iOS end-to-end demonstration

Overview

The purpose of this demonstration is to experience an end-to-end flow:

- 1. A scaffold application an application that is pre-bundled with the MobileFirst client SDK, is registered and downloaded from the MobileFirst Operations Console.
- 2. An new or provided adapter is deployed to the MobileFirst Operations Console.
- 3. The application logic is changed to make a resource request.

End result:

- Successfully pinging the MobileFirst Server.
- Successfully retrieving data using a MobileFirst Adapter.

Prerequisites:

- Xcode
- Optional. MobileFirst Developer CLI (download (file:///home/travis/build/MFPSamples/DevCenter/_site/downloads))
- Optional. Stand-alone MobileFirst Server (download (file:///home/travis/build/MFPSamples/DevCenter/_site/downloads))

1. Starting the MobileFirst Server

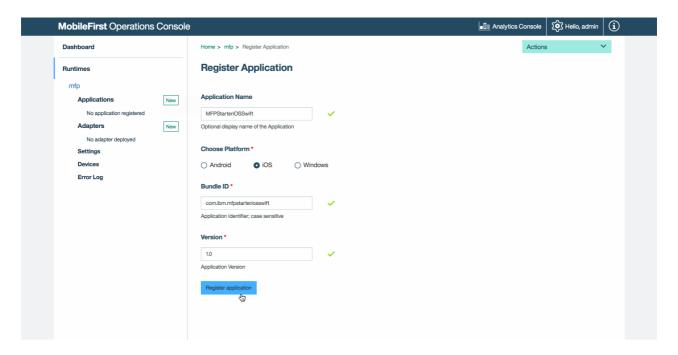
If a remote server was already set-up, skip this step.

From a **Command-line** window, navigate to the server's folder and run the command: \[\text{\ .} \run.sh \].

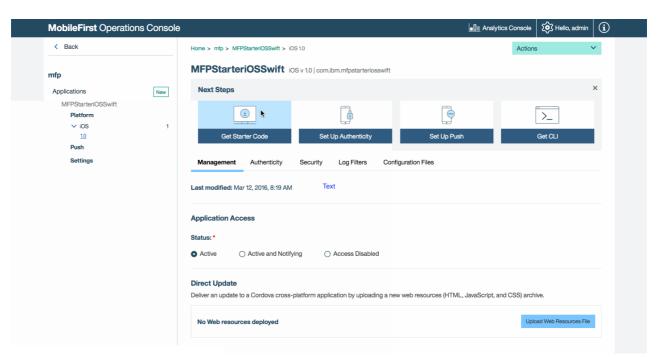
2. Creating an application

In a browser window, open the MobileFirst Operations Console by loading the URL: http://your-server-host:server-port/mfpconsole. If running locally, use: http://localhost:9080/mfpconsole (http://localhost:9080/mfpconsole). The username/password are admin/admin.

- 1. Click the **New** button next to **Applications**
 - Select the iOS platform
 - Enter com.ibm.mfpstarteriosobjectivec or com.ibm.mfpstarteriosswift as the application identifier (depending on the application scaffold you will download in the next step)
 - Enter 1.0 as the version value
 - Click on Register application



2. Click on the **Get Starter Code** tile and select to download the iOS Objective-C or iOS Swift application scaffold.



3. Editing application logic

- 1. Open the Xcode project project by double-clicking the .xcworkspace file.
- Select the [project-root]/ViewController.m/swift file and paste the following code snippet, replacing the existing getAccessToken() function: In Objective-C:

```
- (void)testServerConnection {
  _connectionStatusText.text = @"Connecting to Server...";
  [[WLAuthorizationManager sharedInstance] obtainAccessTokenForScope: @"" withCompletionH
andler:^(AccessToken *accessToken, NSError *error) {
     if (error != nil){
       NSLog(@"Failure: %@", error. description);
       _connectionStatusText.text = @"Client Failed to connect to Server";
     else if (accessToken != nil){
       NSLog(@"Success: %@",accessToken.value);
       connectionStatusText.text = @"Client has connected to Server";
       NSURL* url = [NSURL URLWithString:@"/adapters/javaAdapter/users/world"];
       WLResourceRequest* request = [WLResourceRequest requestWithURL:url method:WLHtt
pMethodGet];
       [request sendWithCompletionHandler:^(WLResponse *response, NSError *error) {
         if (error != nil){
            NSLog(@"Failure: %@",error.description);
         }
         else if (response != nil){
           // Will print "Hello world" in the Xcode Console.
           NSLog(@"Success: %@",response.responseText);
         }
       }];
    }
  }];
}
```

