

27-short-link-app video

Filtering Links via Form Elements

- we are going to create a new component that is going to be responsible for managing all of our filters
- so lets begin by adding to Link.js

```
import React from 'react';

import { Accounts } from 'meteor/accounts-base'

import { Meteor } from 'meteor/meteor';

import { Links } from '../api/links';

import LinksList from './LinksList';

import PrivateHeader from './PrivateHeader';

import AddLink from './AddLink';

export default () => {

  return (

    <div>

      <PrivateHeader title="Your Links"/>

      <LinksListFilters/>

      <LinksList/>

      <AddLink/>

    </div>

  );

}
```

- now lets import it

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- now lets create that component under ui folder
- in our new file we are going to import React
- we are going to be using a state functional component

```

import React from 'react';

export default ()=>{

}

```

- then we are going to the return
- now lets do a div and inside that div some label tags and inside we are going to have some text and our check box

```

import React from 'react';

export default ()=>{
  return(
    <div>
      <label>
        <input type="checkbox"/>
        show hidden links
      </label>
    </div>
  );
};

```

- now for the input tag we are going to be the onChange event and it will take a function and it will take an argument e, to check the elements value, for a text value we would use e.target.value, but for a checkbox we use e.target.checked
- this will return the boolean true if it's checked and false if it's not
- so now if the checkbox is checked it will return true, or unchecked it will be false

true
false

- we are now going to use the Session.set method to set showVisible to the e.target.checked so when the checkbox is checked it will hide the links

```
import React from 'react';
import { Session } from 'meteor/session';

export default ()=>{
  return(
    <div>
      <label>
        <input type="checkbox" onChange={(e)=>{
          console.log(e.target.checked);
          Session.set('showVisible', !e.target.checked);
        }}/>
        show hidden links
      </label>
    </div>
  );
};
```

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