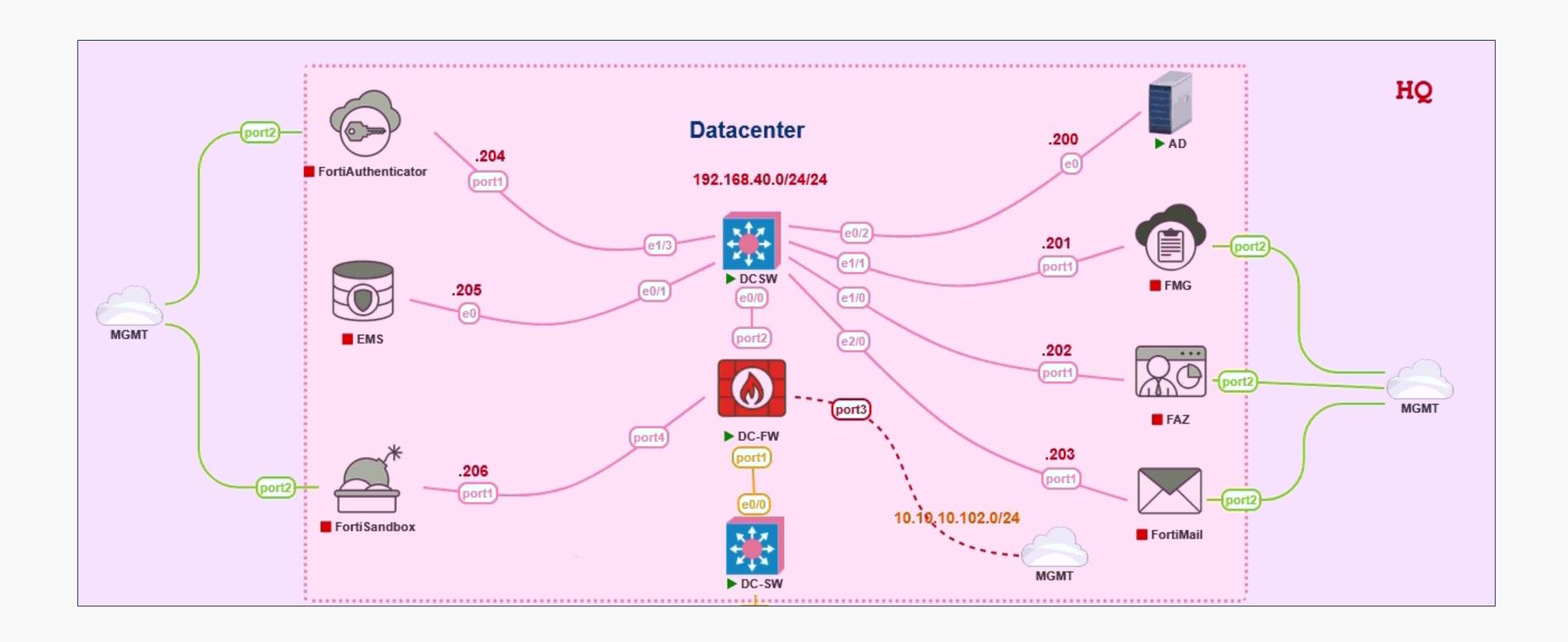


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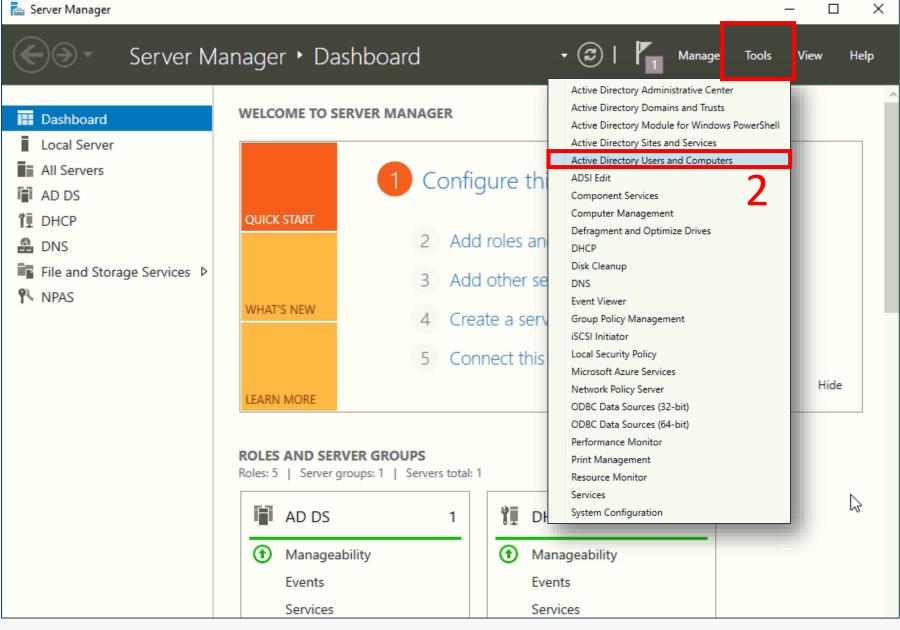


Access Active Directory Users and Computers

1. Login to Windows Server (AD Server)

- Enter username: MIAARIACADEMY\administrator
- Enter password admin@123 and press Enter to login.
- QEMU (AD) 🕸 📃 🕸 💋 💶 🔝 🕦 🔕 🖫 Toggle Fullscreen Mode (On/Off) MIAARIACADEMY\administrator ••••• Switch user

2. Open Server Manager, Click on Tools in the top-right menu and Select Active Directory Users and Computers from the drop-down list.

