

Re: Can't delete users in SharePoint

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Thanks for the info. I'm an admin, but the actual server is sitting physically in a different location with someone else managing it. I'll ask him to help.

"Heather Solomon" wrote:

You have to be an admin on the server or be the site collection administrator to see the siteusrs.aspx screen. It is not the same as user.aspx. Can you have a server admin check it out? Or request to be set as site collection admin for the site?

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What's odd is that I'm an "Administrator" and I don't have access to the path you mentioned.

However, I *DO* have access to "_layouts/1033/User.aspx". Would this be the same thing?

If "_layouts/1033/User.aspx" is the same page you are referring to then yes, I have removed the users from this screen, but they still show up in the list of users when I navigate to an area and go to the "Manage Security" screen.

Funky, eh?

"Heather Solomon" wrote:

Have you checked this screen yet?
yoursite.com/_layouts/1033/siteusrs.aspx

Be sure the accounts are removed from that page as well.

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I have my SharePoint portal set up to use domain accounts for logins. When I add new users I have to enter them as "DOMAINNAME\networkname".

We've had employees leave the company and their domain accounts have been deleted in Active Directory. They still show up in SharePoint.

If I go to an area I created, hit MANAGE SECURITY and try to remove them I get the error: "Could not find user with corresponding SID in the domain". They remain listed in the security.

If I go to HOME->"Manage Users" to get the full list of users, can remove them here, but they STILL show up in the security pages for my areas and I still get the same error. Is there a way to remove them?

I know I'll probably get people telling me that in the future I need to delete users from SharePoint before deleting them on my network and I plan on doing so, but SharePoint is something I've inherited recently so we have a lot of existing users like this.

Is there any kind of hack to the SQL Server database I can perform which will remove these users?

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