

How to connect to Ryerson's Oracle 11g Database with PHP files.

1. Connect to the moon server using your CS username and password
 2. Create a folder in the home directory with the name "webdev"
Command: `mkdir webdev`
 3. Change permissions to the folder webdev
Command: `chmod 711 webdev`
 4. Connect to webdev by the following command:
Command : `ssh webdev`
It will ask CS password
 5. Go inside to the webdev folder by using the following command
Command: `cd webdev`
 6. Create a PHP file with a name index.php inside webdev folder
Command: `nano index.php`
 7. Write the sample code inside index.php and change the username, password with your cs username, password and save the file
- Sample code:

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<?php
error_reporting(E_ALL);
ini_set('display_errors', 'On');
// Create connection to Oracle
$conn = oci_connect('username', 'password',
'(DESCRIPTION=(ADDRESS=(PROTOCOL=TCP)(Host=oracle.scs.ryerson.ca)(Port=1521))(CONNECT_DATA=(SID=orcl)))');
if (!$conn) {
    $m = oci_error();
    echo $m['message'];
}
else{
    echo "successfully connected with oracle database";
}
$query = "Select *From test" ;
$stmt = oci_parse($conn, $query);
$r = oci_execute($stmt);
if($r){
    // Fetch each row in an associative array
    while ($row = oci_fetch_array($stmt, OCI_RETURN_NULLS+OCI_ASSOC)) {
        foreach ($row as $item) {
            echo $item," ";
        }
        echo "<br/>";
    }
}
?>
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8. For any files, you have in the 'webdev' folder change permissions to 644.
Command: `chmod 644 index.php`
9. You must be connected to the Ryerson VPN to access the website using cs username and password
10. Then to access the PHP web pages, your link should be:
`webdev.scs.ryerson.ca/~scsUsername/`

11. For troubleshooting errors in PHP code run following command
Command: `php index.php`

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