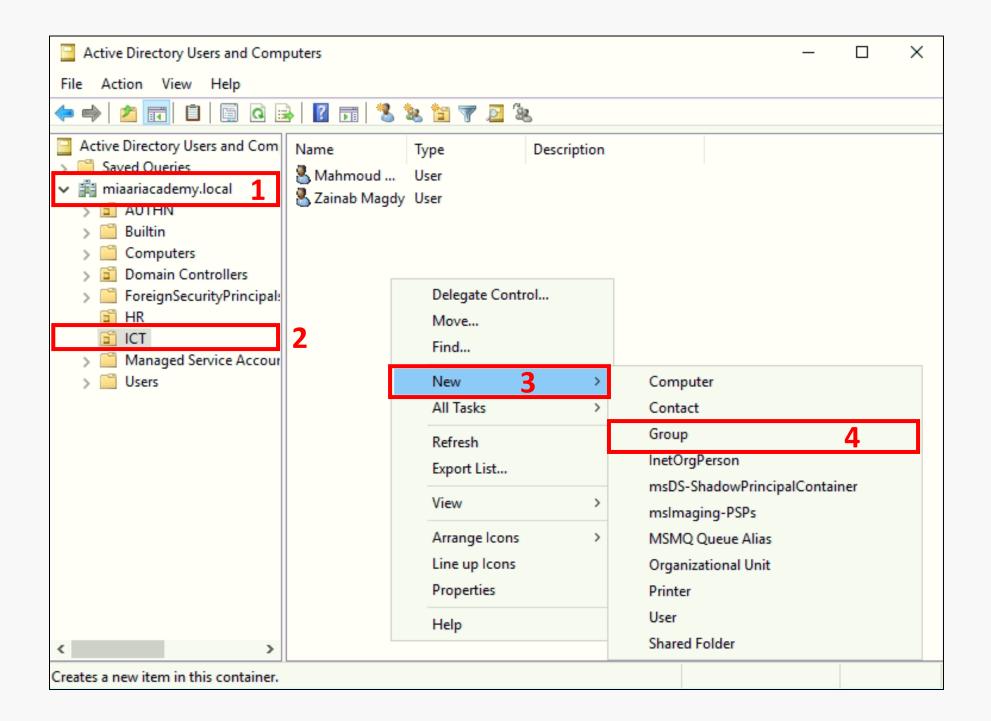


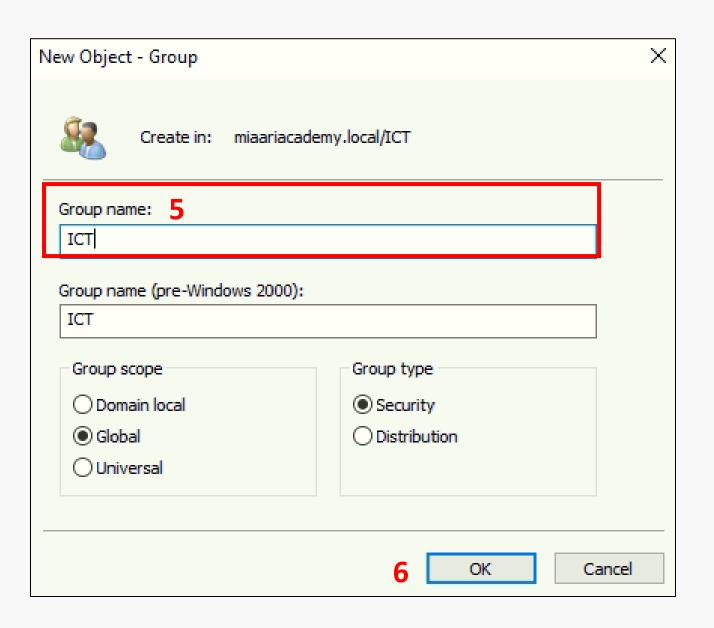
Creating a New Group ICT in Active Directory for RADIUS Authentication

- 1. Expand the domain miaariacademy.local.
- 2. Right-click on the ICT OU.

- 3. Navigate to New
- 4. Select Group.

