

SDK, IAM Roles and Policies

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1 IAM Roles and Policies

- Create IAM policies with Policy Generator
- Validate IAM roles and policies with Policy Simulator
- EC2 Instance Metadata: allows EC2 instances to "learn about themselves" without using an IAM role for that purpose
- Can retrieve IAM role but not IAM policy from metadata
- Can curl from EC2 to that internal URL
- SDK: if you want to perform actions on AWS directly from your applications code without using CLI