

Security and SAP Fiori: Tips and Tricks as You Move from Transaction Codes to Applications

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Key Outcomes/Objectives

- 1. The Way it Was (And still is for some)
- 2. Fiori Moved My Cheese
- 3. Lessons Learned



Why would a hacker seek SAP vulnerabilities?

- SAP products are used in 190 countries, by around 300,000 businesses.
- 80% of businesses who use SAP products are in the SME category.
- 98% of the most valued brands are SAP customers
- 87% of the Forbes Global 2000
- 78% of the food in the world is produced by companies big and small who use SAP
- Estimated that 74% of the transaction revenue in the world touches a SAP system.

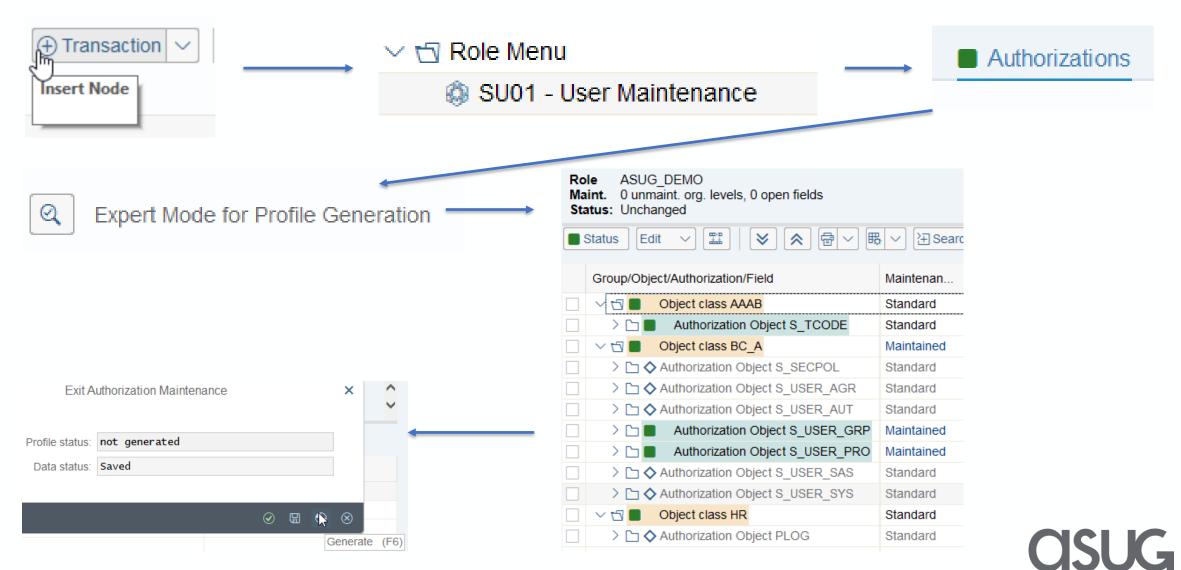


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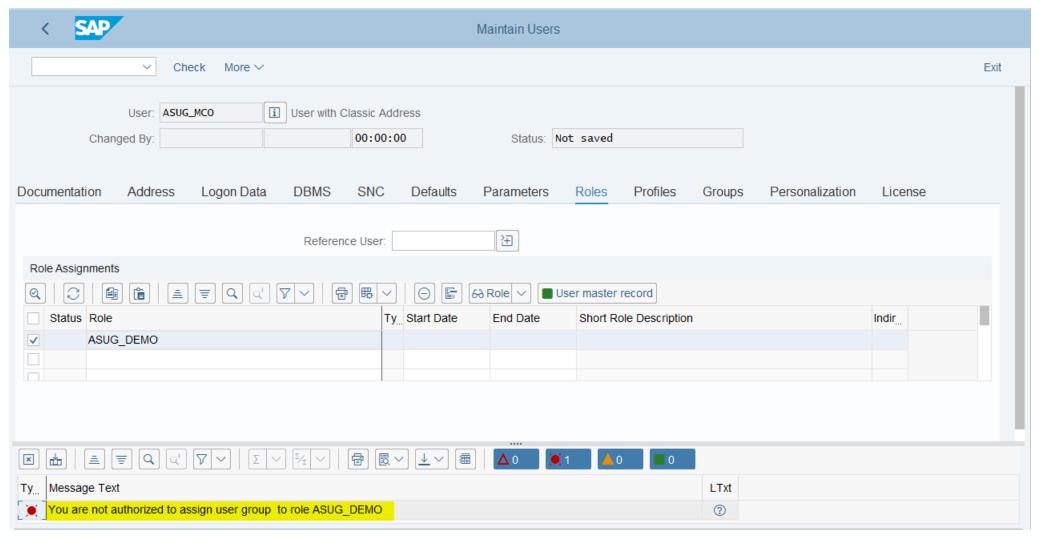
- Classic SAP Transactional Security
- Fiori Security (S4 and Gateway)
- Troubleshooting Fiori Security