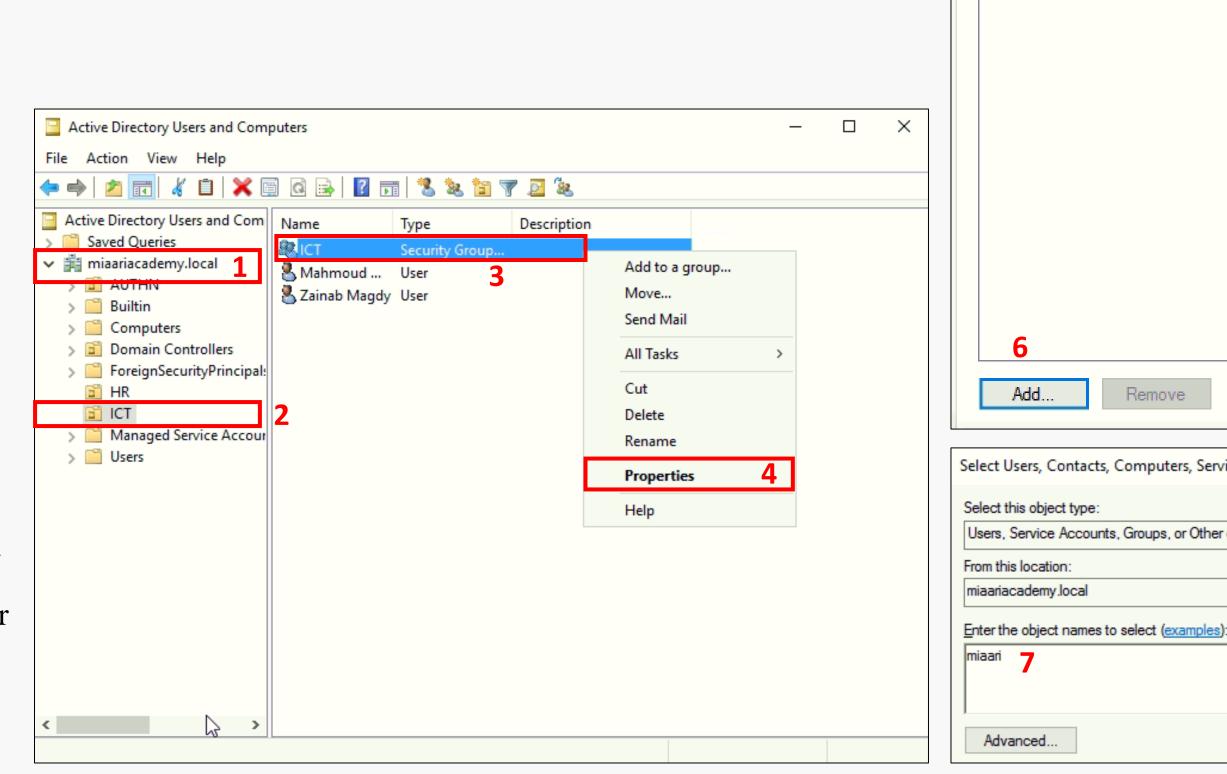
- 5. Type the Group Name: ICT.
- 6. Click ok to create the group.

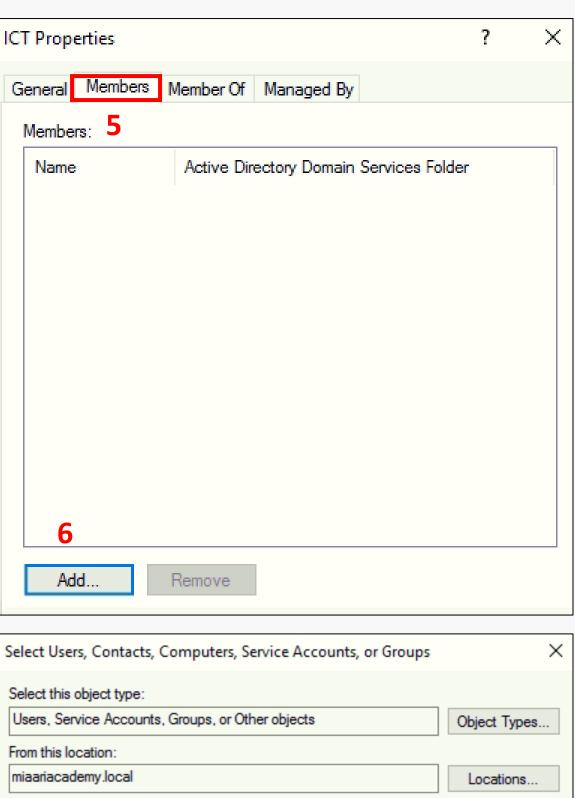




Adding Users miaari & zainab to Active Directory Group (ICT)

- 1. Expand the domain miaariacademy.local.
- 2. Select **ICT** Group under the respective Organizational Unit (OU).
- 3. Right-click on the **ICT** group
- 4. select Properties.
- Go to the Members tab.
- Click Add to add users into the group.
- 7. Type the desired username (Example: miaari).
- Click Check Names to confirm the user exists.
- Click or to add the user to the group.





