

ShiftOrganizer - AWS Console Setup Guide

Overview

This guide will walk you through setting up all AWS services using the AWS Management Console (web interface).

Step 1: Sign in to AWS Console

1. Go to <https://console.aws.amazon.com/>
2. Sign in with your AWS account
3. Select your region - I choose eu-north-1

Step 2: Create S3 Bucket for Frontend

Navigate to S3

1. In the search bar at the top, type "**S3**"
2. Click on **S3** service

Create Bucket

1. Click "**Create bucket**" button (orange)
2. **Bucket name:** shiftorganizer-web-omer
3. **AWS Region:** Keep your selected region
4. **Object Ownership:** Keep default (ACLs disabled)
5. **Block Public Access settings:**
 - **UNCHECK** "Block all public access"
 - Check the acknowledgment box
6. Keep other settings as default
7. Click "**Create bucket**"

Enable Static Website Hosting

1. Click on your newly created bucket
2. Go to "**Properties**" tab
3. Scroll down to "**Static website hosting**"
4. Click "**Edit**"
5. **Static website hosting:** Enable

6. **Hosting type:** Host a static website
7. **Index document:** login.html
8. Click "**Save changes**"
9. Note down the **Bucket website endpoint** URL

Add Bucket Policy for Public Access

1. Go to "**Permissions**" tab
2. In "**Bucket policy**" section, click "**Edit**"
3. Paste this policy (replace YOUR-BUCKET-NAME with your actual bucket name):

json

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "PublicReadGetObject",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Principal": "*",
      "Action": "s3:GetObject",
      "Resource": "arn:aws:s3::: shiftorganizer-web-omer/*"
    }
  ]
}
```

4. Click "**Save changes**"

Step 3: Create DynamoDB Tables

Navigate to DynamoDB

1. Search for "**DynamoDB**" in the top search bar
2. Click on **DynamoDB** service

Create Users Table

1. Click **"Create table"**
2. **Table name:** ShiftOrganizer-Users
3. **Partition key:** userId (String)
4. **Table settings:** Default settings
5. Click **"Create table"**

Create Shifts Table

1. Click **"Create table"**
2. **Table name:** ShiftOrganizer-Shifts
3. **Partition key:** shiftId (String)
4. Click **"Create table"**
5. After table is created, go to **"Indexes"** tab
6. Click **"Create index"**
 - **Partition key:** employeeId (String)
 - **Sort key:** date (String)
 - **Index name:** employeeId-date-index
 - Click **"Create index"**

Create Notifications Table

1. Click **"Create table"**
2. **Table name:** ShiftOrganizer-Notifications
3. **Partition key:** notificationId (String)
4. Click **"Create table"**

Step 4: Set up Amazon Cognito

Navigate to Cognito

1. Search for **"Cognito"** in the search bar
2. Click on **Amazon Cognito**

Create User Pool

1. Click **"Create user pool"**

Step 1 - Configure sign-in experience

1. **Cognito user pool sign-in options:** Check "**Email**"
2. **User name requirements:** Leave unchecked
3. Click "**Next**"

Step 2 - Configure security requirements

1. **Password policy:**
 - Minimum length: 8
 - Check all character requirements
2. **Multi-factor authentication:** No MFA
3. **User account recovery:** Enable self-service (Email only)
4. Click "**Next**"

Step 3 - Configure sign-up experience

1. **Self-registration:** Enable
2. **Attribute verification:** Verify email addresses
3. **Required attributes:**
 - email (should be pre-selected)
 - name
 - phone_number
4. Click "**Next**"

Step 4 - Configure message delivery

1. **Email provider:** Cognito default
2. **FROM email address:** Leave default
3. Click "**Next**"

Step 5 - Integrate your app

1. **User pool name:** ShiftOrganizer-UserPool
2. **App type:** Public client
3. **App client name:** ShiftOrganizer-WebClient
4. **Client secret:** Don't generate
5. Click "**Next**"

Step 6 - Review and create

1. Review settings
2. Click **"Create user pool"**
3. **SAVE THESE VALUES:**
 - User pool ID (like: us-east-1_xxxxxxxxx)
 - Client ID (in App integration tab)

Create User Groups

1. In your User Pool, go to **"Groups"** tab
2. Click **"Create group"**
 - **Group name:** Managers
 - **Description:** Managers who can create shifts
 - Click **"Create group"**
3. Create another group:
 - **Group name:** Employees
 - **Description:** Employees who view shifts

Create Manager for controlling the system for the first time

1. In your User Pool, go to **"Users"** tab and press on **"Create user"**
2. After creating user go to **"Groups"** and press on **"Managers"**
3. Add the user you created to the managers group

Step 5: Create IAM Role for Lambda

Navigate to IAM

1. Search for **"IAM"**
2. Click on **IAM** service

Create Lambda Execution Role

1. Click **"Roles"** in the left sidebar
2. Click **"Create role"**
3. **Trusted entity type:** AWS service
4. **Use case:** Lambda

5. Click **"Next"**
6. Search and select these policies:
 - AWSLambdaBasicExecutionRole
7. Click **"Next"**
8. **Role name:** ShiftOrganizer-Lambda-Role
9. Click **"Create role"**

Add Custom Permissions to Role

1. Click on the role you just created
2. Click **"Add permissions"** → **"Create inline policy"**
3. Click **"JSON"** tab and paste:

json

