

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

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Don't need to log on with a domain admin ID. Could use runas or cpau to fire up esm or ADUC or run scripts in alternate security context. Far more secure than logging interactively into servers. Also, I would say that delegation of exchange should be done, there is a chapter in the up and coming Windows Server 2003 Cookbook that has a recipe and recommendations on it.

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Oli Restorick [MVP] wrote:

> Hi Joe

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> 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.

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> 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.

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> Regards

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> Oli

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

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