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# Writing custom Office 365 connectors in PowerShell using Graph API

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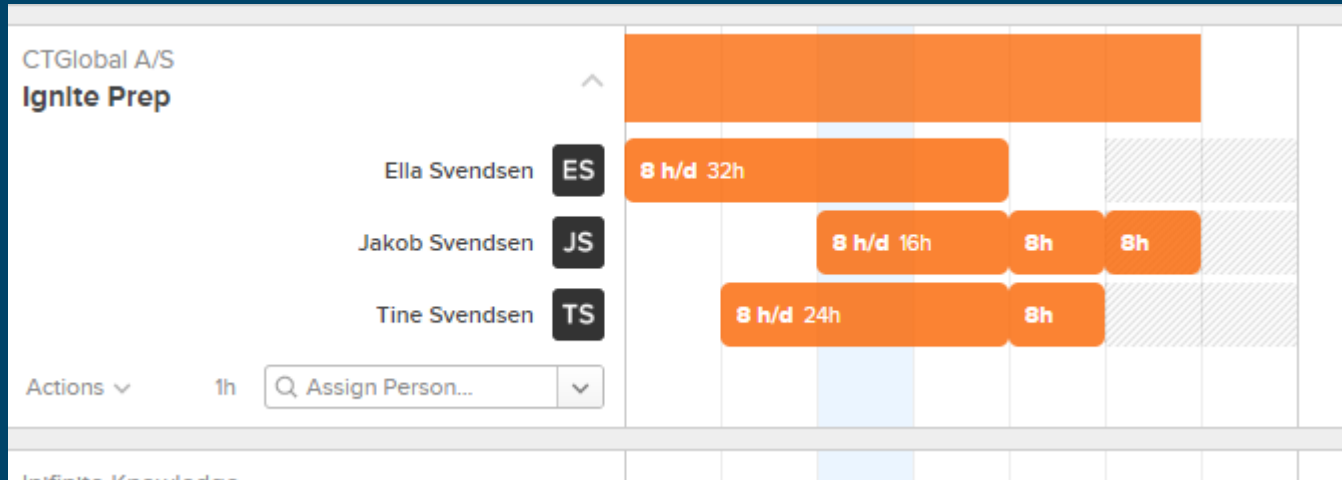
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# Agenda

- Intro to scenario
- Using & Extending Graph
- Connectors in Azure Functions (PowerShell)

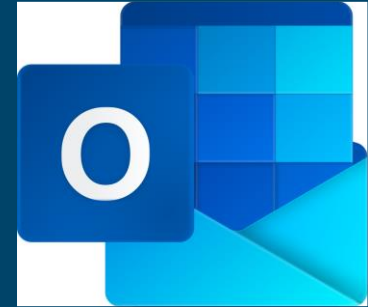
# Setting the context



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[www.forecastapp.com](http://www.forecastapp.com)  
Time Management

# Setting the context

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Outlook Calendar  
[www.office.com](http://www.office.com)



# Official Graph API Module

- Very early
- Very promising!
- Could be used but not ready ATM
- Commands for each purpose (User/Event/File etc.)
- Lots is missing (get-usercalendarview cmdlet fail)

<https://github.com/microsoftgraph/msgraph-sdk-powershell>



# My Graph API Module

- Recently updated to not require auth dlls!
- Windows PowerShell and PowerShell compatible (Core)
- Very Basic
- Authentication
- Any Query – Invoke-GraphQuery

