[**@udaiveerS**](https://github.com/udaiveerS) Can you give some example? I'm trying this:

var url = md.getAuthorizationUrl('secretState', redirectUrl, [

medium.Scope.BASIC\_PROFILE, medium.Scope.PUBLISH\_POST

])

md.exchangeAuthorizationCode(url, redirectUrl, function(err, token) {

console.log(url);

console.log(token);

md.getUser(function(err, user) {

res.json({

err: err,

user: user

})

});

})

But I'm getting his error:

Object {err: Object, user: null}

err: Object

code: 6000

message: "An access token is required."

How to set the accessToken?

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[**udaiveerS**](https://github.com/udaiveerS)commented [on Mar 13](https://github.com/Medium/medium-sdk-nodejs/issues/15#issuecomment-195925795)

var medium = require('medium-sdk')

var client = new medium.MediumClient({

clientId: 'YOUR\_CLIENT\_ID',

clientSecret: 'YOUR\_CLIENT\_SECRET'

})

var redirectURL = 'https://yoursite.com/callback/medium';

var url = client.getAuthorizationUrl('secretState', redirectURL, [

medium.Scope.BASIC\_PROFILE, medium.Scope.PUBLISH\_POST

])

console.log(url);

You can literally leave the redirectURL exactly the same. After having your client ID and and Secret pasted in. Console.log the url and click on it. After you click on in your browser will ask you to login to Medium and redirect you to this url but with a query parameter   
https://yoursite.com/callback/medium?authorization\_code=XXXXXXXXX  
You need to copy that authorization\_code into this piece of code.

client.exchangeAuthorizationCode('YOUR\_AUTHORIZATION\_CODE', redirectURL, function (err, token) {

client.getUser(function (err, user) {

client.createPost({

userId: user.id,

title: 'A new post',

contentFormat: medium.PostContentFormat.HTML,

content: '<h1>A New Post</h1><p>This is my new post.</p>',

publishStatus: medium.PostPublishStatus.DRAFT

}, function (err, post) {

console.log(token, user, post)

})

})

})

And now run this code only once to get the Token. Token object has all the tokens you need for medium api.

**Recap**  
The Token object has 2 tokens, A refresh and a access token. Access token expires every 60. You have to use refresh token to update it before then. Refresh token does not expire.   
AUTHORIZATION\_CODE allows you to get access to the Token object, but AUTHORIZATION\_CODE can only be used once and you will need a new one if you lose your refresh token.