

General: What are the roles and capabilities supported?

The [Avatar C™ - {edition_name}](#) platform supports 3 categories of users.

1. [Administrators](#) - who are primarily responsible for
 - Creating and maintaining approved versions (golden images) of virtual machines for other to use
 - Managing (creation/deletion/modification of) user accounts
 - Patch management for the various golden images required by the users
2. [Faculty](#) - who, in addition to the privileges enjoyed by students, can
 - Also attach to consoles of student machines to collaborate/oversee more efficiently
 - Tag any VM instance for a demo
3. [Students](#) - who can
 - Play, pause, resume and stop their machines and access them either locally or remotely as required.
 - Deploy specific virtual machines of interest to them for work
 - Preserve/retrieve versions of their individual machines at will
 - Reset their individual machines to any previously stored state
 - Share their consoles with their teachers whenever required.

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