

ChiliProject - Bug # 259: Forum thread links not idempotent

Status:	Open	Priority:	Normal
Author:	Felix Schäfer	Category:	Forums
Created:	2011-03-05	Assignee:	
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Remote issue URL:			
Affected version:			
Description:	The current forum links (@/boards/1/topics/2@) might become invalid if a thread is moved from one forum to another (the preceding link then becomes @/boards/2/topics/2@). The boards part should not be included in the links.		

History

2011-03-06 02:30 am - Eric Davis

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2011-03-06 07:34 am - Felix Schäfer

Eric Davis wrote:

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So by the same rationale, the full path should be @/projects/:project_id/boards/:board_id/topics/:id@? As well as @/issues/:id@ should probably rather be @/projects/:project_id/issues/:id@ ;) I don't think the scoping of objects should be part of the path if it's not necessary (wiki pages need to be scoped in the project because the path has the name, which is not unique through projects, I'd state the same case if the wiki paths had ids instead of their names in the paths).

2011-03-07 11:22 pm - Eric Davis

Felix:

That makes sense, you're right. So should this change the routes for topics then to be @/topics/:id@? Or should we actually name them @/messages/:id@ since that is the name of the Model and Controller?

Actually I don't like how the boards and topics are using numbers in the url though but that's a separate issue (@/boards/1-discuss/topics/42-help-me@ is much nicer).