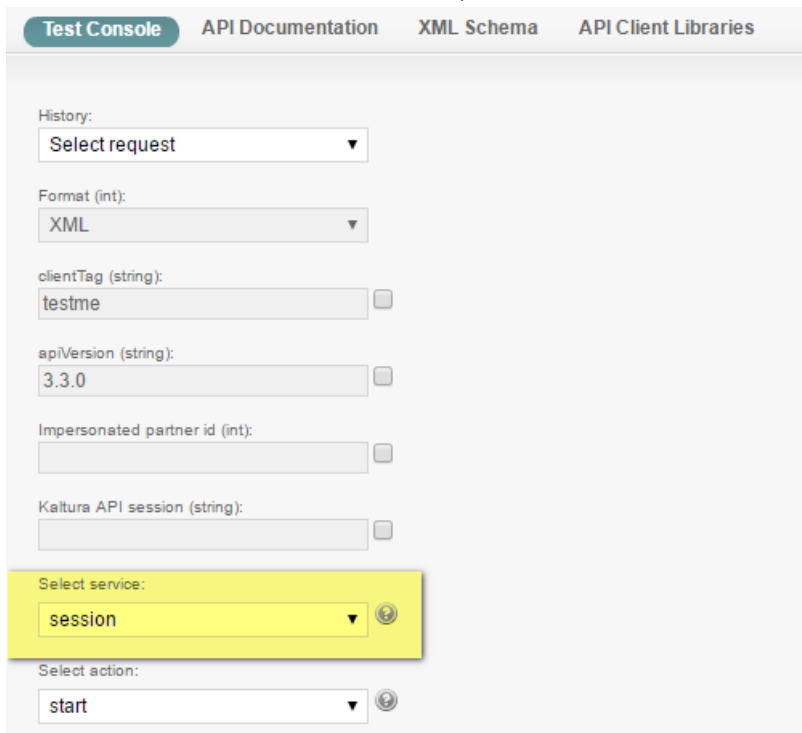


# How to Start a Kaltura Session using the TestMe Console

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## ☰ To start a Kaltura Session

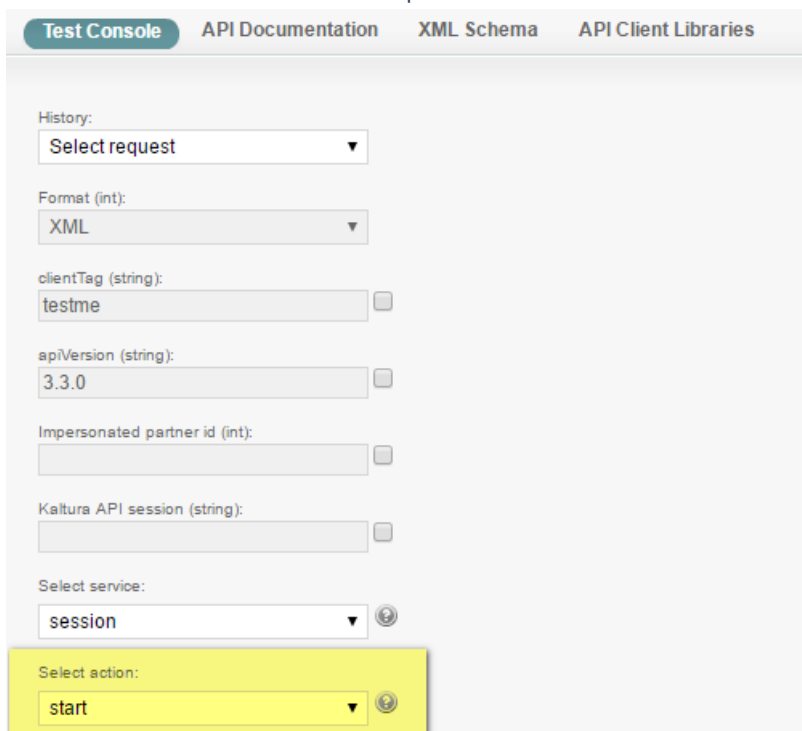
1. Go to: [http://www.kaltura.com/api\\_v3/testme](http://www.kaltura.com/api_v3/testme)
2. Select **Session** from the Select Service drop down list.



The screenshot shows the 'Test Console' interface with the following fields:

- History: Select request
- Format (int): XML
- clientTag (string): testme
- apiVersion (string): 3.3.0
- Impersonated partner id (int):
- Kaltura API session (string):
- Select service: session (highlighted in yellow)
- Select action: start

3. Select **Start** from the Select action drop-down list.



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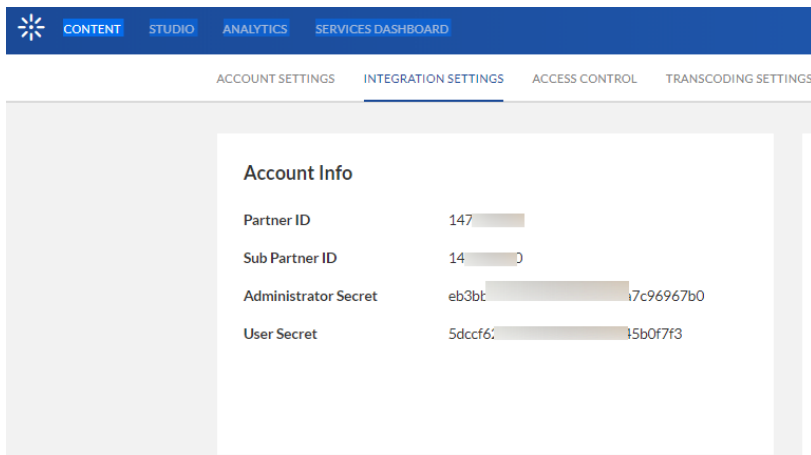
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At this point you need to log in to the KMC and retrieve some information.

### ☰ To retrieve information from the KMC

1. After logging in to KMC, click the **Settings** button and then **Integration settings**.
2. Save the following information:(actual information is blurred intentionally)
  - a. **Partner ID.**
  - b. **Administrator Secret.**

**\*The numbers and letters are different for each Partner.\***



3. Return to the TestMe Console and paste all the Partner ID and Administrator Secret information and change the type field from **USER** to **ADMIN**.

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History:

Format (int):

clientTag (string):

apiVersion (string):

Impersonated partner id (int):

Kaltura API session (string):

Select service:

Select action:

secret (string):

userId (string):

type (KalturaSessionType):

partnerId (int):

expiry (int):

privileges (string):

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4. After pressing Send, you should see a code appear at the right side of screen, this is the KS, a Kaltura Session key.

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1 <?xml>
2 <result JHjk4NjF1MTg...>
3 <executionTime>2.288818359375E-5</executionTime>
4 </xml>
5

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5. At this point the KS field needs to be added manually by the user.