

Create and manage users

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✔ These are the docs for UCP version 2.2.17

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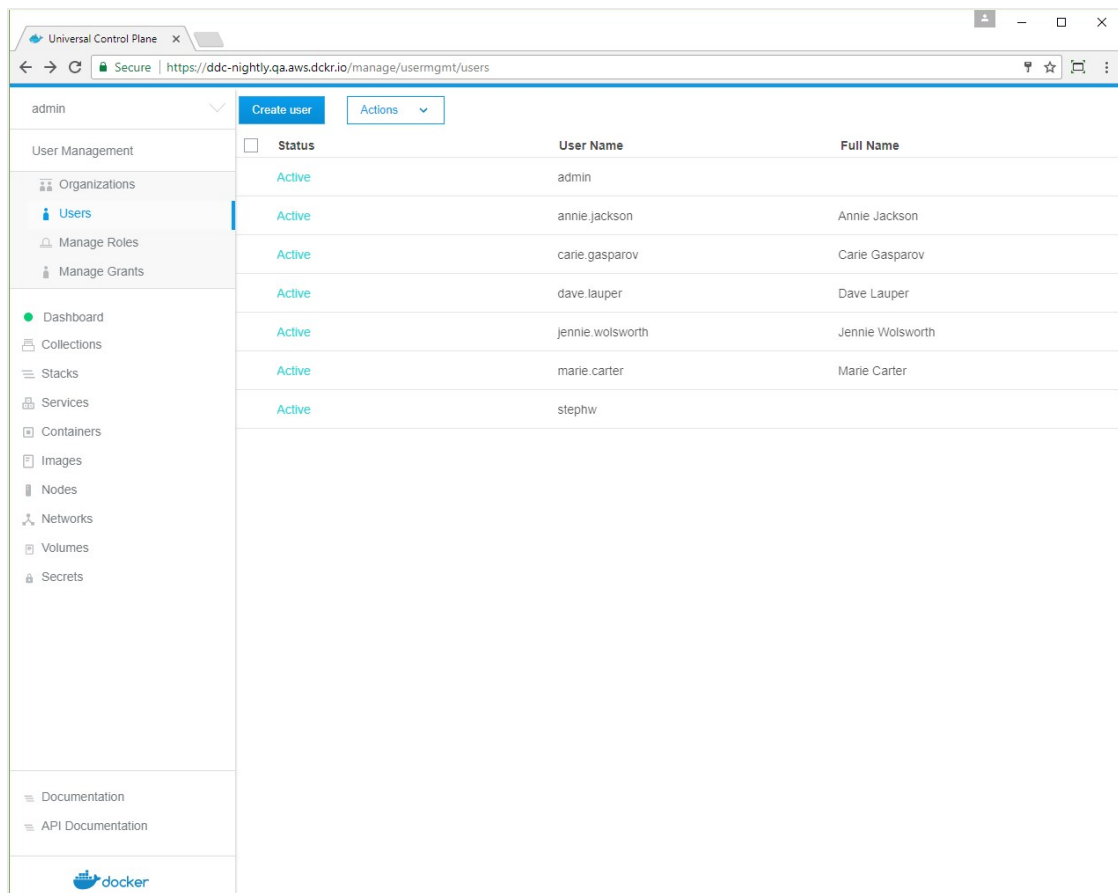
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Docker Universal Control Plane provides built-in authentication and also integrates with LDAP directory services. If you want to manage users and groups from your organization's directory, choose LDAP. Learn to integrate with an LDAP directory (<https://docs.docker.com/datacenter/ucp/2.2/guides/admin/configure/external-auth/>).

When using the UCP built-in authentication, you need to create users and optionally grant them UCP administrator permissions.

Each new user gets a default permission level so that they can access the swarm.