Classic SAP Security - Build



Classic SAP - Error



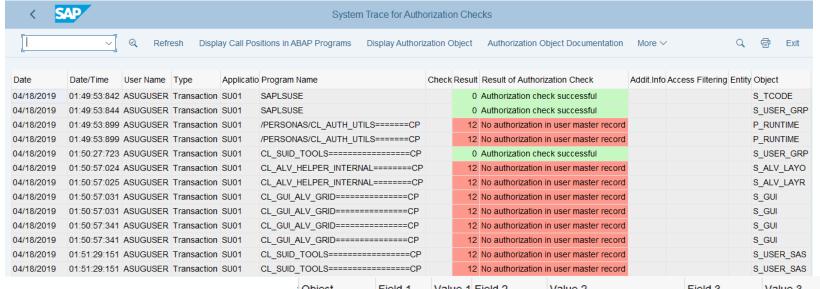


Failed Authorizations – SU53

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Failed Authorizations Trace



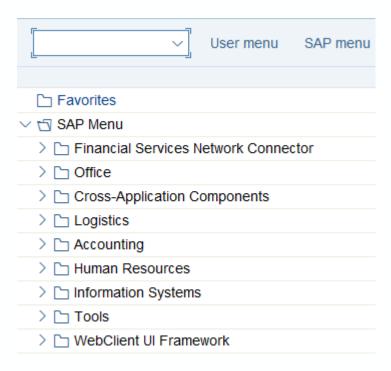
SU53 has improvements but an authorization trace provides a better picture of potential authorization object values

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S_USER_GRP	CLASS		ACTVT							
P_RUNTIME	P_APP_ID	SU01	P_ACTVT_RT	01	P_ACTVT_FW	01				
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S_USER_GRP	CLASS		ACTVT	01						
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S_GUI	ACTVT	61								
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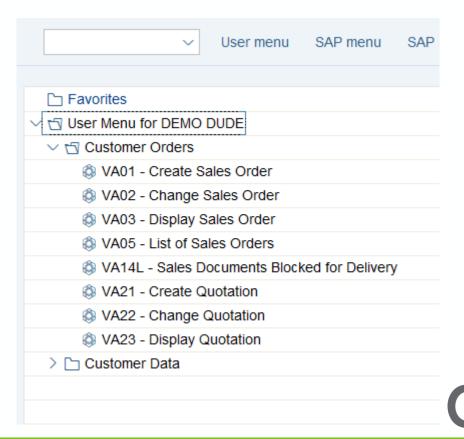


SAP GUI Security

SAP Menu is not linked to user security role assignments.



USER Menu only includes applications or links specifically assigned to the role.



Standard ABAP System Security

- Security roles needed in a single system
- Transactions are added to the role menu
- Authorization Errors limited to a single system
- Reviewing an SU53 you may need to be on the users application server
- Authorization traces show all failures but not all failures are required



Basics of Fiori Security & Troubleshooting

- FIORI Security Overview
- Building roles in the SAP Gateway (Frontend)
- Building roles in an SAP ABAP system (Backend)
- Troubleshooting Issues



Why FIORI?