Check Names

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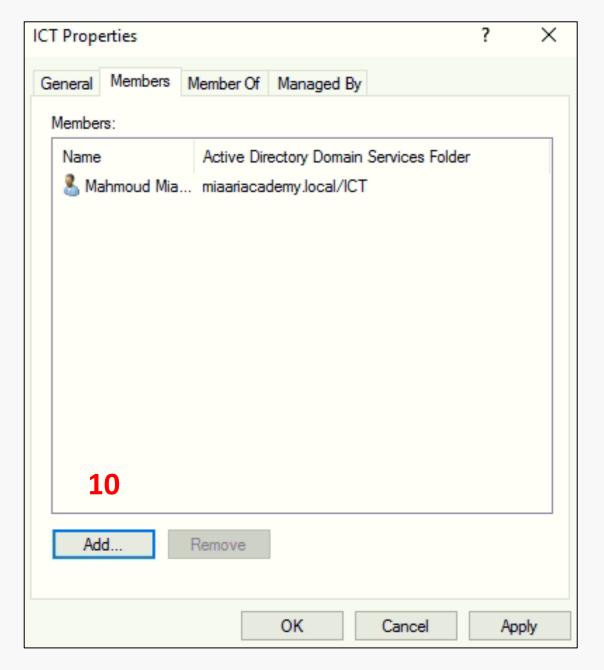
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Advanced.

Adding Users miaari & zainab to Active Directory Group (ICT) Cont...

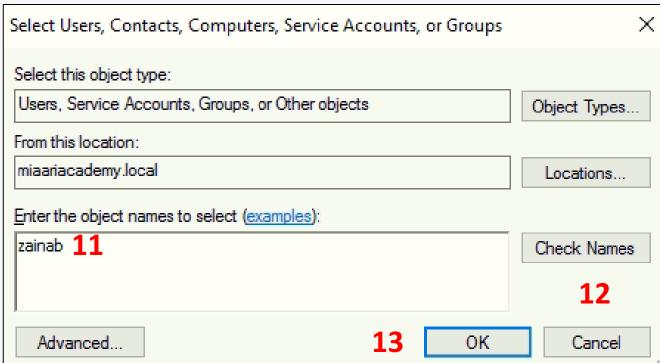
- 10. Click Add to add a new user.
- 11. In the Select Users window \rightarrow

Type zainab in the text box.

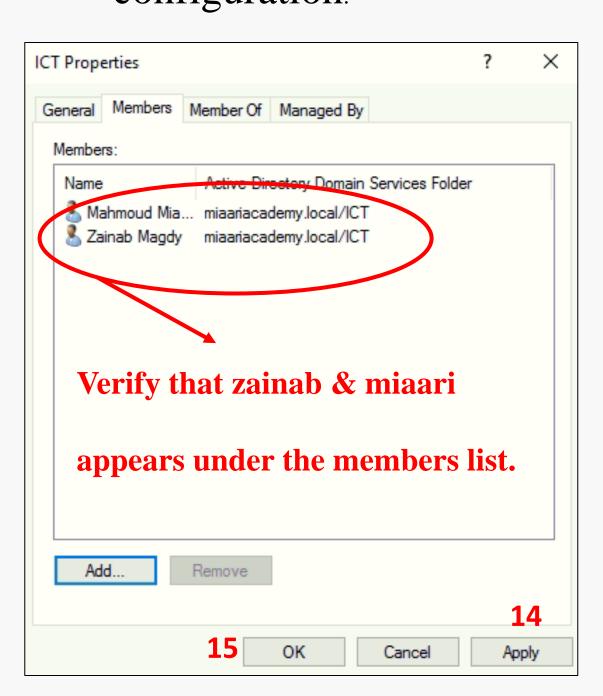


- 12. Click check Names to verify the username.
- 13. Click or to confirm adding the

user.



- 14. Click Apply
- 15. then OK to save the configuration.

