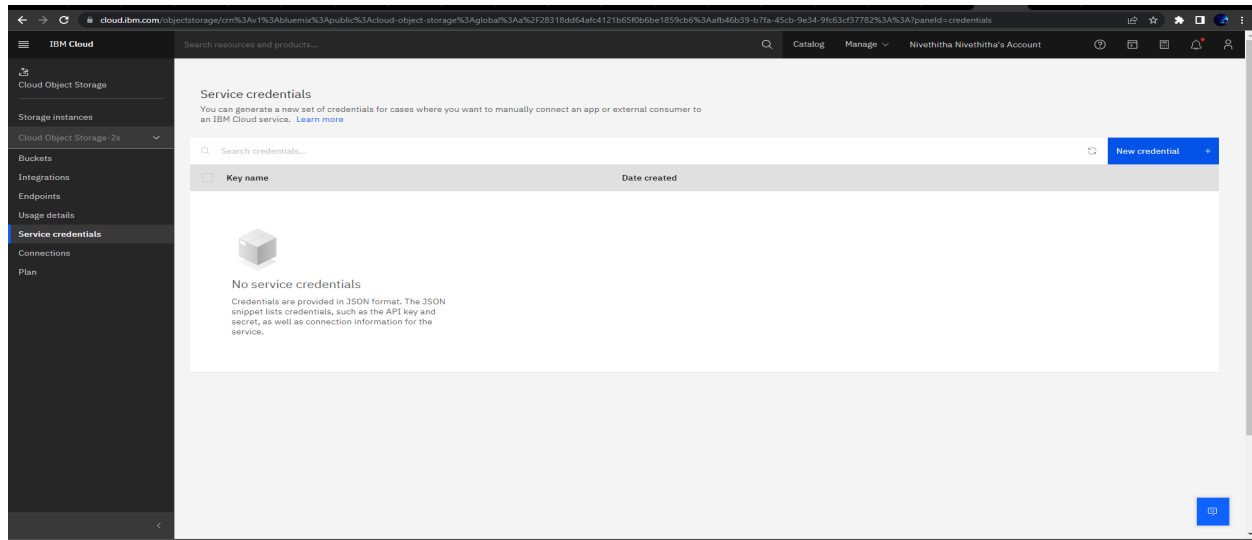


# Creating Service Credentials

1. To create the connection information that your application needs to connect to the instance, click New credential



2. Enter a name for the new credential in the Add new credential window.
3. Accept the Manager role.
- 4.(Optional) Create a service ID or have one automatically generated for you.
- 5.(Optional) Add inline configuration parameters. This parameter isn't used by IBM Cloudant service credentials, so ignore it.
- 6.Click Add.

## Create credential

Name:

Service credentials-1

Role: ⓘ

Manager

Advanced options ^

Select Service ID (Optional) ⓘ

Auto Generate

Provide service-specific configuration parameters in a valid JSON object (Optional)

