

# Setting up the development environment for YAWL

## Programs

- Git
- Ant 1.9.4
- Java 1.8\_261
- Tomcat 7.0.105
- PostgreSQL 12

## Setup

- Clone YAWL sources using GIT: git clone <https://github.com/yawlfoundation/yawl>
- Set CATALINA\_HOME and append bin to PATH:  
set CATALINA\_HOME=C:\Program Files\apache-tomcat-7.0.105  
set PATH=%CATALINA\_HOME%\bin;%PATH%
- executing ant inside yawl\build throws a couple of warnings and fails with the message:  
checksums doesn't support the "locations" attribute
- we have to add the following line in yawl\build\build.xml:2632

```
<unzip dest="{enumeratedClasses}">  
  <fileset dir="{lib.dir}" includes="{commonsCodec}"/>  
</unzip>  
<mkdir dir="{temp.dir}/{procllet.app.name}{webinf.dir}/{procllet.app.name}/editor" /> <!-- NEW -->  
<jar destfile="{temp.dir}/{procllet.app.name}{webinf.dir}/{procllet.app.name}/editor/proclletEditor.jar"
```

- executing „ant“ now works. „ant“ defaults to „ant buildWebApps“. If we want to deploy the built artifacts to our tomcat, we have to run „ant deployWebapps“. This, however, fails:

```
BUILD FAILED  
C:\Users\Medi\Documents\Studium\Masterprojekt\einrichtung\yawl\build\build.xml:1973: C:\Users\Medi\Documents\Studium\Mas  
terprojekt\einrichtung\yawl\classes\org\yawlfoundation\yawl\testService does not exist.
```

- fortunately, we dont really need the testService for now. So we create a new ant target:

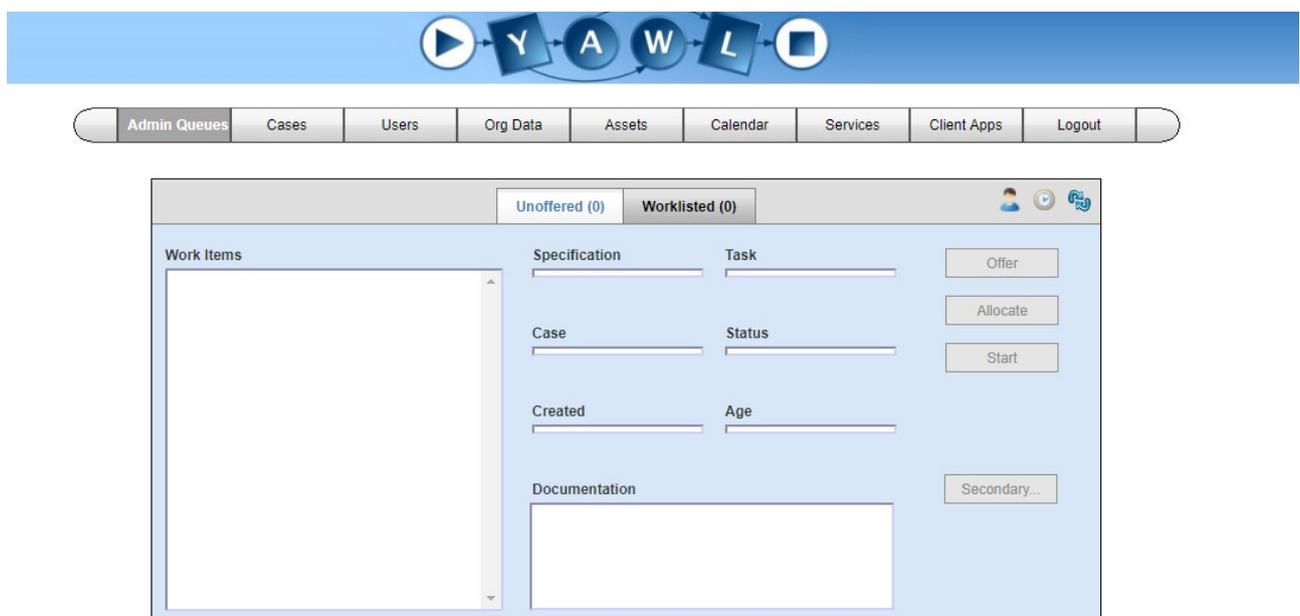
```
<target name="deployWebappsWithoutTest"  
  description="Build and deploy all web apps"  
  depends="deployCoreWebapps,  
    deployMonitorService,  
    deployDigitalSignature,  
    deployMailSender,  
    deployCostService,  
    deployTwitterService,  
    deploySchedulingService,  
    deployDocStore,  
    deployProclletService,  
    deployNonCoreSharedLibs">  
</target>
```

- This does work and deploys the .war files to our configured tomcat.
- We can now start up tomcat using the bin/startup.bat . This will take some time and result in a couple of errors for documentStore, costService
- The error is thrown because of the missing hibernate connection configuration. We fix this by, for example, setting up a postgresql server on our local machine, creating a yawl database and configuring the connection in yawl\build\properties\hibernate.properties.postgres8  
PostgreSQL is used by default.

```
## PostgreSQL

hibernate.dialect org.hibernate.dialect.PostgreSQLDialect
hibernate.connection.driver_class org.postgresql.Driver
hibernate.connection.url jdbc:postgresql:yawl
hibernate.connection.username postgres
hibernate.connection.password root
```

- I just want to mention that the behavior of the ant build process has been rather non-deterministic: I deleted the yawl-directory, cloned it again, ran the exact same command that didn't work before (e.g. ant deployCostService) only to have it run without errors miraculously.
- we stop the tomcat, make sure postgres is running and execute „ant deployWebappsWithoutTest“, which should run without any errors
- afterwards we start up tomcat, who begins deploying the .war files, this time without any hibernate-errors
- we can check the application by opening a browser and going to <http://localhost:8080/resourceService>



- We can now start implementing new features/changing the code. For starters we just want to change the labels „Unoffered“ and „Worklisted“. We find the corresponding lines of code: yawl\resourcing\jsf\adminQueues.java:446

```
445 // Highlight selected tab's name and show queue's item count on each tab
446 private void updateTabHeaders(Tab selected) {
447     tabUnOffered.setStyle("");
448     tabWorklisted.setStyle("");
449     if (selected != null) selected.setStyle("color: #3277ba");
450     tabUnOffered.setText(String.format("Unoffered (%d)",
451                                     _sb.getQueueSize(WorkQueue.UNOFFERED)));
452     tabWorklisted.setText(String.format("Worklisted (%d)",
453                                     _sb.getQueueSize(WorkQueue.WORKLISTED)));
454 }
```

- Changes in the code can be published by running „ant deployResourceService“. We have to login again because the session is no longer valid. Changes are live afterwards:

