

Re: sharing master page question

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Do you have a response to my question about whether there is a URL for the file you can enter directly into the address bar that will display the image?

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"Cirene" <cirene@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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I tried both and they didn't work in both browsers. Maybe my PC is possessed! :-x

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The root path operator will function with anything marked runat="server"

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Is there any URL you can enter directly into the address bar that is the URL of the file (such as <http://localhost:49646/resources/banner.jpg>) that will display the image? If there is, what is it? Did you double-check to make sure the file is really where you think it is?

(NOTE: The ~/path/ technique only works with server-side controls, so it would not work with the img tag example you included)

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Thanks for the info.

I tried both ~/path/ and /path/ and in IE and Firefox it shows up as a empty box with a x in it.

Actual html image portion was as follows...

Any ideas? Thanks!

"Nathan Sokalski"

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You are obviously using relative URLs in your code, which is good, but when files in different directories are involved in the same page, it is good to make sure they will all work for that page (and all pages they are used in). Here are a few ideas that may help:

1. For directories that are used by almost all pages (and Master pages and UserControl), such as an /images/ directory for example, it is good to write it as /images/ rather than images/ so that it is relative to the root instead of the current directory. This will save you the trouble of needing to worry about whether to use the directory of the Page, Master Page, UserControl, CSS file, JavaScript file, etc.

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2. For any server controls, you can use ~/path/ The ~ represents the root of the site. For more details on this, see the documentation.

Even though this may sometimes make your URLs longer than is always absolutely necessary, it can usually save you a lot of trouble and make it easier to modify code later in development. Hopefully some of this helps.

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I have 1
master page
in the root
of my
website that
I would like
to
share with
all pages,
even those
in my
/admin and
/client
directories.
But when
pages in the
subdir's are
viewed the
img, css,
etc...
references
are
incorrect
because

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they are
"root
based". Any
suggestion
as to how to
overcome
this? Or do
I have to
create
another
Master Page
for the
subdir
pages?

Thank!