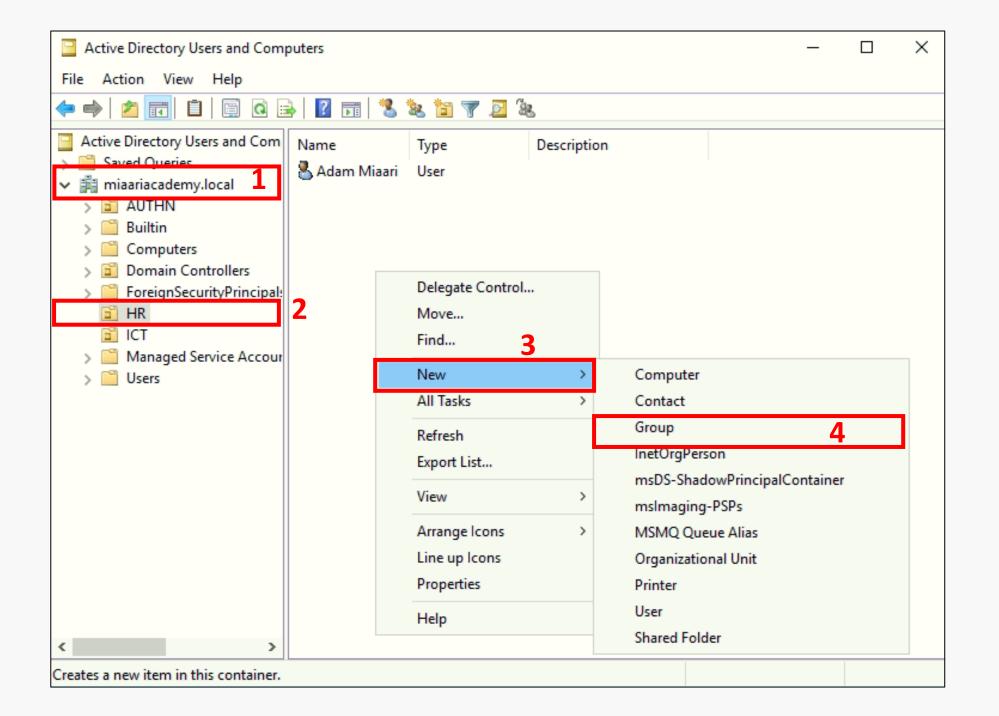


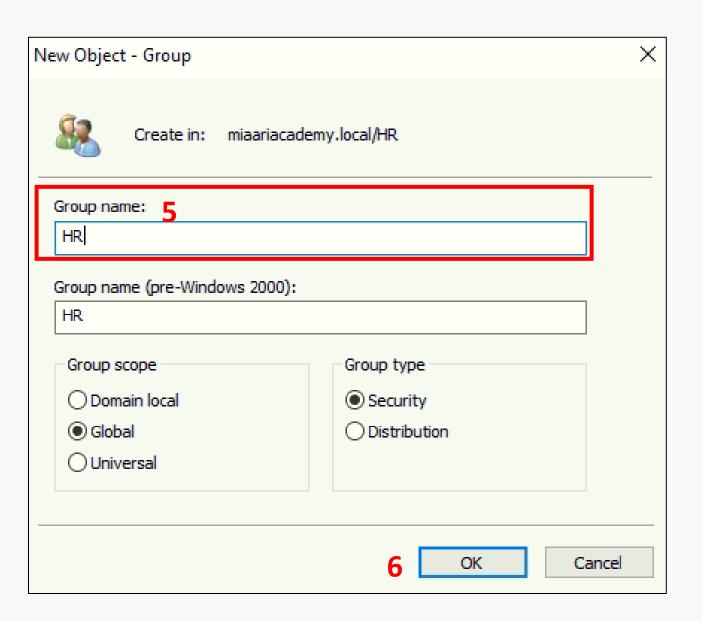
Creating a New Group HR in Active Directory for RADIUS Authentication

- 1. Expand the domain miaariacademy.local.
- 2. Right-click on the HR OU.

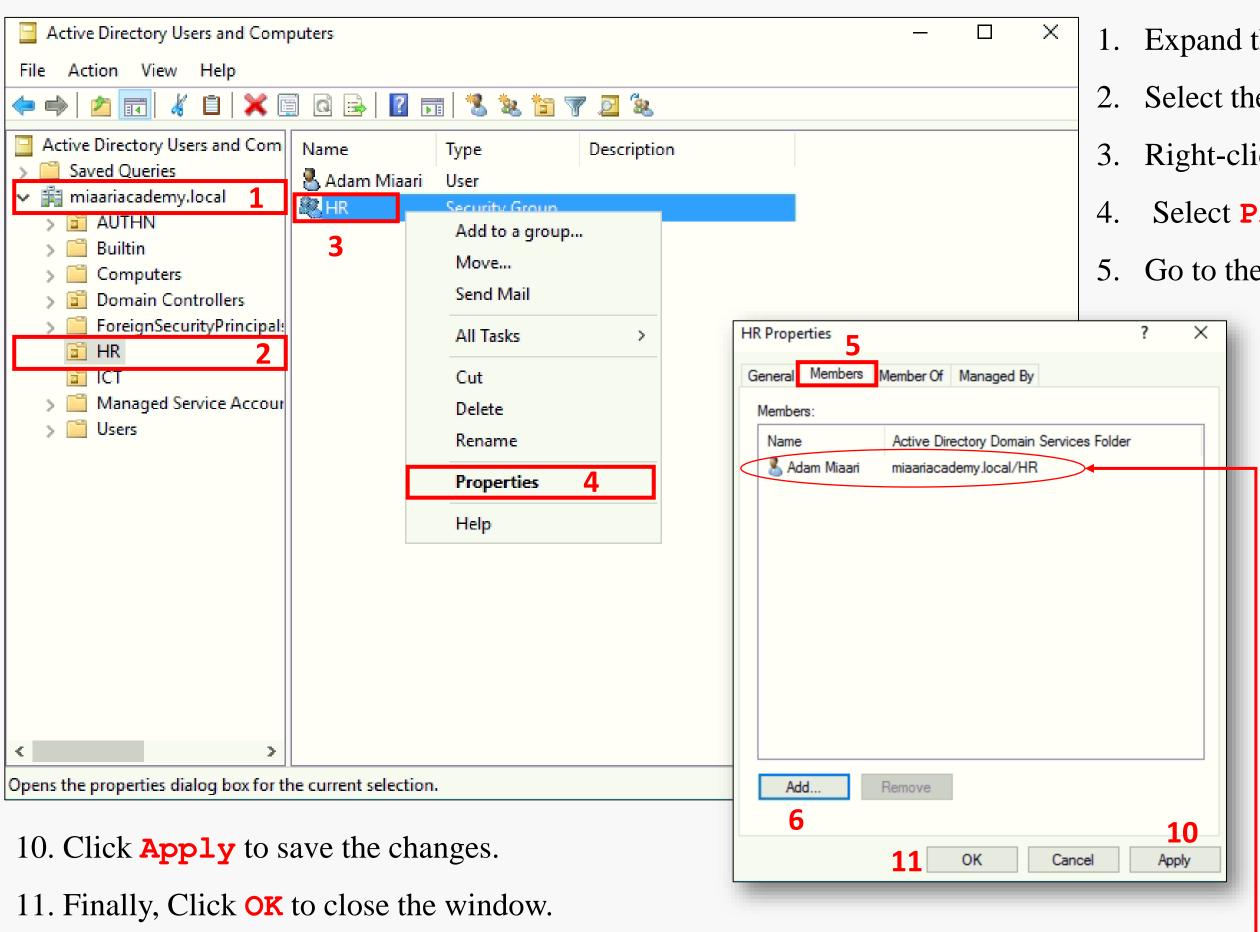
- 3. Navigate to New
- 4. Select Group.

