

Mastodon

Mastodon client registration is not done via their web interface, but by talking to the API directly. In the example below, we use `curl` to register a new client.

Optionally check that you have `jq` installed on your system. You can normally install this with `brew`, `apt-get`, `yum` or `chocolatey`. If you don't have `jq` installed, you can remove it from the command below.

Run the following `curl` command in a terminal to get the Mastodon client id and client secret.

```
curl -X POST -sS https://mastodon.social/api/v1/apps -F "client_name=YourAppName" -F
"redirect_uris=http://localhost:4200/integrations/social/mastodon" -F "scopes=write:statuses write:media
profile" | jq
```

This will give you output that looks something like this;

```
{ "id": "1234567890", "redirect_uris": [ "http://localhost:4200/integrations/social/mastodon" ], ... "client_id":
"your_client_id", "client_secret": "your_client_secret" }
```

Make a note of your `client_id` and `client_secret` and add them to your `.env` file.

```
MASTODON_CLIENT_ID="shown in the output from the above command"MASTODON_CLIENT_SECRET="shown in
the output from the above command"
```

Stop DigiMe if it is running, and then start it using the `.env` file with the Mastodon details. Click through the new channel setup and you should be asked to login on Mastodon.

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