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[User] Common tasks

For all the below, log in to the VM as the 'robox' user and cd to /home/robox/www/...

Update admin user's email and password:

bundle exec rails console

u = User.first

u.email = 'new_admin_email@mycompany.org' u.password = 'new_password' u.password_confirmation = 'new_password' u.save!

To restart the web app:

touch tmp/restart.txt

To adjust the cron job that submits the background jobs for sync:

(logged in as robox user) crontab -e

To run a background job worker:

ruby script/delayed_job start

To stop all background job workers:

ruby script/delayed_job stop

To submit a fresh batch of sync jobs:

rake robox:sync_jobs

Relevant logs to check:

/home/robox/www/log/production.log /home/robox/www/log/delayed_job.log /home/robox/www/log/cron_submit_sync_jobs.log

To run tests:

RAILS_ENV=test rake spec

Update the cron job that submits the background jobs for sync:

crontab -e

[Systems] Steps to "reset" ROBox before publishing VM

Put dummy values in:

/home/robox/www/config/settings/custom.yml

Update database user password in:

/home/robox/www/config/database.yml

In MySQL, delete databases:

robox_development robox_test robox_production

In /home/robox/www/ run:

rake db:setup

(User can then use instructions on how to update the admin email and password)

[Systems] General steps to upgrade ROBox

Logged in as 'robox' user in VM...

Temporarily disable cron job in:

crontab -e

Then:

ruby script/delayed_job stop
git pull origin master
bundle --deployment
rake db:migrate
touch tmp/restart.txt
ruby script/delayed_job start

NOTE: these are just the general steps; each upgrade may some more specific steps that need carrying out.

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