- Single Point of Entry to Multiple Systems
- Runs on many devices
- Documented User Productivity Gains
- May be designed as a Dashboard or Cockpit
- Intuitive May reduce training costs
- SAP Delivered Business Content

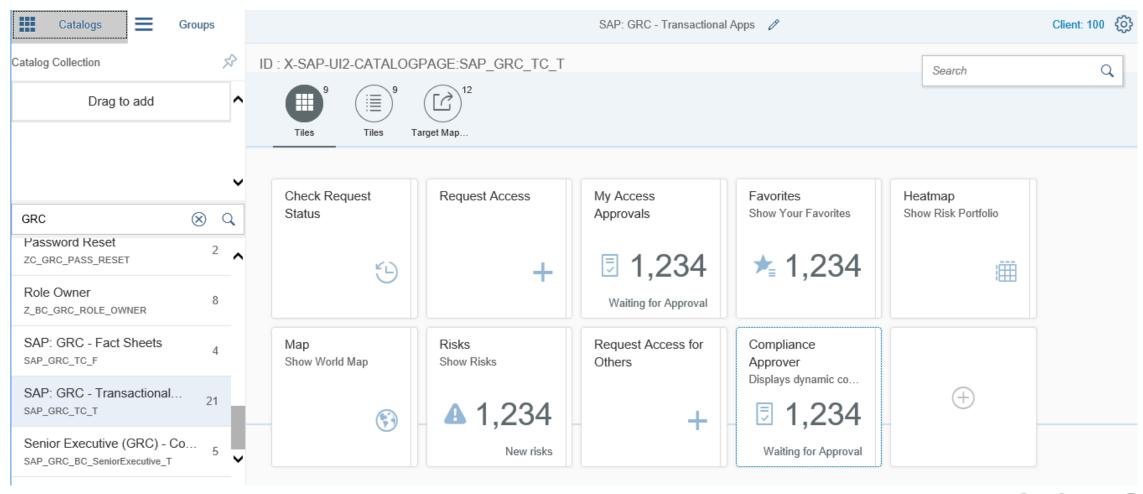


FIORI Security Overview

- FIORI Authorization roles contain tile catalogs and tile groups
- FIORI Applications require backend security roles
- Catalog Set of apps you want to make available within a role
- Group Subset of a catalog that shows visible apps from a catalog

