

Project 2

▼ Feature 1: Better user management

This feature required new users to be able to register themselves without logging into an admin account and creating a new user manually. Hence, we created a separate page for registration and linked it on the `Login` page.

The two main files created for this feature are `Register.html` and `register.js`. The former file contains the frontend code to display fields like `username`, `email`, and `password` while the latter file has the controller to call the APIs.

The following lines were commented out in `UserResource.java`

```
if (!authenticate()) {  
    throw new ForbiddenClientException();  
}  
  
checkPrivilege(Privilege.ADMIN);
```

The lines check if the user that is trying to register a new user has Admin privileges. Since, we want to allow anyone to register, we remove these checks.

▼ Feature 2: Better library management

Implementation Details

We edited the `Playlist` class to include another parameter `isPublic` taking a `Boolean` value to implement this feature. Due to this, we had to make changes in the SQL files to change the table structure. And finally, changes were made in the front-end to add the functionality of making playlists public and private.

Base Code (Backend)

- Changes were made to `PlaylistDto.java`, `PlaylistCriteria.java` and `Playlist.java` to include the parameter `isPublic` in the class structure.
- `PlaylistMapper.java` was edited to map the `ispublic` parameter from the SQL query result to `isPublic` parameter of the `PlaylistDto` class object parameter.

- Changes were made to `PlaylistDao.java` to change the SQL `SELECT` query, `CREATE` query and the `UPDATE` query to support the table with `ISPUBLIC` column.
- In `PlaylistResource.java`, new API calls were defined to return public playlists, toggle the public and private status, ignore authentication to view public playlists and integrate `isPublic` parameter in playlists.
- We edited `UserResource.java` to return the user id when fetching user data.

Database

We added the following statement to `dbupdate-001-1.sql` to update the structure of the table storing the playlists to add a new boolean column that tells whether the playlist is public.

```
alter table
  T_PLAYLIST
add
  ISPUBLIC NUMBER(1);
```

Frontend

- In `NamedPlaylist.js` we added another array to the root scope named `publicPlaylists` to store the data of all the public playlists.
- In `Playlists.js` in `app/controller` we also store the current user data in the scope, which we get from the API calls defined in `UserResource.java`.
- In `playlist.html` all of our changes are reflected.
 - We add a button to make playlists public and private.
 - We disable buttons to edit playlists when one user accesses another user's public playlist.
- In `main.html` we display all the public playlists below the user's playlist.

▼ Feature 3: Online Integration

In this feature, we needed to add Spotify's and Last.fm's `search` and `recommendation` integrations. To start off, we went through their API documentation

and figured out the APIs we needed to call for these. The APIs we have used are linked below:

1. `Spotify`
 - a. Search: [Search for Item](#)
 - b. Recommendation: [Get Recommendations](#)
2. `Last.fm`
 - a. Search: [Track.search](#)
 - b. Recommendation: [Track.getSimilar](#)

All of the four APIs require OAuth or API Key. In case of `Last.fm`, we used the API key provided in the repository itself while in for Spotify, the user has to provide the Bearer Token.

These APIs were called through Angular's `$http` service in `Search.js` and `Playlist.js` and appropriate changes were made in `search.html` and `playlist.html` to display the buttons and the responses clearly on the frontend.

The implementation code for the search APIs is given below:

1. Spotify

```
$scope.searchSpotify = function () {  
  console.log(spotify_api_site);  
  var heads = {authorization: "Bearer Token"};  
  $http.get(spotify_api_site, {headers: heads}).then(  
    function (data) {  
      console.log(data.data.tracks.items);  
      $scope.tracks = data.data.tracks.items;  
    },  
    function (error) {  
      console.log(error);  
    }  
  );  
};
```

2. Last.fm

```
$scope.searchLastFM = function () {  
  console.log(lastfm_api_site);  
  $http.get(lastfm_api_site).then(  
    function (data) {  
      console.log(data.data.results.trackmatches.track);  
    }  
  );  
};
```

```
        $scope.tracks = data.data.results.trackmatches.track;
    },
    function (error) {
        console.log(error);
    }
    );
};
```

A similar approach for recommendation APIs is also used.