<https://www.powershellgallery.com/packages/MicrosoftGraphAPI/>



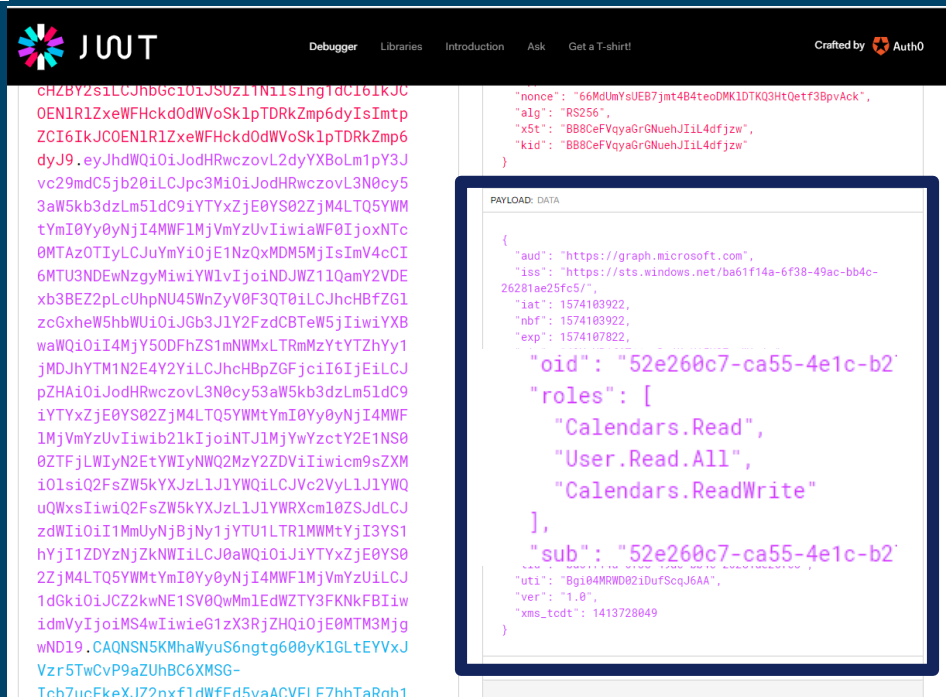
# Permissions

- Delegate
  - User
  - Cannot access all other users
- Application
  - Need certificate or client secret
  - All can be read

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/graph/permissions-reference>

# Troubleshoot Access tokens

- Decode using JWT.IO



The screenshot shows the JWT.IO website interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Debugger, Libraries, Introduction, Ask, and Get a T-shirt!, along with a 'Crafted by Auth0' logo. The main content area displays a long JWT token in the left pane. The right pane shows the decoded payload (DATA) in a highlighted box:

```
{
  "aud": "https://graph.microsoft.com",
  "iss": "https://sts.windows.net/ba61f14a-6f38-49ac-bb4c-26281ae25fc5/",
  "iat": 1574183922,
  "nbf": 1574183922,
  "exp": 1574187822,
  "oid": "52e260c7-ca55-4e1c-b2",
  "roles": [
    "Calendars.Read",
    "User.Read.All",
    "Calendars.ReadWrite"
  ],
  "sub": "52e260c7-ca55-4e1c-b2",
  "uti": "Bg104MRW00ziDufSeqJ6AA",
  "ver": "1.0",
  "xms_tdt": 1413728049
}
```





# Demo – Auth tokens



# Extend Graph API

- Name
  - Verified domain
    - Must be .com, .net, .gov, .edu, .org
  - Special Name
    - Auto generated
    - ext{8-char-random-alphanumeric}\_{your-supplied-name}

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/graph/api/schemaextension-post-schemaextensions?view=graph-rest-beta&tabs=http>



# Demo – Graph Custom Field



# Odata

- Expand
- Select
- Filter
- Top



# Odata

```
https://graph.microsoft.com/beta/  
me/  
calendar/calendarView?  
startDateTime={0:yyyy-MM-ddTHH:mm:ss.ffffff}  
&endDateTime={1:yyyy-MM-ddTHH:mm:ss.ffffff}  
&\$top=10000  
&\$filter=categories/any\(c: c eq 'ForecastV2'\)&  
\$select=\*, \$propertyExtName  
-f \$start\_datetime, \$end\_datetime
```



# Demo – OData Expand



# Azure Functions - PowerShell

- PowerShell Core
- Triggers
  - Timer Trigger
  - HTTP Trigger
  - More



# Azure Functions – PS inputs

- Each trigger
- \$TriggerMetaData
  - FunctionName





# Authoring in VS Code

- Create Project
- Run! – Emulator Functions/Storage
- Deploy
- Sync Settings

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-functions/functions-create-first-function-powershell>



# Demo – Authoring



# Modules From Gallery

- Add Dependencies in requirements.psd1

```
@{  
    'Az' = '2.*'  
    'AzTable' = '2.*'  
}
```



# Modules Locally

- Make a "Modules" folder
- Reference the module folder by full path:

`$pwd\$(TriggerMetadata.FunctionName)\Modules`

`D:\home\site\wwwroot\<FunctionName>\Modules`



# Saving States

- Local Storage - %HOME%\data
  - Shared by instances
  - Easy to use
  - Is deleted on move to new compute host - On large rise of load
  - Stays on app service plan
- Azure Storage Account – Table Storage
  - Module: CToolkit



# Scale / Performance

- Minimize period
- Use last run as base for query
- CTToolkit!

<https://www.powershellgallery.com/packages/CTToolkit/1.0.2>



# Demo – Saving States



# Concurrency

- TimerTrigger is never parallel
- Other Triggers can be!
- Set  
\$ENV:PSWorkerInProcConcurrencyUpperBound

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/azure-functions/functions-reference-powershell#concurrency>





# Demo – The Connector

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