

How-to: Set up a Microservices Landscape

1. Create a root directory for your project in bash (or file explorer).

```
mkdir some-project
```

2. Update the create-projects.bash script file

Make sure there is a section for each of the microservices in your microservices landscape. Make sure the name, package-name and name at the end of each section correspond.

```
spring init \  
--boot-version=3.0.2 \  
--build=gradle \  
--type=gradle-project \  
--java-version=17 \  
--packaging=jar \  
--name=clients-service \  
--package-name=com.cardealership.clientservice \  
--groupId=com.cardealership.clientservice \  
--dependencies=web \  
--version=1.0.0-SNAPSHOT \  
clients-service
```

(repeat for all your microservices)

3. In your project root directory, execute the create-projects.bash script.
./create-projects.bash
4. To see if the script worked, find the files in one of your microservices.

`ls -la` (look for the name of the microservices you created)

5. Build all your microservices in order to generate the Gradle files and directories we will need.

```
cd some-service1; ./gradlew build; cd -  
cd some-service2; ./gradlew build; cd -  
(repeat for all your microservices)
```

Note: there is a space between `cd` and `-`

Note: there is no `/` after the name of the service i.e. the service directory
Make sure the build succeeds for each of your microservices.

6. Now we are going to create a multi-project setup so that we can build all of the microservices with one command.

Note: this is only to make it easier for us since we are in school. In real-life, we'd want to keep each microservice's build, release, run pipeline separate.

- a) In your project's top-level directory, create the `settings.gradle` file for your multi-project setup.

```
cat <<EOF > settings.gradle  
include 'some-service1'  
include 'some-service2'  
EOF
```

(include all your microservices)

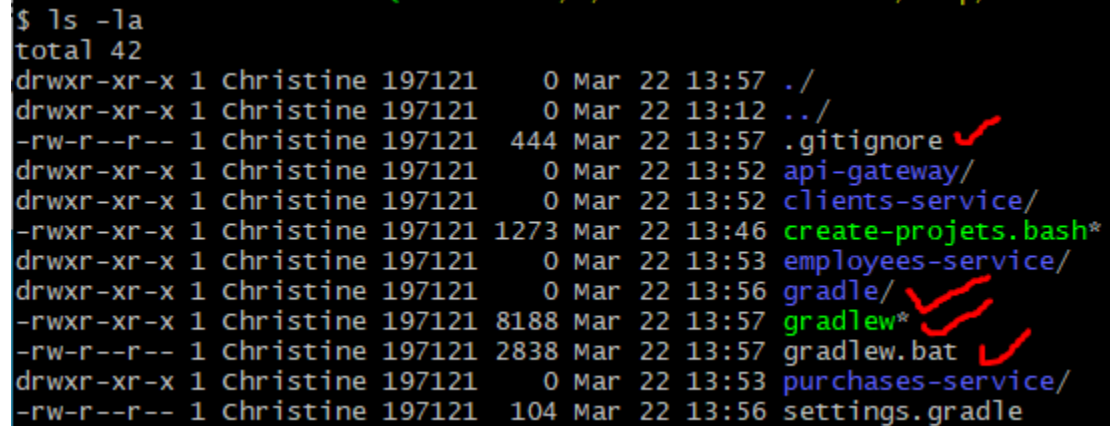
- b) Copy the Gradle executable files that we generated for one of the microservices to your project's root directory so we can have multi-project builds.

```
cp -r some-service1/gradle .  
cp some-service1/gradlew .  
cp some-service1/gradlew.bat .  
cp some-service1/.gitignore .
```

- c) Check that all the files have been copied to your project's top-level directory.

```
ls -la
```

You should see:



```
$ ls -la
total 42
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:57 ./
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:12 ../
-rw-r--r-- 1 Christine 197121 444 Mar 22 13:57 .gitignore ✓
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:52 api-gateway/
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:52 clients-service/
-rwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121 1273 Mar 22 13:46 create-projets.bash* ✓
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:53 employees-service/
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:56 gradle/ ✓
-rwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121 8188 Mar 22 13:57 gradlew* ✓
-rw-r--r-- 1 Christine 197121 2838 Mar 22 13:57 gradlew.bat ✓
drwxr-xr-x 1 Christine 197121  0 Mar 22 13:53 purchases-service/ ✓
-rw-r--r-- 1 Christine 197121 104 Mar 22 13:56 settings.gradle
```

- d) Delete the Gradle executable files in each microservice since we don't need them anymore. **Be sure NOT to delete the files we just copied to the project's root directory!**

```
find some-service1 -depth -name "gradle" -exec rm -rfv "{}"
find some-service1 -depth -name "gradlew*" -exec rm -fv "{}"
```

(repeat for all your microservices)

- e) Build all your microservices with one command.
./gradlew build