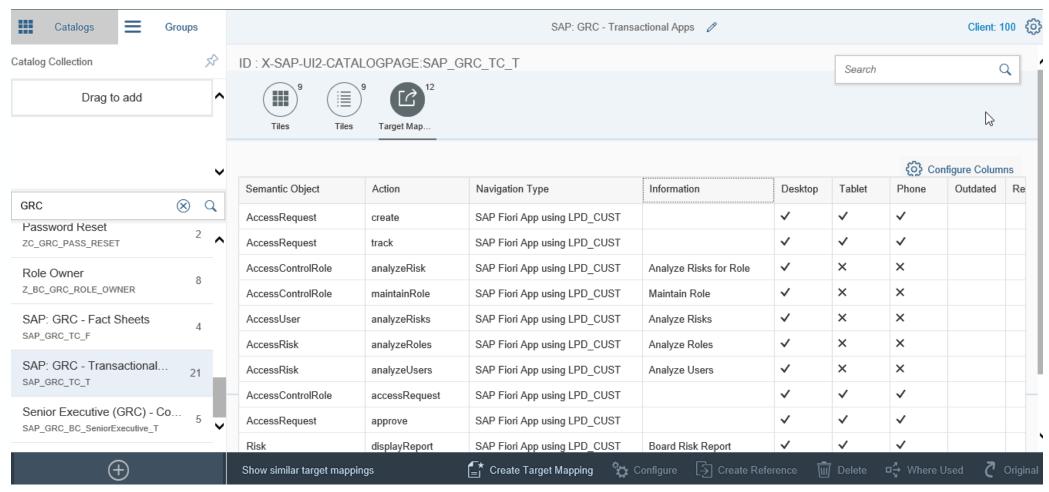


Sample Catalog with Assigned Apps



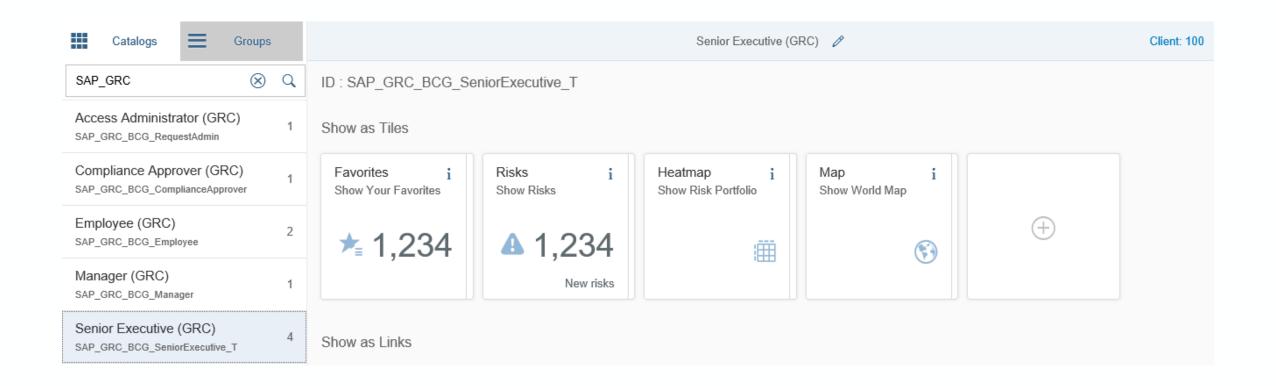


Sample Catalog Target Mappings



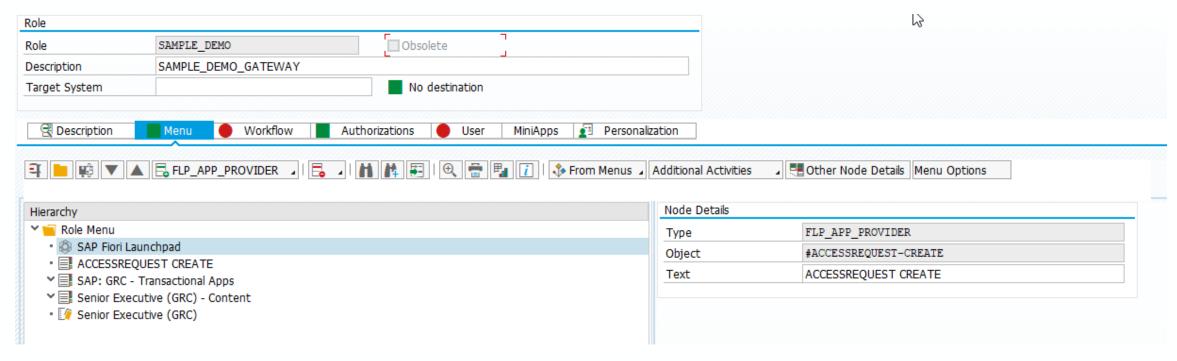


Sample Group with Available Tiles





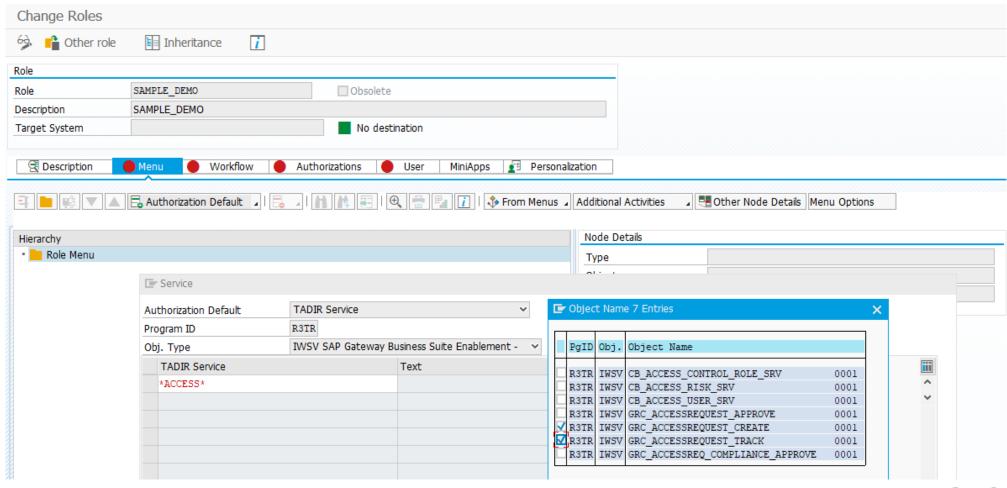
Build Frontend Gateway Role



- Insert FIORI Catalogs and Groups
- Insert Transactions
- Insert Services (Tiles added to the Catalog will require Services in the PFCG role)

