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# ✓ High-Level Architecture (Auth via Request/Response)

# In User Service:

- Expose a message pattern handler (@MessagePattern('verify\_jwt')) to validate JWT tokens.
- This handler receives a token, validates it, and returns:
  - o { isValid: boolean, user?: any }
- No event queue is needed this uses request-response via RabbitMQ.

## In Publication Service:

- Use a custom AuthGuard to intercept incoming requests and extract the JWT token.
- Use ClientProxy.send() to call the verify\_jwt pattern from the User Service via RabbitMQ.
- Wait for the User Service to respond with validation results.
- If valid, attach user to the request and continue.

• If invalid or timeout, throw UnauthorizedException.

# Auth Integration – Publication Service Side



Enable authentication in the **Publication Service** by verifying JWT tokens via RabbitMQ through a custom AuthGuard.



### Publication Service

- Add this folder structure:

publication\_ms/src/

 $\rightarrow \text{auth/}$ 

```
→ auth.guard.ts
→ auth.module.ts
 → user.decorator.ts
```



### auth.guard.ts

Responsible for intercepting incoming requests and validating JWT tokens via RabbitMQ communication.

```
// publication-service/src/auth/auth.guard.ts
import { Injectable, CanActivate, ExecutionContext, UnauthorizedException } from
'@nestjs/common';
import { Inject } from '@nestjs/common';
import { ClientProxy } from '@nestjs/microservices';
import { firstValueFrom } from 'rxjs';
import { timeout, catchError } from 'rxjs/operators';
```

```
@Injectable()
export class AuthGuard implements CanActivate {
  constructor(
    @Inject('USER_SERVICE') private readonly userServiceClient: ClientProxy
  ) {}
  async canActivate(context: ExecutionContext): Promise<boolean> {
    const request = context.switchToHttp().getRequest();
    const token = this.extractTokenFromHeader(request);
    if (!token) {
     throw new UnauthorizedException('Token non fourni');
    }
    try {
      const response = await firstValueFrom(
        this.userServiceClient.send({ cmd: 'verify_jwt' }, token).pipe(
          timeout(15000),
          catchError((err) => {
            console.error('[PUBLICATION_SERVICE] X Erreur communication
microservice USER:', err);
            throw new UnauthorizedException('Le microservice ne répond pas');
          }),
       )
      );
      if (!response.isValid) {
       throw new UnauthorizedException('Token invalide');
      request.user = response.user;
      console.log('[PUBLICATION_SERVICE] ✓ Token validé, utilisateur :',
response.user);
      return true;
    } catch (error) {
      throw new UnauthorizedException(error.message | 'Erreur
d\'authentification');
  }
  private extractTokenFromHeader(request): string | undefined {
    const [type, token] = request.headers.authorization?.split(' ') ?? [];
    return type === 'Bearer' ? token : undefined;
  }
}
```

Registers the client used to communicate with the RabbitMQ queue responsible for JWT validation.

```
// publication-service/src/auth/auth.module.ts
import { Module } from '@nestjs/common';
import { ClientsModule, Transport } from '@nestjs/microservices';
import { AuthGuard } from './auth.guard';
@Module({
  imports: [
    ClientsModule.register([
        name: 'USER_SERVICE',
        transport: Transport.RMQ,
        options: {
          urls: ['amqp://user:password@localhost:5672'],
          queue: 'auth_queue', // Queue that listens for JWT validation requests
          queueOptions: {
            durable: true
          },
        },
      },
    ]),
  providers: [AuthGuard],
  exports: [AuthGuard, ClientsModule], // Export for use in other
modules/controllers
})
export class AuthModule {}
```



#### user.decorator.ts

Custom decorator to easily access the authenticated user inside your controller methods.

```
// publication-service/src/auth/user.decorator.ts
import { createParamDecorator, ExecutionContext } from '@nestjs/common';
export const CurrentUser = createParamDecorator(
  (_data: unknown, ctx: ExecutionContext) => {
    const request = ctx.switchToHttp().getRequest();
    return request.user;
 },
);
```



# ✓ In PublicationModule (or your relevant feature module)

Import the AuthModule to make the guard available across your services and controllers:

```
// publication-service/src/publication.module.ts (example)
import { Module } from '@nestjs/common';
import { AuthModule } from './auth/auth.module'; // Import here

@Module({
  imports: [
    AuthModule,
    // other modules...
],
  // providers/controllers...
})
export class PublicationModule {}
```

# In Any Controller

Protect endpoints using @UseGuards(AuthGuard) and access the user with @CurrentUser().

```
// Example usage in a controller
import { Controller, Post, UseGuards, Body } from '@nestjs/common';
import { AuthGuard } from '../auth/auth.guard';
import { CurrentUser } from '../auth/user.decorator';
import { CreatePublicationDto } from './dto/create-publication.dto';

@Controller('publications')
export class PublicationsController {

@Post()
@UseGuards(AuthGuard) // Protect this route
async create(
    @Body() createPublicationDto: CreatePublicationDto,
    @CurrentUser() user, // Access authenticated user
```

```
console.log('Creating publication for user:', user);
   // Do something with createPublicationDto and user
 }
}
```

## Final Notes

- Represented the term of the AuthGuard allows centralized, reusable, and secure JWT validation without relying on local JWT parsing.
- All JWT validation is offloaded to a central queue (auth\_queue) via RabbitMQ, improving separation of concerns.
- Variable This pattern supports microservice-scaled environments where authentication logic stays in one place.