

Re: Rename a user profile

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As Sharon said, either create a temporary account with Administrator privileges, or use the built in Administrator account.

For XP Pro: Press CTRL-ALT-DEL twice at the Welcome Screen, with no users logged on, and you'll get the old Win2K style logon. Enter Administrator and any password that you may have assigned this account at setup.

XP Home: Boot the computer into Safe Mode and you'll see the built in Administrator account on the Welcome Screen.

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In memory of Robert (aka Koldbear)

<http://www.btinternet.com/~winnoel/winhelp.htm>

Doug Knox, MS-MVP Windows XP/ Windows Smart Display

Win 95/98/Me/XP Tweaks and Fixes

<http://www.dougknox.com>

Per user Group Policy Restrictions for XP Home and XP Pro

http://www.dougknox.com/xp/utils/xp_securityconsole.htm

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"Yanndc" <yann@e-soft.ca> wrote in message <news:c4adf3c2.0402230725.52984a9f@posting.google.com>.

> The profile's copy bitton is grayed, is it because it is the default

> profile? What is the solution?

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> Yanndc <yann@e-soft.ca> wrote in message <news:p5b5105agkg6gbtpq4v5druhs25ofk729c@4ax.com>>...

> > Thanks a lot again.

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> > On Fri, 23 Jan 2004 19:01:45 -0500, "Doug Knox MS-MVP"

> > <dknox@mvps.org> wrote:

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> > >As Josh says, create a new user with the name the way you want it to appear on the user fold

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> > >Copy a User Profile:

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> > >Open System in Control Panel. On the User Profiles tab, and under Profiles stored on this co

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> > >>In the Copy To dialog box, under Copy profile to, type the location for the new profile, or

> > >>Click Change to open the Choose User dialog box, click a new user from the Names list, and t

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> > >Note: You must be logged on as an administrator to the local computer to copy user profiles.

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> > ><http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us;811151>

> > >How to Copy User Data to a New User Profile