In Swift:

```
@IBAction func getAccessToken(sender: AnyObject) {
  connectionStatusWindow.text = "Connecting to Server...";
  print("Testing Server Connection")
  WLAuthorizationManager.sharedInstance().obtainAccessTokenForScope(nil) { (token, error) -
> Void in
     if (error != nil) {
       self.connectionStatusWindow.text = "Client Failed to connect to Server"
       print("Did not Recieved an Access Token from Server: " + error.description)
       self.connectionStatusWindow.text = "Client has connected to Server"
       print("Recieved the Following Access Token value: " + token.value)
       let url = NSURL(string: "/adapters/javaAdapter/users/world")
       let request = WLResourceRequest(URL: url, method: WLHttpMethodGet)
       request.sendWithCompletionHandler { (WLResponse response, NSError error) -> Void in
          if (error != nil){
            NSLog("Failure: " + error.description)
         else if (response != nil){
            NSLog("Success: " + response.responseText)
         }
       }
    }
  }
}
```

4. Creating an adapter

Download this prepared .adapter artifact (../javaAdapter.adapter) and deploy it from the MobileFirst Operations Console using the **Actions** → **Deploy adapter** action.

Alternatively, click the **New** button next to **Adapters**.

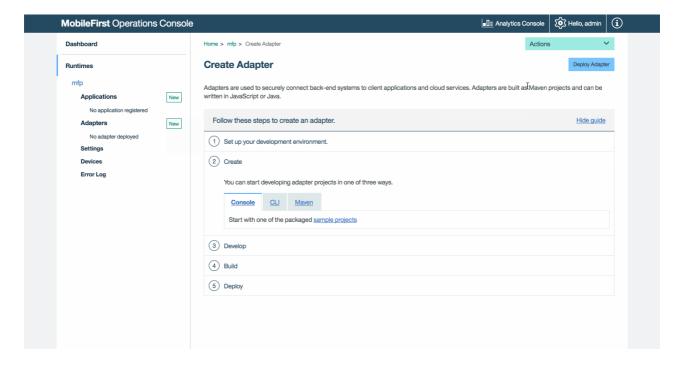
1. Select the **Actions** → **Download sample** option. Download the "Hello World" **Java** adapter sample.

If Maven and MobileFirst Developer CLI are not installed, follow the on-screen **Set up your development environment** instructions.

2. From a **Command-line** window, navigate to the adapter's Maven project root folder and run the command:

mfpdev adapter build

3. When the build finishes, deploy it from the MobileFirst Operations Console using the **Actions** → **Deploy adapter** action. The adapter can be found in the **[adapter]**/target folder.



5. Testing the application

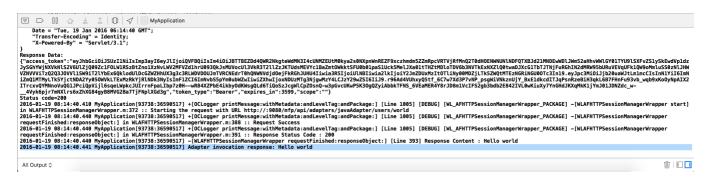
- In Xcode, select the mfpclient.plist file and edit the host property with the IP address of the MobileFirst Server.
 Alternatively, if you have installed the MobileFirst Develoer CLI then navigate to the project root folder and run the command mfpdev app register. If a remote server is used instead of a local server, first use the command mfpdev server add to add it.
- 2. Press the Play button.



Results

- Clicking the Ping MobileFirst Server button will display Connected to MobileFirst Server.
- If the application was able to connect to the MobileFirst Server, a resource request call using the deployed Java adapter will take place.

The adapter response is then printed in the Xcode Console.



Next steps

Learn more on using adapters in applications, and how to integrate additional services such as Push Notifications, using the MobileFirst security framework and more:

- Review the Using the MobileFirst Platform Foundation (../../using-the-mfpf-sdk/) tutorials
- Review the Adapters development (../../adapters/) tutorials
- Review the Authentication and security tutorials (../../authentication-and-security/)

- Review the Notifications tutorials (../../notifications/)
- Review All Tutorials (../../all-tutorials)