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Thanks for the reply Joe,

I hadn't found ActiveDirectoryMembershipProvider in any of the TechEd talks and a search of microsoft.com (<http://www.google.com/search?q=site%3Amicrosoft.com+ActiveDirectoryMembershipProvider>) finds very little on ActiveDirectoryMembershipProvider.

What about Roles and Profiles? ....isn't a separate ASP.NET AD provider needed for each of these? ...i.e. is MS only planning to support AD/ADAM for Membership and not Roles and Profiles?

Michael.

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> Did you look at the ActiveDirectoryMembershipProvider for ASP.NET 2.0? It  
> supports both AD and ADAM AFAIK.

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> The AzMan/Membership story isn't as good, although AzMan is definitely  
> still strategic for MS. I think the issue here is that AzMan is a much  
> richer authorization API than ASP.NET membership. AzMan can solve much  
> more complex problems. AzMan also has a very good story with the new MS  
> ADFS federation and web SSO stuff.

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> Joe K.

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> "Michael Herman (Parallelspace)"

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>> I've been reading through the latest documentation on ASP.NET 2.0

>> membership, role and profile services and there is no mention of using MS

>> ADAM or AzMan as a ASP.NET 2.0 provider for these 3 services.

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>> Should be be using them if the ASP.NET isn't committed to releasing a

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>> provider and additional support for them?

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