- 5. Type the Group Name: HR.
- 6. Click ox to create the group.





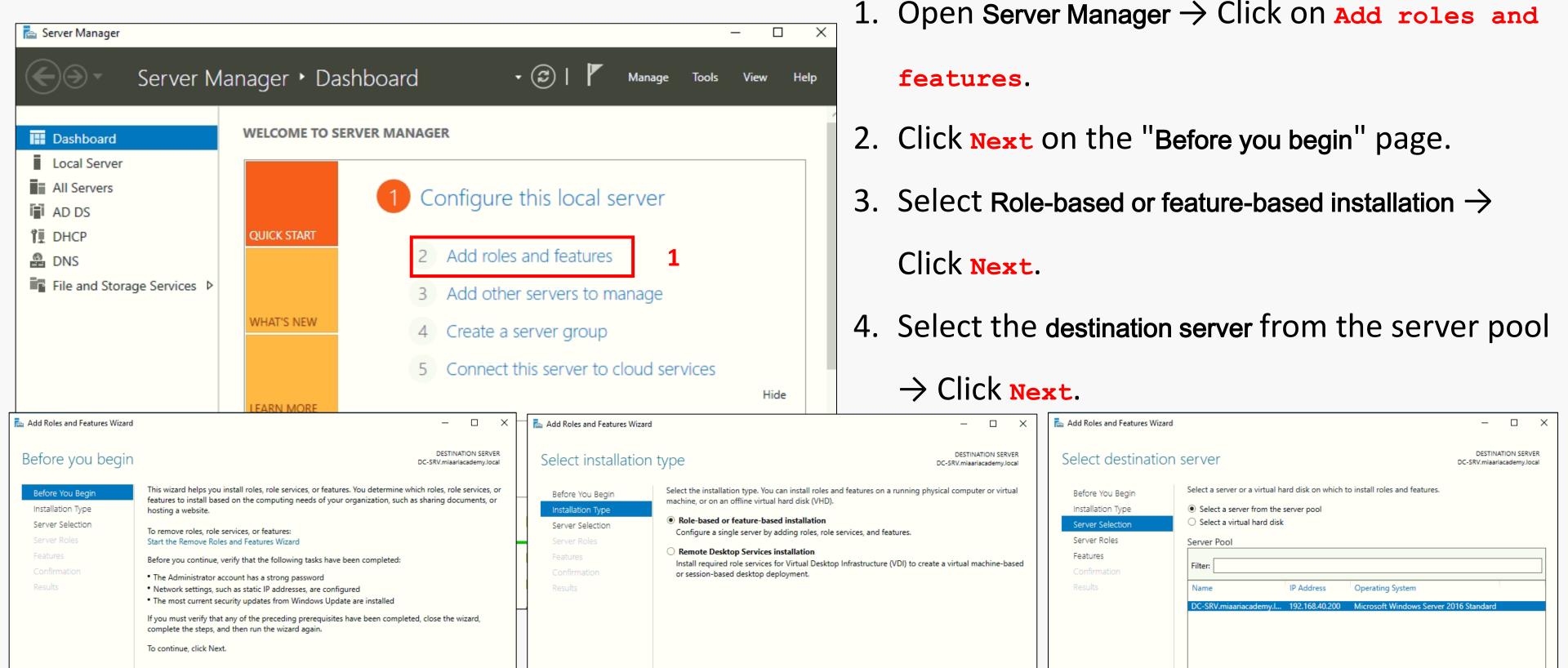
Adding Users adam to Active Directory Group (ICT)



- 1. Expand the domain miaariacademy.local.
 - . Select the Organizational Unit (OU) HR.
- Right-click on the group HR
- . Select **Properties**.
- . Go to the **Members** tab in the HR Properties window.
 - 6. Click **Add** to add a new member to the group.
 - 7. Type the username **adam** in the text field.
 - 8. Click Check Names to verify the user.
 - 9. Click **OK** to confirm the selection.