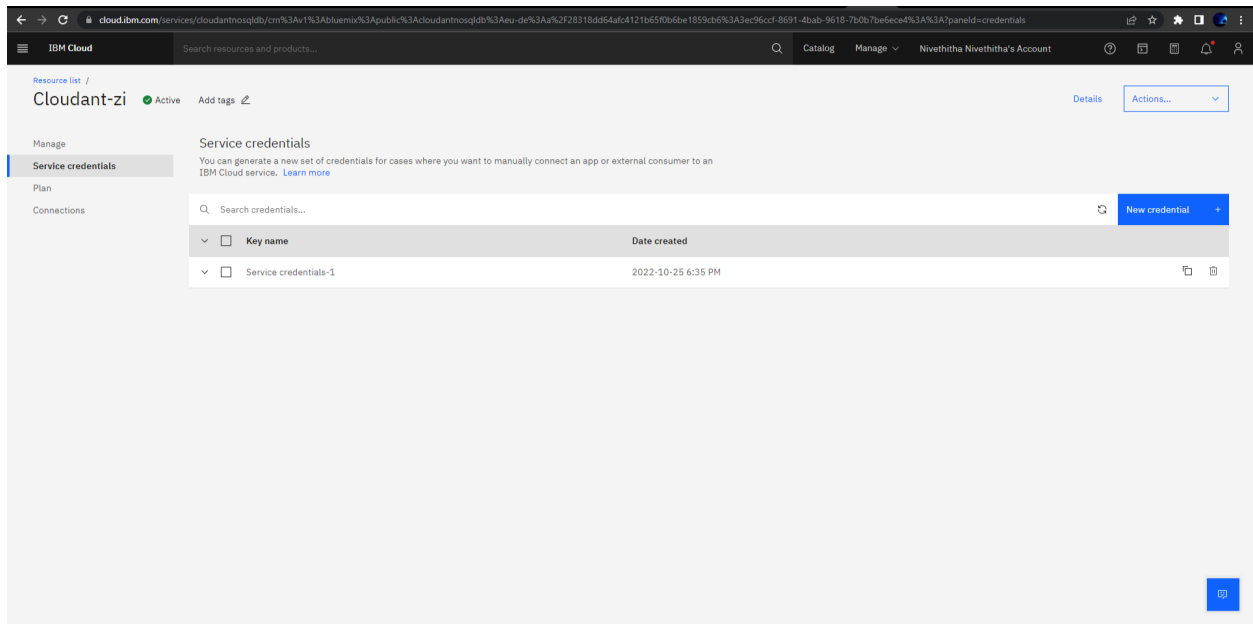
Choose file

Add inline configuration parameters (Optional)

Cancel

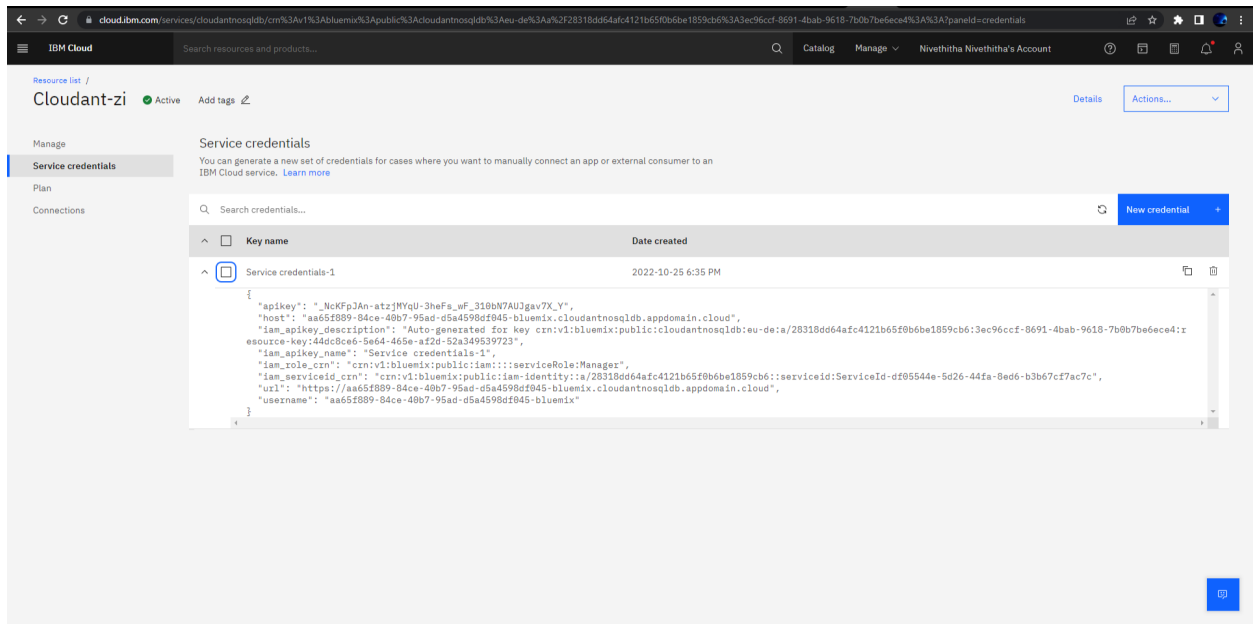
Add

## 7. To see the credentials that are required to access the service, click the chevron



The screenshot shows the IBM Cloud console interface. The top navigation bar includes the IBM Cloud logo, a search bar, and user account information. The left sidebar shows the 'Manage' section with 'Service credentials' selected. The main content area is titled 'Service credentials' and includes a description: 'You can generate a new set of credentials for cases where you want to manually connect an app or external consumer to an IBM Cloud service. [Learn more](#)'. Below this is a table with columns 'Key name' and 'Date created'. A single entry is listed: 'Service credentials-1' with a date of '2022-10-25 6:35 PM'. A blue button labeled 'New credential' is in the top right of the table. A blue chevron icon is located in the bottom right corner of the console interface.

## 8. The details for the service credentials open like the following example:



The screenshot shows the IBM Cloud console interface with the 'Service credentials' page. The 'Service credentials-1' entry is selected, and its details are displayed in a JSON format. The details include the following fields: 'apikey', 'host', 'iam\_apikey\_description', 'resource\_key', 'iam\_apikey\_name', 'iam\_role\_crm', 'iam\_serviceid\_crm', 'url', and 'username'. The 'apikey' field is highlighted with a blue box. The 'url' field is also highlighted with a blue box. The 'username' field is highlighted with a blue box. The 'apikey' field is highlighted with a blue box. The 'url' field is highlighted with a blue box. The 'username' field is highlighted with a blue box.