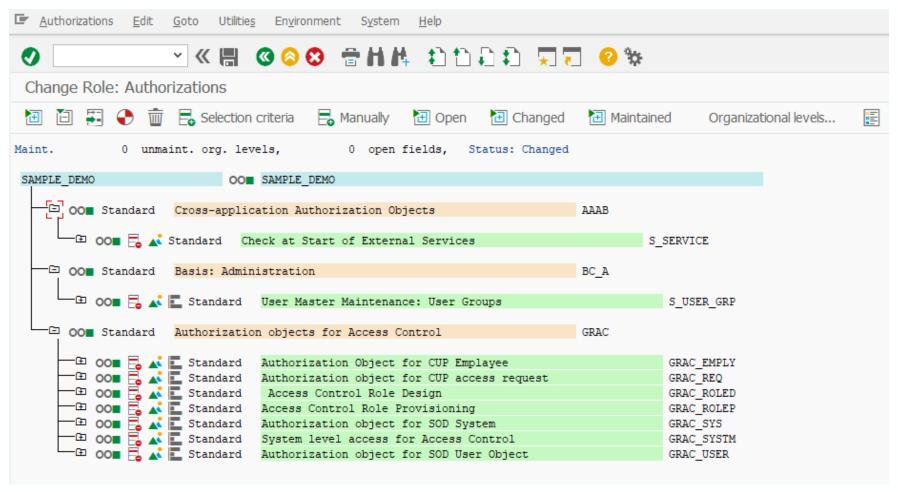


Build Backend Role (S4, GRC, BW, etc.)



