When I Bind to properties of Members (where Members is an ObservableCollection<Member>), such as Count, the property is “notified” and hence I can control the Visibility of the Grid

**In MemberWindow I have:**

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| **<!-- Dov: This doesn't work. Is it because HasRecords is not "notified" when the Members list is modified? -->**  **<StackPanel Name="pnlData" Grid.Row="1" Visibility="{Binding HasRecords, Converter={StaticResource boolVis}}" >**  **<TextBlock Text="{Binding MyCount}"/>**  **<!-- Dov: This works ok. I think because I use IsEmpty, which is a property of Members -->**  **<Grid Name="grdData" Visibility="{Binding IsEmpty, Converter={StaticResource boolVis}}">** |

In App.xaml.cs I associate the MVM and MVM.Members with DataContext:

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| MemberWindow mw = new MemberWindow();  MembersViewModel mvm = new MembersViewModel();  MyObservableCollection moc = new MyObservableCollection();  mw.DataContext = mvm;  mw.grdData.DataContext= mvm.Members;  mw.pnlData.DataContext = mvm;  mw.Show(); |

In MembersViewModel.cs

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| **private bool \_HasRecords;**  **public bool HasRecords**  **{**  **get {**  **return \_HasRecords;**  **}**  **set {**  **int n = Members.Count;**  **\_HasRecords = (n == 0);**  **Notify("pnlData");**  **}**  **}**  **private MyObservableCollection \_Members;**  **public MyObservableCollection Members**  **{**  **get**  **{**  **\_Members = MembersRepository.GetAll();**  **return \_Members;**  **}**  **set**  **{**  **\_Members = MembersRepository.GetAll(); //value;**  **if (PropertyChanged != null)**  **PropertyChanged(this, new PropertyChangedEventArgs("Members"));**  **}**  **}**  **And I also created a shell around ObservableCollection**  **namespace MembersApp.Model**  **{**  **public class MyObservableCollection:ObservableCollection<Member>**  **{**  **}**  **}** |

The Converters work just fine.

I got it to work as explained in the comment, but I’d like to know why HasRecords doesn’t work.

Could you help me out here?

Thanks

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