Create a SEAS Cloud Account

Before you can log into the SEAS Cloud web interface or use the command line tools you will need to create a SEAS Cloud account.

1. Go to http://cloud.seas.harvard.edu/request/
2. Select the "Create my SEAS Cloud Account" button.

3. Enter your SEAS credentials when prompted. For members of the SEAS community this will be your SEAS username and password. Outside collaborators will need to email help@seas.harvard.edu to request a local identity before they are able to use this system.
4. This will present you with the following screen detailing your SEAS Cloud credentials:

   ![SEAS Cloud Account Manager](image)

   This web application will let you create and manage your SEAS Cloud account. The SEAS Cloud is our prototype implementation of OpenStack, a cloud controller similar in many ways to Amazon's Elastic Compute (EC2) service.

   After selecting one of the buttons below, enter your SEAS username and password when prompted.

   - Create my account
   - Manage my account

5. Note your username and password. Follow the links to http://cloud.seas.harvard.edu/ and log in. Once you have completed these steps, go read our document on some useful ways to configure your SEAS Cloud account.

**Resetting your password**

If you ever forget your SEAS Cloud password, you can return to http://cloud.seas.harvard.edu/request/ and generate a new one.