```
{  
  "Version": "2012-10-17",  
  "Statement": [  
    {  
      "Effect": "Allow",  
      "Action": [  
        "dynamodb:PutItem",  
        "dynamodb:GetItem",  
        "dynamodb:UpdateItem",  
        "dynamodb:DeleteItem",  
        "dynamodb:Query",  
        "dynamodb:*",  
        "dynamodb:Scan"  
      ],  
      "Resource": "*"   
    },  
  ],  
}
```

```

    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
        "cognito-idp:AdminRemoveUserFromGroup",
        "cognito-idp:AdminUpdateUserAttributes",
        "cognito-idp:AdminListGroupsForUser",
        "cognito-idp:AdminCreateUser",
        "cognito-idp:AdminDeleteUser",
        "cognito-idp:AdminGetUser",
        "cognito-idp:AdminAddUserToGroup"
    ],
    "Resource": "*"
},
{
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
        "sns:Publish",
        "ses:SendEmail"
    ],
    "Resource": "*"
}
]
}

```

4. Click **"Review policy"**
5. **Name:** ShiftOrganizer-Lambda-Permissions
6. Click **"Create policy"**

Step 6: Create Lambda Functions

Navigate to Lambda

1. Search for **"Lambda"**

2. Click on **Lambda** service

Create Your First Function (Create Shift)

1. Click "**Create function**"
2. **Function name:** ShiftOrganizer-CreateShift
3. **Runtime:** Node.js 18.x
4. **Architecture:** x86_64
5. **Execution role:** Use an existing role
6. **Existing role:** Select ShiftOrganizer-Lambda-Role
7. Click "**Create function**"

Configure the Function

1. In the **Code** tab
2. Click "Upload from" and then select ".zip file"
3. Click "**Deploy**" to save
4. Go to **Configuration** tab:
 - **General configuration** → Edit
 - Timeout: 30 seconds
 - Memory: 256 MB
 - Save

Create Other Lambda Functions

Repeat the above process for all the others functions

Step 7: Set up API Gateway

Navigate to API Gateway

1. Search for "**API Gateway**"
2. Click on **API Gateway** service

Create REST API

1. Click "**Create API**"
2. Choose "**REST API**" (not private)
3. Click "**Build**"

4. **API name:** ShiftOrganizer-API
5. **Description:** API for ShiftOrganizer
6. **Endpoint Type:** Regional
7. Click **"Create API"**

Create Resources

1. Click **"Resources"** → **"API actions"** → **"Import API"**
 - Select "ShiftOrganizer-API-prod-swagger-apigateway" (File that I uploaded with the project)

Add Cognito Authorizer

1. Click **"Authorizers"** in left sidebar
2. Click **"Create New Authorizer"**
3. **Name:** ShiftOrganizer-Authorizer
4. **Type:** Cognito
5. **Cognito User Pool:** Select your pool
6. **Token Source:** Authorization
7. Click **"Create"**

Deploy API

1. Click **"Actions"** → **"Deploy API"**
2. **Deployment stage:** [New Stage]
3. **Stage name:** prod
4. Click **"Deploy"**
5. **SAVE the Invoke URL**

Step 8: Set up EventBridge for Scheduled Tasks

Navigate to EventBridge

1. Search for **"EventBridge"**
2. Click on **Amazon EventBridge**

Create Schedule for Daily Notifications

1. Click **"Rules"** in left sidebar

2. Click **"Create rule"**
3. **Name:** ShiftOrganizer-DailyReminder
4. **Rule type:** Schedule
5. Click **"Continue to create rule"**
6. **Schedule pattern:** A schedule that runs at a regular rate
7. **Rate expression:** rate(1 day)
8. **Target:** Lambda function
9. **Function:** ShiftOrganizer-NotificationHandler
10. Click **"Create rule"**

Step 9: Set up SNS for SMS Notifications

Navigate to SNS

1. Search for **"SNS"**
2. Click on **Simple Notification Service**

Create Topic (Optional - for email)

1. Click **"Topics" → "Create topic"**
2. **Type:** Standard
3. **Name:** ShiftOrganizer-Notifications
4. Click **"Create topic"**

For SMS, you'll publish directly without a topic in your Lambda function.

Step 10: Configure SES for Email

Navigate to SES

1. Search for **"SES"**
2. Click on **Amazon Simple Email Service**

Verify Email Addresses

1. Click **"Verified identities"**
2. Click **"Create identity"**
3. Select **"Email address"**
4. Enter your email

5. Click "**Create identity**"
6. Check email and click verification link