GithubActions: How to create from Github an Azure ResourceGroup with Azure SDK for .NET

With this simple C# application, I would like to show you how to create a IaC (Infrastructure as Code) solution combining Github actions workflow and Azure SDK for .NET

1. Create Azure Resource Group with Azure SDK for .NET

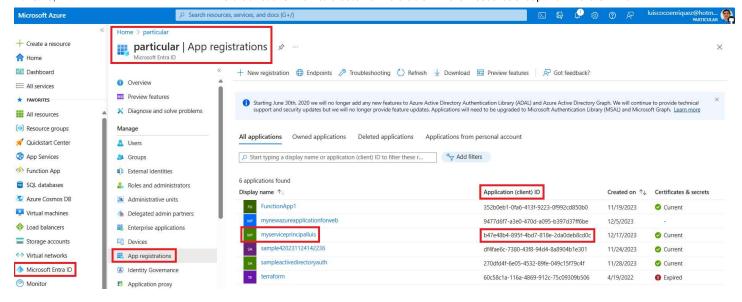
This section is explained in the following Github repo: https://github.com/luiscoco/Azure_SDK_Sample1_CreateResourceGroup

2. Creating the Service Principal and Obtaining Azure Credentials

Run this command for getting the Azure Credentials:

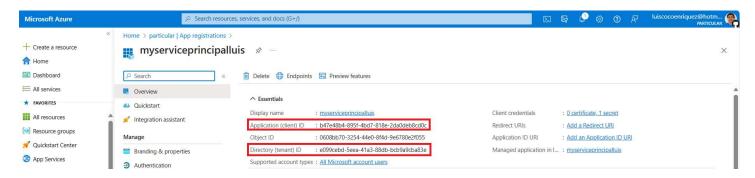
We verify the above command in Azure Portal:

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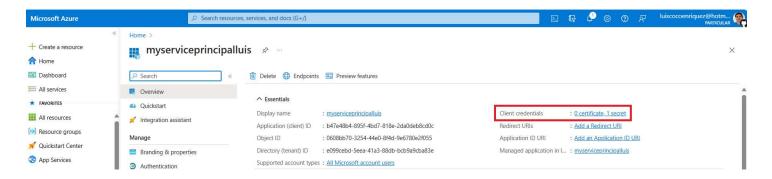


We click in the application name we registered "myserviceprincipalluis"

We can see the "Application (client) ID" and the "Directory (tenant) ID"

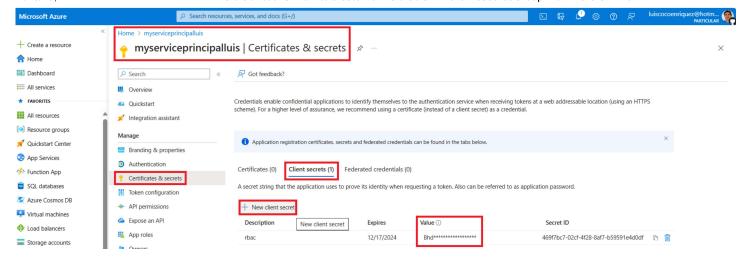


For creating a new Secret we click in the "Client Credential" link

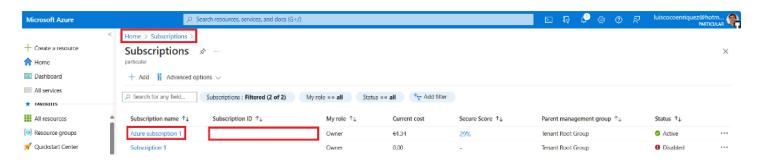


We press "New client secret" in for creating a new Secret:

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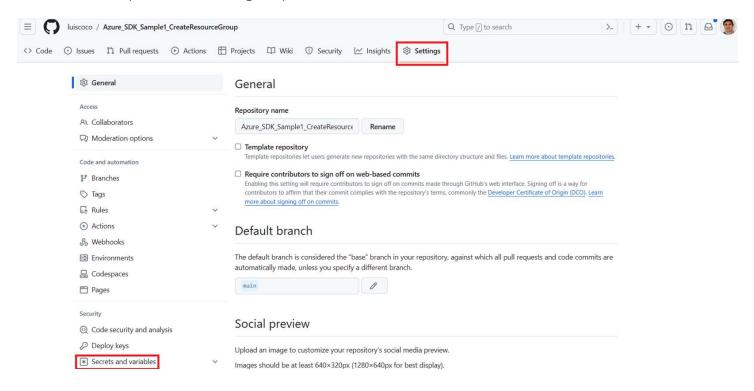


We also have to obtin the subscriptionId, in the Azure Portal we navigate to the Subscription service



3. We create the Github repository secret for storing the AZURE_CREDENTIALS

In the Github repo select "Settings" option and then "Secrets and variables"



We create a new **Secret** for storing the **AZURE_CREDENTIALS**:

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he output includes credentials that you must protect. Be sure that you do not include these credentials in your code or check the credentials into your source control For more information, see https://aka.ms/azadsp-cli
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4. Github actions main.yaml file

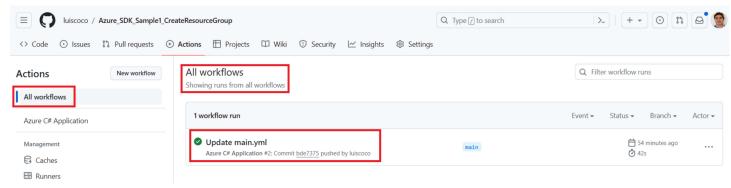
We select the Actions button in the Github repository and we enter the yaml

Now we enter the main.yml file source code

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name: Azure C# Application
on:
 push:
    branches:
      - main
 pull_request:
    branches:
      - main
jobs:
  build-and-deploy:
    runs-on: ubuntu-latest
    steps:
    - name: Checkout Repository
      uses: actions/checkout@v2
    - name: Setup .NET
      uses: actions/setup-dotnet@v1
      with:
        dotnet-version: '8.0.x' # specify your .NET version
    - name: Install dependencies
      run: dotnet restore
    - name: Build
      run: dotnet build --configuration Release --no-restore
    - name: Azure Login
      uses: azure/login@v1
      with:
        creds: ${{ secrets.AZURE_CREDENTIALS }}
    - name: Run script
      run: dotnet run
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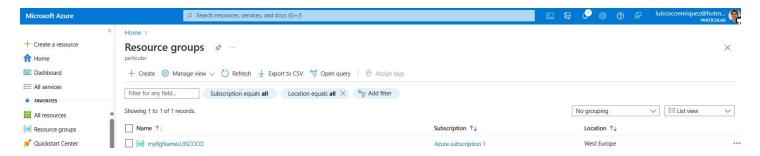
We confirm the main.yaml fiel execution was succeeded

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5. Navigate to ResourceGroups in Azure Portal

We verify the ResourceGroup was created



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