

## Re: Problems creating a domain level group policy

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you need to run gpresult from the workstation to find out if the workstation is attempting to apply the policy.

Also, do you have any userenv errors on the workstaiton in the application log.

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"ntd" <ntd@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message  
news:971F2457-26AB-4172-8C62-6202D62A3B53@microsoft.com...

> Hello All'

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> I am trying to create a domain-level group policy that prevents the last  
> user name from being displayed in the logon screen. My environment is a  
> single domain consisting of one Windows 2003 server and several XP Pro  
> workstations. I have downloaded the GPMC and installed it on the server.  
> The steps I am going through to create the group policy are as follows:

> 1. Open the GPMC

> 2. Highlight and right-click my domain (domain name is test.com)

> 3. Select the "Create and link a GPO here." option

> 4. Name the GPO "LastUserNotDisplayed" and click OK

> 5. Right-click on the "LastUserNotDisplayed" GPO under the Group Policy

> Objects on the left pane of the GPMC and select the edit option (which

> opens

> the Group Policy Editor).

> 6. In the left pane of the Group Policy Object Editor I double-click the

> Windows Settings folder under Computer Configuration

> 7. I then double-click the Security Settings

> 8. I then double-click the Local Policies

> 9. I then double-click Security Options

> 10. I then scroll down and enable the "Do not display last user name"

> option

> 11. I then exit the Group Policy Object Editor, which takes me back to the

> GPMC

> 12. In left pane of the GPMC I highlight and right-click the

> "LastUserNotDisplayed" GPO under the Group Policy Objects and select GPO

> Status

> 13. I make sure the GPO status is enabled

> 14. In the Scope tab of the "LastUserNotDisplayed" GPO I right-click the

> domain name (test.com) and select enforced.

> 15. I close the GPMC

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> After taking these steps, the group policy is enforced on the server, but

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> not on the workstations. How do I get this to apply to the workstations?  
> Any help would be appreciated.  
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> I can ping the server from all workstations by IP and name  
> I can ping the workstations from the server by IP and name  
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