

Re: Exchange 2000 containers (Fields) not showing up in active directory!!

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Hi Joe

While I agree with you, I think it's also important to mention that it's not a security best practice to log in as a domain admin on a workstation. I'd prefer to see people doing all user management from a domain controller than using a domain admin account outside of a secure server room/datacentre.

Of course, the proper balance is to use the delegation of control wizard to allow creation of regular accounts and/or using the runas feature to elevate as required.

Regards

Oli

"Joe Richards [MVP]" <humorexpress@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:%230uy5A5hEHA.244@TK2MSFTNGP10.phx.gbl...

> *My recommendation though is to NOT install the exchange tools on your domain controllers. Install it on your workstations, you shouldn't really be managing users directly from domain controllers, it is a security best practice to log directly into servers as little as possible.*

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> *Joe Richards Microsoft MVP Windows Server Directory Services*
> *www.joeware.net*

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> *Cary Shultz [A.D. MVP] wrote:*

>> *Waz up, James?*

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>> *Sorry! Feeling a little old tonight so I thought....*

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>> *Anyway, as the others have suggested you are seeing everything correctly.*

>> *I*

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>> *am sure that this is a bit limiting. Here is how to resolve this problem*
>> *in*
>> *a bit more detail:*
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>> *On all of your Domain Controllers you need to drop in the Exchange 2000*
>> *Server CD. You are going to do a custom installation and you are going*
>> *to*
>> *install the Exchange Server Manager (or whatever it is actually*
>> *called).*
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>> *Let that install. It should take but a few moments to do this. Next,*
>> *and*
>> *this is important, install the Exchange 2000 Service Pack level that your*
>> *Exchange Server have (so, if your Exchange Server is at SP3 then install*
>> *SP3 on your Domain Controllers).*
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>> *Repeat this on all of your Domain Controllers.*
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>> *You are now done.*
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>> *When you install SP4 on your Exchange Server (once it comes out) then*
>> *install it on your Domain Controllers. It is important to keep this at*
>> *the*
>> *same SP level.*
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>> *Now, to see the Exchange related fields you will need to make sure that*
>> *you*
>> *enable the Advanced View (which you will need to do each and every time*
>> *you*
>> *open this up). Also, if you have any shortcuts on your desktop then you*
>> *might want to replace the one from the Admin Tools with the one from the*
>> *Exchange Server.*
>>
>> *Actually, I would ask you why you are doing this on your Domain*
>> *Controllers*
>> *as you really should be doing all of your Admin work from a workstation (*
>> *similar to the way you do things in Novell). However, I will say that I*
>> *do*
>> *this as well. If you also have Terminal Services in Remote Admin Mode*
>> *then*
>> *I would suggest that you log on remotely after you do this and update any*
>> *shortcuts that you might have so that you are using the correct ADUC.....*
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>> *HTH,*
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>> *Cary*
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>> *"James Mullins" <texasviper@cox.net> wrote in message*
>> *news:73b001c483bd\$65a1d9e0\$a601280a@phx.gbl...*
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>>>When I open active directory on any of the Windows 2000
>>>domain controllers except the exchange 2000 server I do
>>>not see the exchange fields. Also the exchange 2000 e-mail
>>>addresses are not in the LDAP database. Is there a way to
>>>fix this? I think it might have something to do with the
>>>forest prep on the AD.
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