Select this object type:		
Users, Service Accounts, Groups, or Other objects		Object Types.
From this location:		
miaariacademy.local		Locations
Enter the object names to select	(examples):	
Enter the object names to select adam 7	(examples):	Check Names
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Installing NPS Role on Windows Server



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1 Computer(s) found

This page shows servers that are running Windows Server 2012 or a newer release of Windows Server, and that have been added by using the Add Servers command in Server Manager. Offline servers and

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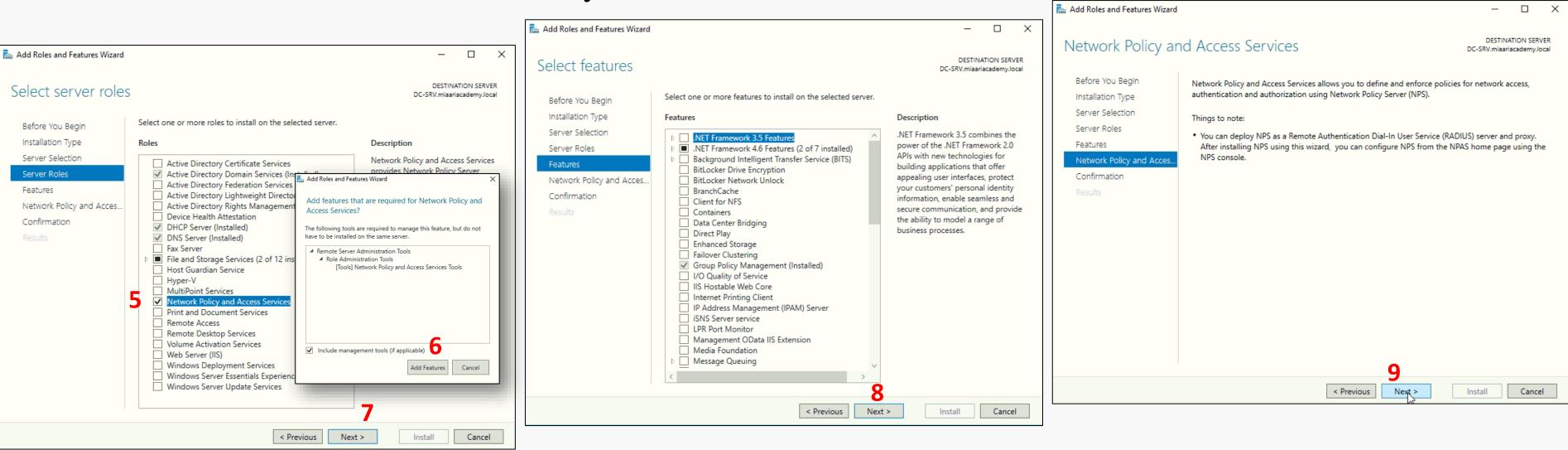
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Installing NPS Role on Windows Server Cont..

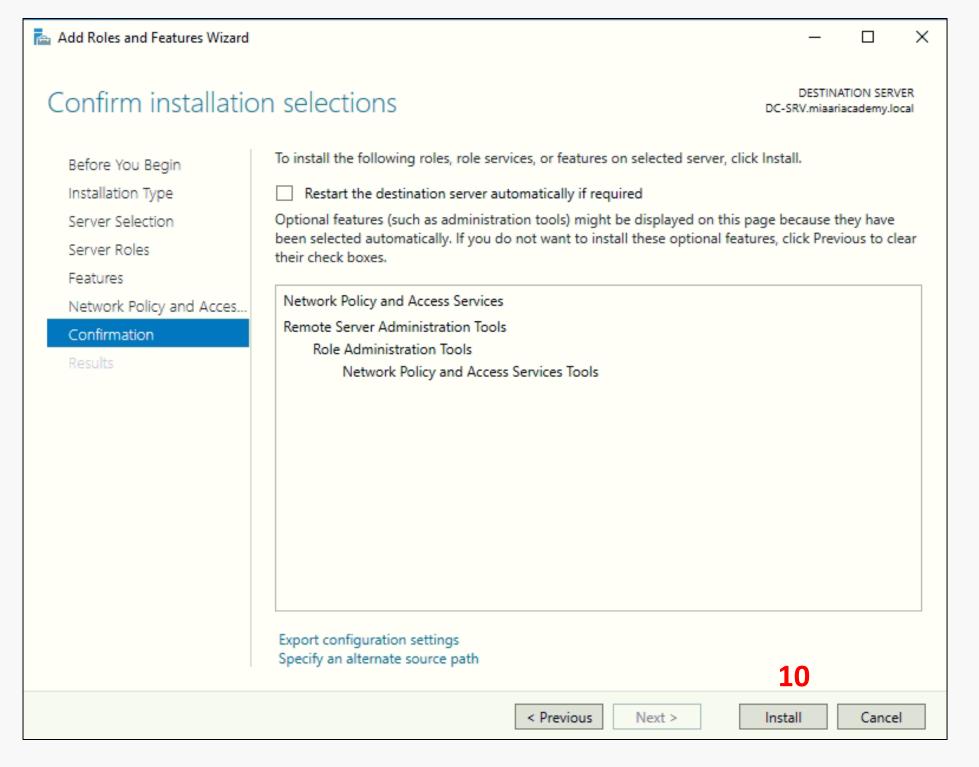
- 5. Select Network Policy and Access Services from the server roles.
- 6. Click Add Features when prompted to include required features.
- 7. Click **Next** to proceed.
- 8. Leave features selection as default \rightarrow Click Next.
- 9. Read the NPS information summary \rightarrow Click Next.



