `postgresql_destroy_schema.sql` may be used to remove the original database `xbook_db` and other objects created by the `postgresql_create_schema.sql` script.

5.1 OS X and Unix

The `dropdb` command may be used to remove a PostgreSQL database. The `dropuser` command may be used to remove PostgreSQL users. If available, `pgAdmin` may also be used.

5.2 Windows

Please use `pgAdmin`.

6. SQLite Database Removal

Delete the desired SQLite database file(s).