

# Add Extension Attribute to User

## Description

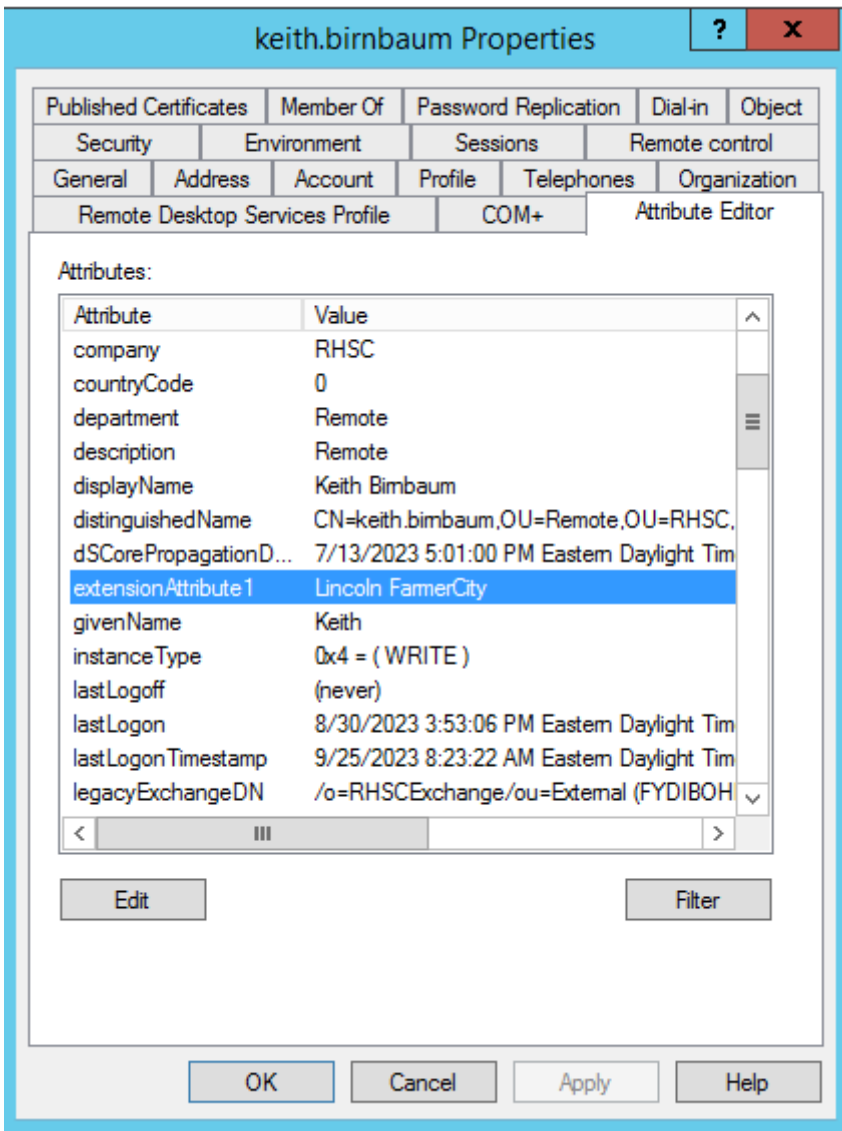
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This article will detail how to add an extension attribute to a user that will allow them to access the dynamic Sharepoint security groups

## Resolution

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Domain Controller - Active Directory Users and Computers  
Enable View -> Advanced Features  
Attribute Editor -> "extentionAttribute1"



The following powershell command can be used on a Domain Controller

First we run this command to check the current extensionattribute1 value. You do not want to overwrite that, but add to it.

```
Get-ADUser -Identity $User -Properties extensionAttribute1
```

For example, the command might return the user has Williams Winterset Albion already as extension attributes

Run this command to set the new attribute string, including what was already done

```
Set-ADUser -Identity $User -add @"{"extensionattribute1"="MyString"}"
```

Finally run "Get-ADUser -Identity \$User -Properties extensionAttribute1" one last time to confirm

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