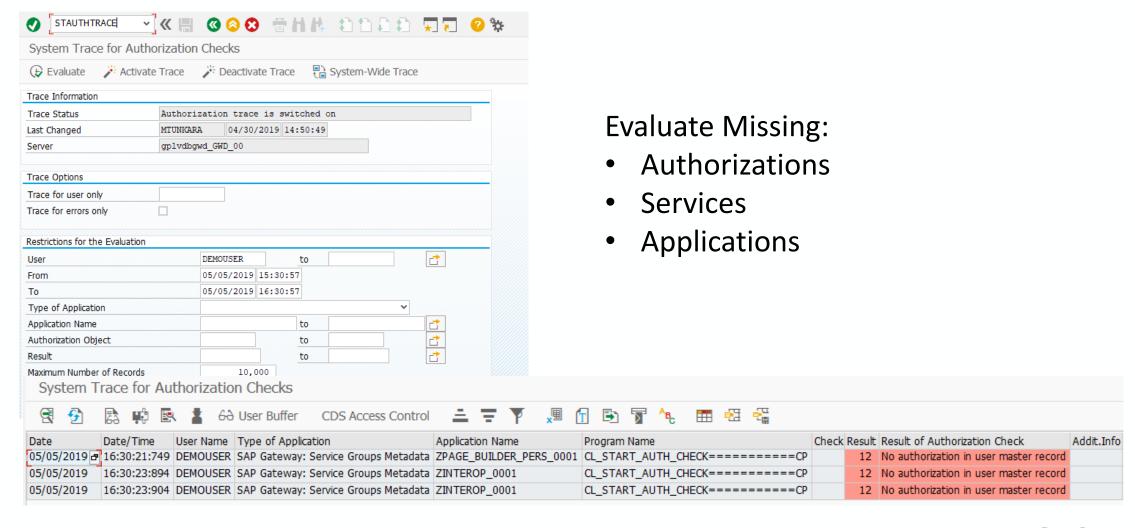


Authorizations from SU24 Inserted



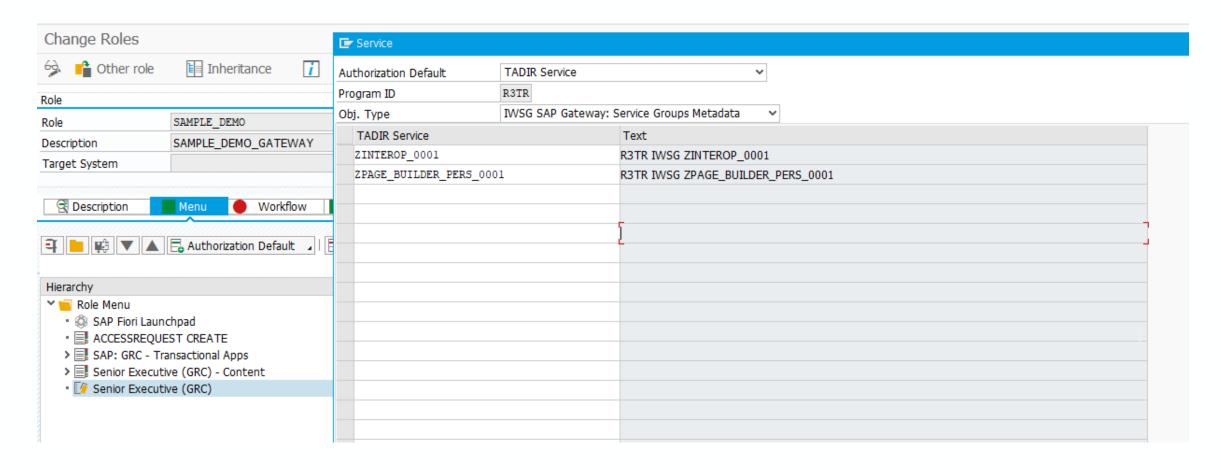


After Failure Validate Frontend





Update with missing services



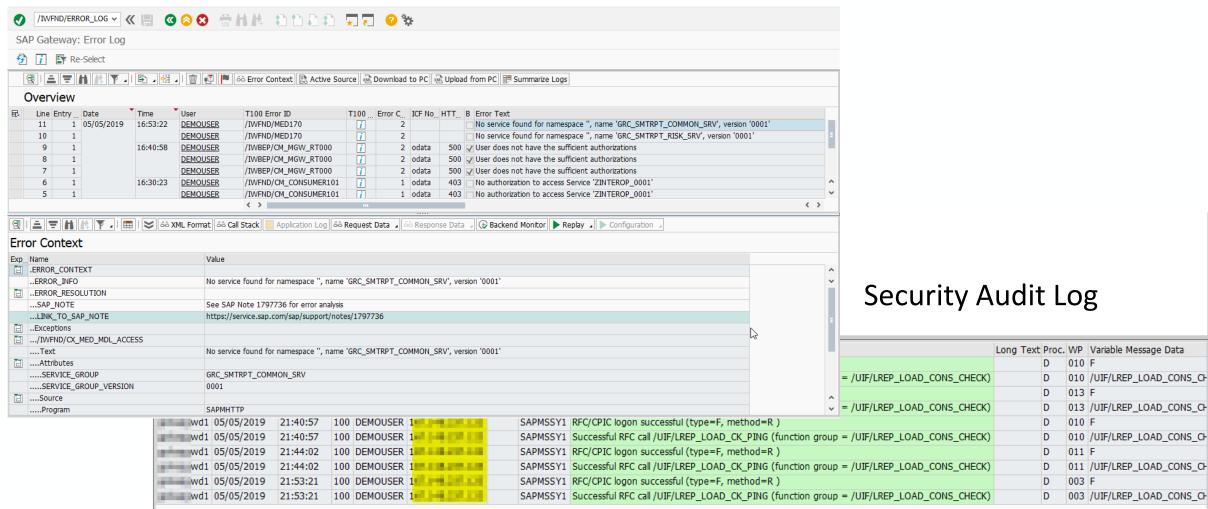


Test, Validate, Repeat

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Troubleshooting is a process





Identifying the root cause is complex



- Missing Services
- Missing Tiles
- Missing Groups
- Inactive Services
- Missing Authorization Objects

Tools

- ST01
- STAUTHTRACE
- /IWFND/ERROR_LOG
- SM20
- SLG1
- HTTP Trace



Lessons Learned

- Unlike Standard SAP FIORI security may take multiple rounds of analysis
- No single tool has all of the missing values
- Remember that the user must exist with the same ID in both the frontend and backend system
- Not all failed authorizations or missing tiles are role related – may be catalog, group or service



Lessons Learned Continued

- Default Authorizations Values May Be Incomplete
- Services and Missing Authorizations maybe documented on the FIORI App Catalog
- Need to identify where the failure is occurring since multiple systems are involved



Useful Links

- https://www.sap.com/products/fiori.html
- https://fioriappslibrary.hana.ondemand.com/sap/fix/externalViewer/
- https://help.sap.com/saphelp_nw74/helpdata/en/1f/b206d06c074c068edf1418cf 301899/content.htm?no cache=true
- https://service.sap.com/bp-s4h-ux
- https://blogs.sap.com/2018/04/20/fiori-for-s4hana-top-10-myths-misconceptions-to-avoid/



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