

## Smuxi Issues [FROZEN ARCHIVE] - Feature # 539: option to auto-change nick when the frontend client disconnects

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Priority:</b>	Normal
<b>Author:</b>	Monty Taylor	<b>Category:</b>	Engine
<b>Created:</b>	10/30/2010	<b>Assigned to:</b>	Mirco Bauer
<b>Updated:</b>	05/22/2014	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Complexity:</b>	Medium		
<b>Subject:</b>	option to auto-change nick when the frontend client disconnects from the server		
<b>Description:</b>	When I'm using smuxi in the client/server model, it would be stellar if I could configure a client-disconnect behavior, such as changing my nick from mtaylor to mtaylor away (which is one common practice) or marking away (another common practice) - especially if it could undo that for me once I log back in.		

### History

#### 10/30/2010 10:15 PM - Mirco Bauer

- Status changed from New to Rejected

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00:11:04 <meebey> the auto-change of nick I do not like to support as that's bad practice in IRC where the nick is the unique identifier

00:11:16 <meebey> and the away flag exists for exactly that purpose

00:11:34 <meebey> is it ok if smuxi only supports the setting the away flag without changing nick?

00:12:16 <mtaylor> well, it is your program and not mine at the end of the day ... :)

00:12:40 <meebey> sure, but you requested it :)

00:12:52 <meebey> assuming that both things are not supported

00:12:57 <mtaylor> I know of many groups that live on nick status changes ... even though it's not best practice

00:13:02 <meebey> is one of that good enough for your needs?

00:13:06 <mtaylor> yes

00:13:35 <meebey> ok

00:14:27 <meebey> mtaylor: with plugins we can later support features that I dont like to have as a core feature ;) so dont worry

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#### 05/22/2014 07:40 PM - Mirco Bauer

This can now be done using the on-presence-status-changed smuxi hook:

<https://github.com/meebey/smuxi-hooks/blob/master/away-nick/engine/protocol-manager/on-presence-status-changed/away-nick.sh>

For a smuxi hook that automatically does this can be found here:

<https://github.com/meebey/smuxi-hooks/blob/master/away-nick/engine/protocol-manager/on-presence-status-changed/away-nick.sh>

#### 05/22/2014 07:41 PM - Mirco Bauer

- Category set to Engine

- Status changed from Rejected to Closed

- Assigned to set to Mirco Bauer

- Target version set to 1.0

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

- Complexity set to Medium

#### 05/22/2014 07:43 PM - Mirco Bauer

Mirco Bauer wrote:

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Haha, so three years and half later :-D better late than never though ;)