

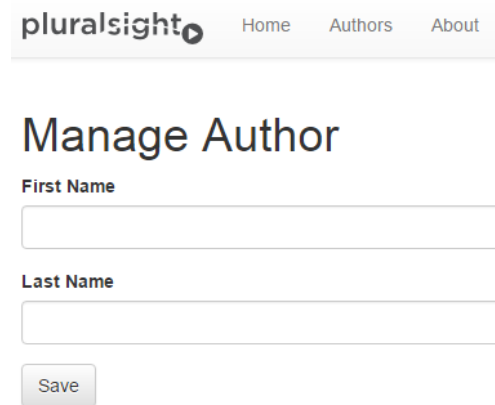
React Forms



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Forms Should Be Easy, Right?



The screenshot shows a web interface for managing authors. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'pluralsight' logo and links for 'Home', 'Authors', and 'About'. Below this, the title 'Manage Author' is displayed. The form consists of two text input fields: 'First Name' and 'Last Name'. A 'Save' button is located at the bottom of the form.

Validation

Redirects

Reusable inputs

User notifications

Saving and Population on load

Controlled Components

Any `<input>` with a value set is a controlled component.

The element's value *always* matches the value of the assigned prop.

Robust Forms in React...complete!

Any input with a value is a controlled component

Create reusable inputs

Saved data via AJAX calls in controller view

Programmatically redirected after save via React Router

Used Toastr to display notifications

Added validation

Used PropTypes to declare expectations

Used willTransitionFrom to protect from losing work

Populated form in willComponentMount