



Discipline

Working with CLI

CS5002

Activity-5

❖ Problem Statement:

Create a new IAM User Using CLI, add him to an existing IAM User Group and Attached a Custom policy to it.

❖ Solution:

Step1) Open windows CLI and type:

- **aws configure**

Step2) Enter the **Access Key, Secret Key, Default Region** and **format**.

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws configure
AWS Access Key ID [None]: AKIASAA3NPTRSX3C7B4C
AWS Secret Access Key [None]: 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
Default region name [None]: us-east-1
Default output format [None]: json

C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws s3 ls
```

Step3) Check existing users using **aws iam list-users** and Create IAM user using: **aws iam create-user --user-name my-user2**

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws iam list-users
{
  "Users": [
    {
      "Path": "/",
      "UserName": "administrator",
      "UserId": "AIDASAA3NPTRXZ4GNCCQN",
      "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:user/administrator",
      "CreateDate": "2021-09-15T09:40:13+00:00",
      "PasswordLastUsed": "2021-09-20T03:14:39+00:00"
    },
    {
      "Path": "/",
      "UserName": "lms-s3admin",
      "UserId": "AIDASAA3NPTR57WZG5ZFW",
      "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:user/lms-s3admin",
      "CreateDate": "2021-09-16T02:42:19+00:00"
    },
    {
      "Path": "/",
      "UserName": "lms-student",
      "UserId": "AIDASAA3NPTRY62IU6KX",
      "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:user/lms-student",
      "CreateDate": "2021-09-16T02:58:33+00:00"
    },
    {
      "Path": "/",
      "UserName": "my-user1",
      "UserId": "AIDASAA3NPTRZL6C2G2AC",
      "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:user/my-user1",
      "CreateDate": "2021-09-15T13:18:25+00:00",
      "PasswordLastUsed": "2021-09-15T17:15:02+00:00"
    }
  ]
}

C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>
```

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws iam create-user --user-name my-user2
{
  "User": {
    "Path": "/",
    "UserName": "my-user2",
    "UserId": "AIDASAA3NPTRXT5Z6GHYT",
    "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:user/my-user2",
    "CreateDate": "2021-09-20T08:19:54+00:00"
  }
}
```

C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>

Step4) First check for existing groups using

- **aws iam list-groups**

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws iam list-groups
{
  "Groups": [
    {
      "Path": "/",
      "GroupName": "Practice-account-admins",
      "GroupId": "AGPASAA3NPTR2AP4QT4LD",
      "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::137496460515:group/Practice-account-admins",
      "CreateDate": "2021-09-15T09:37:00+00:00"
    }
  ]
}
```

Step5) Add user to an existing group using

- **aws iam add-user-to-group --group-name Practice-account-admins --user-name my-user2**

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws iam add-user-to-group --group-name Practice-account-admins --user-name my-user2
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>
```

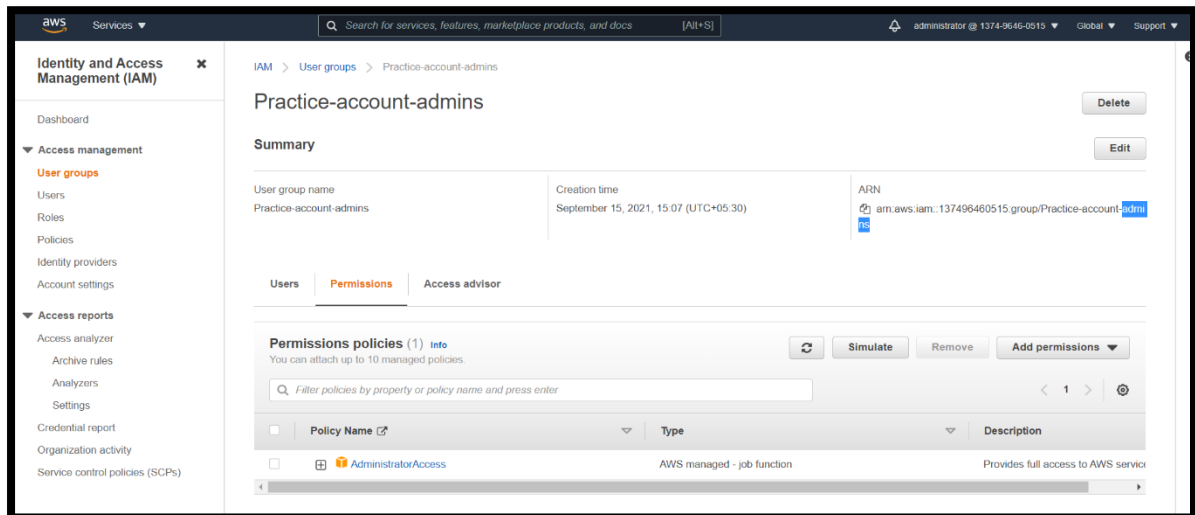
The screenshot shows the AWS IAM console interface. On the left is the navigation menu with 'Identity and Access Management (IAM)' selected. The main content area shows the 'Practice-account-admins' group details. Under the 'Users' tab, a table lists the users in the group:

User name	Groups	Last activity	Created
my-user2	1	None	3 hrs
administrator	1	8 hours ago	5 d

The User has been added to the group

Step6) Now we will attach a custom policy to our group in which we added our new user.

- Below image shows the state before attaching any custom policy.



- **aws iam attach-group-policy --group-name Practice-account-admins --policy-arn arn:aws:iam::137496460515:policy/CustomPolicyForReadAccess**

```
C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>aws iam attach-group-policy --group-name Practice-account-admins --policy-arn arn:aws:iam::137496460515:policy/CustomPolicyForReadAccess

C:\Users\Sheikh Tadeeb>
```

- Below image shows the state after attaching any custom policy.

