

How to Join A Mac to The Domain

Using Directory Utility

1. Log into the Apple computer you want to join to the domain. The user name is oaimage and the password is the standard one.
2. Name the computer by going to System Preferences > Sharing. At the top of the window you will see the area to assign a name.
3. Open the Directory Utility, which is located in Users and Groups (or Accounts), Then click on "Logon Options", then Edit/Join (next to Network Account Server)
4. If necessary, click the padlock and enter your password to unlock the Directory Utility.
5. Highlight Active Directory and click on the Pencil icon in the lower-right hand of the directory list to configure the Active Directory connection.
6. Enter in ad.ufl.edu under Domain.
7. Enter in the computer name under Computer ID.
8. Click Bind.... A prompt will ask you for your network credentials and a computer OU. Enter your OU admin account IN THE FORMAT ofa-pc-XXXX@ad.ufl.edu and password, and the computer OU location: ou=COMPUTERS OR LAPTOPS,ou=PROPER OU GROUP,dc=ad,dc=ufl,dc=edu: THIS WORKED OU=Macs,OU=Computers,OU=BRIDGES,OU=Departments,OU=UF,DC=ad,DC=ufl,DC=edu AND OU=Macs,OU=Computers,OU=BRIDGES,OU=Departments,OU=UF,DC=ad,DC=ufl,DC=edu worked
9. Your machine will be bound to Active Directory.
10. Click on Advanced Options"
11. Go to Administration tab
12. Check Allow administration by, then enter TSS-Admin-PC
13. Click Apply in the Directory Utility to save your changes.
14. Restart your machine.

After Joining Enable Network Login:

1. Open up System Preferences and select the users and groups menu item.
2. Click Login Options, located at the bottom of the left-hand user list.
3. Check Allow network users to log in at login window to enable network login. You can click Options... to specify which users can log in.
4. Change Display login window as to "Name and password" instead of "List of users"

Note:

Support page from Apple regarding "bind to active directory"

<http://support.apple.com/kb/index?page=search&q=bind%20to%20active%20directory>