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```
1 package org.jboss.seam.faces.conversion;
2
3 import java.io.Serializable;
4 import java.lang.reflect.Field;
5 import java.lang.reflect.InvocationTargetException;
6 import java.lang.reflect.Member;
7 import java.lang.reflect.Method;
8 import java.util.Collections;
9 import java.util.Map;
10 import java.util.concurrent.ConcurrentHashMap;
11
12 import javax.el.ValueExpression;
13 import javax.enterprise.inject.Any;
14 import javax.faces.component.PartialStateHolder;
15 import javax.faces.component.UIComponent;
16 import javax.faces.context.FacesContext;
17 import javax.faces.convert.*;
18 import javax.inject.Inject;
19 import javax.persistence.EntityManager;
20 import javax.persistence.metamodel.EntityType;
21
22 import org.jboss.seam.solder.properties.Properties;
23 import org.jboss.seam.solder.properties.Property;
24
25 /**
26  * Converter for JPA entities. Uses the id of the entity for the key.
27  * @author <a href="http://community.jboss.org/people/LightGuard">Jason Porter</a>
28  */
29 @FacesConverter("org.jboss.seam.EntityConverter")
30 public class EntityConverter implements javax.faces.convert.Converter, PartialStateHolder {
31
32     private static final Object[] ZERO_ARGS = new Object[] {};
33
34     @Inject @Any
35     private EntityManager entityManager;
36
37     private Map<String, Serializable> stateMap = new ConcurrentHashMap<String, Serializable>();
38     private boolean initialStateMarked;
39     private boolean isTransient;
40
41     @Override
42     public Object getAsObject(FacesContext context, UIComponent component, String value) {
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43     final ValueExpression ve = component.getValueExpression("value");
44     final Class<?> entityType = ve.getExpectedType();
45     return this.entityManager.find(entityType, this.stateMap.get(value));
46 }
47
48 @Override
49 public String getAsString(FacesContext context, UIComponent component, Object value) {
50     final Serializable id = this.findId(value);
51     final String idKey = value.getClass().getSimpleName() + id.hashCode();
52     if (!this.stateMap.containsKey(idKey)) {
53         this.stateMap.put(value.getClass().getSimpleName() + id.hashCode(), id);
54     }
55
56     return idKey;
57 }
58
59 private Serializable findId(Object entity) {
60     final EntityType<?> entityType = this.entityManager.getMetamodel().entity(entity.getClass());
61
62     final Member idAttribute = entityType.getId(entity.getClass()).getJavaMember();
63
64     Property p = Properties.createProperty(idAttribute);
65
66     return (Serializable) p.getValue(entity);
67 }
68
69 // ----- State saving -----
70 @Override
71 public void markInitialState() {
72     this.initialStateMarked = true;
73 }
74
75 @Override
76 public boolean initialStateMarked() {
77     return this.initialStateMarked;
78 }
79
80 @Override
81 public void clearInitialState() {
82     this.stateMap = new ConcurrentHashMap<String, Serializable>();
83     this.initialStateMarked = false;
84 }
85
86 @Override
87 public Object saveState(FacesContext context) {
88     if (context == null)
89     {
90         throw new IllegalArgumentException("FacesContext must not be null");
91     }
92
93     return Collections.unmodifiableMap(this.stateMap);
94 }
95
96 @Override
97 public void restoreState(FacesContext context, Object state) {
98     if (state != null)
99     {
100         this.stateMap = new ConcurrentHashMap<String, Serializable>((Map<? extends String, ? extends Serializable>) state);
101         return;
102     }
103
104     this.stateMap.clear();
105 }
106
107 @Override
108 public boolean isTransient() {
109     return this.isTransient;
110 }
111
112 @Override
113 public void setTransient(boolean newTransientValue) {
114     this.isTransient = newTransientValue;
115 }
116 }
117

```

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