Redmine - Feature #31348

Add tabs to switch between Profile and My account page

2019-05-12 15:36 - Go MAEDA

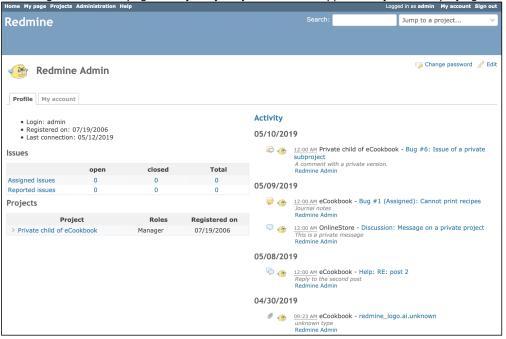|				
Status:	New		**Start date:**	
Priority:	Normal		**Due date:**	
Assignee:			**% Done:**	0%
Category:	Accounts / authentication		**Estimated time:**	0.00 hour
Target version:				
Resolution:				

Description

This patch adds tabs to switch between Profile and My account page.

The two pages are similar in that they display user information. Therefore, sometimes users are confused and mistake the two pages. Actually, I often mistakenly open Profile page when I try to open My account page. Not only me but also the user who opened #18422 was confused.
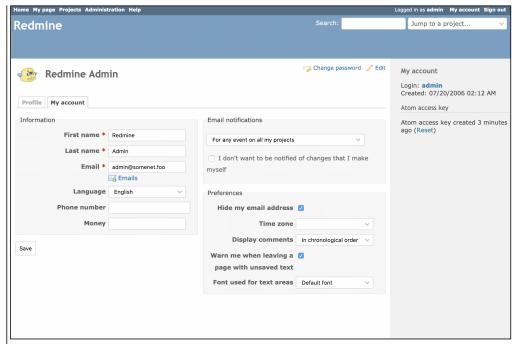
In order to improve the UI and prevent the confusion, I propose to add tabs to switch those two pages. With the tabs, users can understand that there are two similar pages, and easily move to one page to the other back and forth.

[After]
Switching between two page is very easy. "My account" tab appears only when displaying the current user's profile.
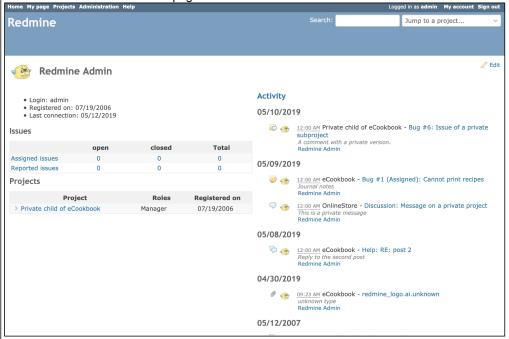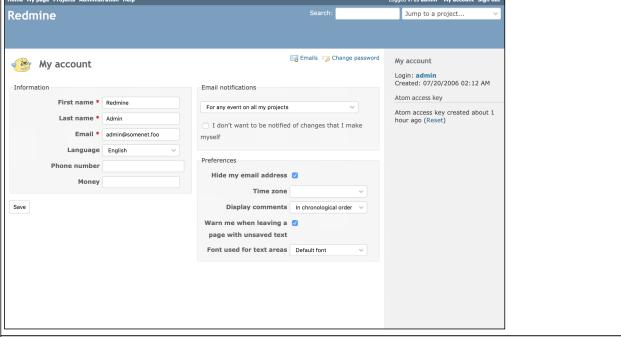
Redmine

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Redmine Admin

Change password   Edit

| Profile | My account |

Information

First name * [Redmine]

Last name * [Admin]

Email * [admin@somenet.foo]

✉ Emails

Language [English ▼]

Phone number [   ]

Money [   ]

Save

Email notifications

[For any event on all my projects   ▼]

☐ I don't want to be notified of changes that I make myself

Preferences

Hide my email address ☑

Time zone [▼]

Display comments [In chronological order ▼]

Warn me when leaving a ☑
page with unsaved text

Font used for text areas [Default font ▼]

My account

Login: **admin**
Created: 07/20/2006 02:12 AM

Atom access key

Atom access key created 3 minutes ago (Reset)

[Before]
There is no direct link from one page to the other.

Redmine

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Redmine Admin

Edit

- Login: admin
- Registered on: 07/19/2006
- Last connection: 05/12/2019

Issues

	open	closed	Total
Assigned issues	0	0	0
Reported issues	0	0	0

Projects

Project	Roles	Registered on
> Private child of eCookbook	Manager	07/19/2006

Activity

05/10/2019

12:00 AM Private child of eCookbook - Bug #6: Issue of a private subproject
A comment with a private version.
Redmine Admin

05/09/2019

12:00 AM eCookbook - Bug #1 (Assigned): Cannot print recipes
Journal notes
Redmine Admin

12:00 AM OnlineStore - Discussion: Message on a private project
This is a private message
Redmine Admin

05/08/2019

12:00 AM eCookbook - Help: RE: post 2
Reply to the second post
Redmine Admin

04/30/2019

09:23 AM eCookbook - redmine_logo.ai.unknown
unknown type
Redmine Admin

05/12/2007

Redmine

Search: [   ]   Jump to a project... ⌄

My account

✉ Emails 📝 Change password

My account

Login: **admin**
Created: 07/20/2006 02:12 AM

Atom access key

Atom access key created about 1
hour ago (Reset)

Information

First name *	Redmine
Last name *	Admin
Email *	admin@somenet.foo
Language	English ⌄
Phone number	
Money	

[Save]

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Hide my email address	☑
Time zone	⌄
Display comments	In chronological order ⌄
Warn me when leaving a page with unsaved text	☑
Font used for text areas	Default font ⌄

Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Feature #31353: Replace user related links in the top me...	**New**

History

#1 - 2019-05-12 15:37 - Go MAEDA

- File profile-and-my-account-tab.patch added

Here is a patch to implement this feature.

#2 - 2019-05-13 06:28 - Bernhard Rohloff

- File wp_user_menu_top.png added

I have several concerns with this feature. First of all, It seems weird for me switching between a view and a settings form by tabs. The settings view also has this sidebar which doesn't play nicely with the tab solution, too. You also have the contextual links on your profile page which IMHO is also quite confusing to me.

I think the better solution would be to introduce a proper user menu in the top menu bar with properly named links to profile and account settings. Just like it is on every web application nowadays, except of Redmine. :)

  wp_user_menu_top.png
That's what users are used to and therefore there's no need to link the two views together.

#3 - 2019-05-13 07:35 - Go MAEDA

- Related to Feature #31353: Replace user related links in the top menu bar with a proper user menu. added

#4 - 2019-05-13 08:41 - Marius BĂLTEANU

I agree with Bernhard on this.

Files

profile-after@2x.png	90.8 KB	2019-05-12	Go MAEDA
my-account-after@2x.png	69.9 KB	2019-05-12	Go MAEDA
profile-before@2x.png	89.3 KB	2019-05-12	Go MAEDA
my-account-before@2x.png	67.5 KB	2019-05-12	Go MAEDA
profile-and-my-account-tab.patch	3.64 KB	2019-05-12	Go MAEDA
wp_user_menu_top.png	27.6 KB	2019-05-13	Bernhard Rohloff