

Re: roleProvider and Windows Authentication

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Hello Mark,

The roles attribute is intended to specify roles that should see the node in the navigation, regardless of their authorization.

"securityTrimmingEnabled" uses the <authorization> elements in web.config to determine which nodes to show to whom.

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<http://www.leastprivilege.com>

> I have a sitemap file containing all of the pages in my application so
> far. I have a menu control on a master page which uses this sitemap as
> it's datasource to build the menu. I'm using Windows authentication
> and the `AspNetWindowsRoleTokenProvider` but when I assign roles to a
> `siteMapNode`, it is still shown in the menu, even though I'm not in the
> group specified!
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> Here's the relevant section of my web.config;
>
> `<roleManager defaultProvider="AspNetWindowsTokenRoleProvider" />`
> `<authentication mode="Windows"/>`
>
> And my sitemap;
>
> `<siteMapNode title="Registers" url="" description="">`
> `<siteMapNode title="New Register" url="~/registers/newregwiz.aspx"`
> `description="Create a new register based upon an issued reigster`
> `template" />`
> `<siteMapNode title="Edit Register" url="~/registers/editregister.aspx"`
> `description="Edit an existing register" />`
> `<siteMapNode title="Load Register" url="~/registers/loadregister.aspx"`
> `description="Load a Register for editing"`
> `SecurityTrimmingEnabled="true"`
> `roles="ARS_Administrators" />`
> `<siteMapNode title="Quick Register Entry"`

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> url="~/registers/qregentry.aspx"  
> description="Quickly update a register" />  
> <siteMapNode title="Register Entry" url="~/registers/regentry.aspx"  
> description="Update a register" />  
> <siteMapNode title="Register History" url="~/registers/reghist.aspx"  
> description="Show the history of a register" />  
> </siteMapNode>  
> Any ideas why it's not working?  
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