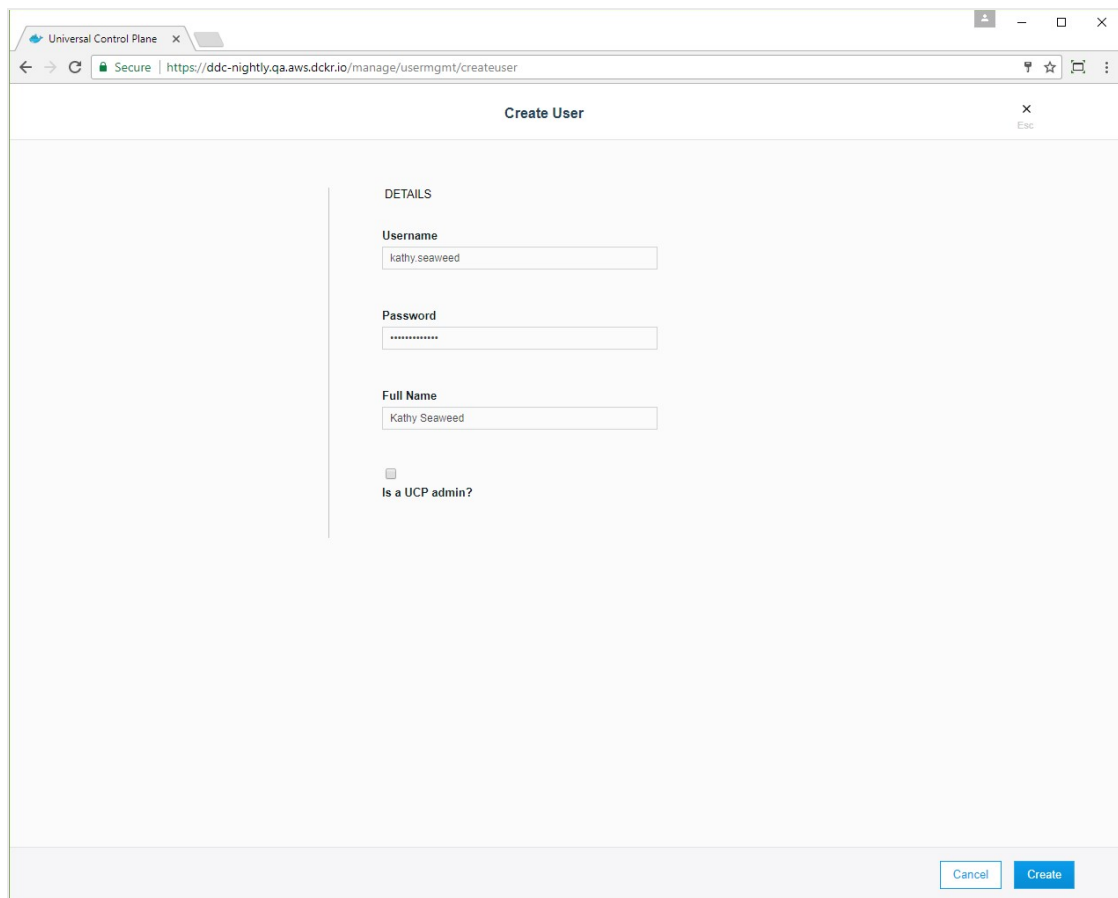
To create a new user, go to the UCP web UI, and navigate to the **Users** page.



The screenshot shows the Docker Universal Control Plane (UCP) web UI. The browser address bar displays the URL <https://ddc-nightly.qa.aws.docker.io/manage/usermgmt/users>. The page has a sidebar on the left with navigation links: admin, User Management, Organizations, Users (highlighted), Manage Roles, Manage Grants, Dashboard, Collections, Stacks, Services, Containers, Images, Nodes, Networks, Volumes, and Secrets. The main content area shows a table of users with columns for Status, User Name, and Full Name. The table lists several users, all with a status of 'Active'. A 'Create user' button and an 'Actions' dropdown menu are visible at the top of the table.

Status	User Name	Full Name
Active	admin	
Active	annie.jackson	Annie Jackson
Active	carie.gasparov	Carie Gasparov
Active	dave.lauper	Dave Lauper
Active	jennie.wolsworth	Jennie Wolsworth
Active	marie.carter	Marie Carter
Active	stephw	

Click the **Create user** button, and fill-in the user information.



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Secure | <https://ddc-nightly.qa.aws.dckr.io/manage/usermgmt/createuser>

Create User X
Esc

DETAILS

Username
kathy.seaweed

Password

Full Name
Kathy Seaweed

☐ Is a UCP admin?

Cancel Create

Check the **Is a UCP admin?** option, if you want to grant permissions for the user to change the swarm configuration and manage grants, roles, and collections.

Finally, click the **Create** button to create the user.

Where to go next

- Create and manage teams
(<https://docs.docker.com/datacenter/ucp/2.2/guides/access-control/create-and-manage-teams/>)
- UCP permission levels
(<https://docs.docker.com/datacenter/ucp/2.2/guides/access-control/permission-levels/>)

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