Installing NPS Role on Windows Server Cont...

10. Review the selected roles and features for installation.

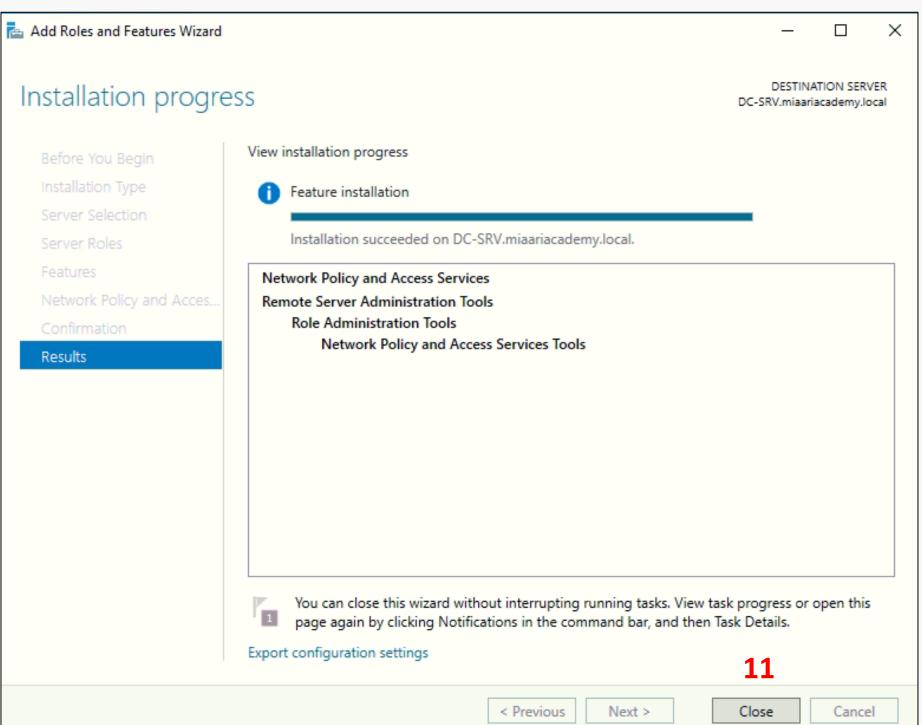
Click Install to start the installation process.



11. Wait until the installation progress reaches 100% and displays

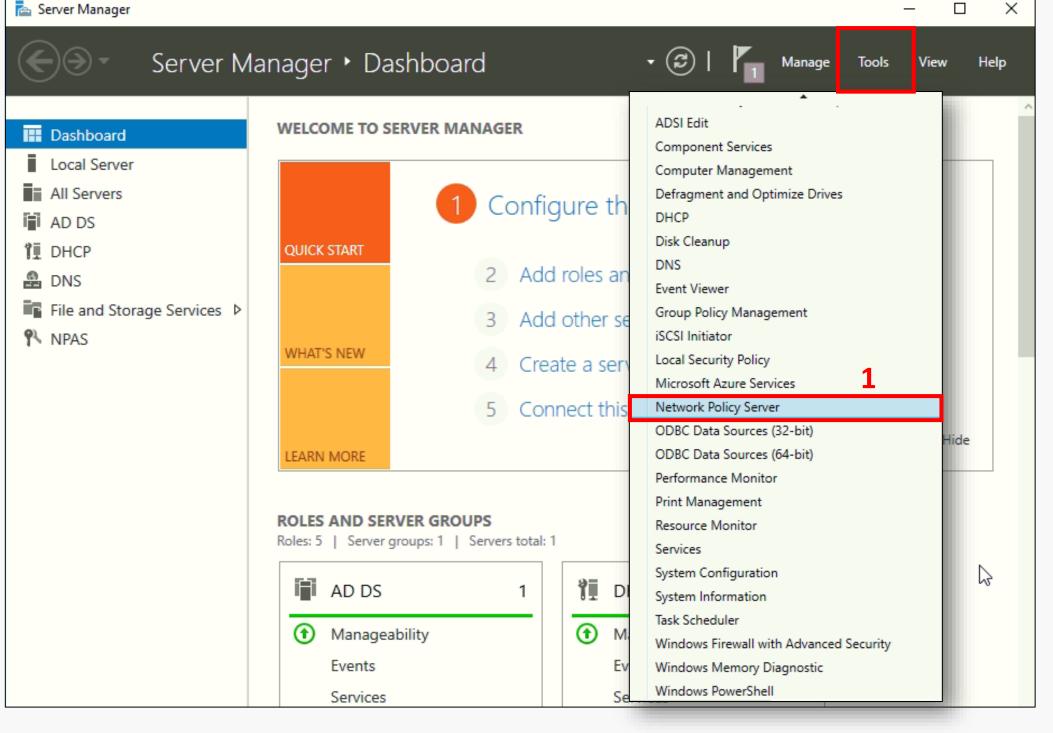
Installation succeeded.

Click **Close** to finish the wizard.

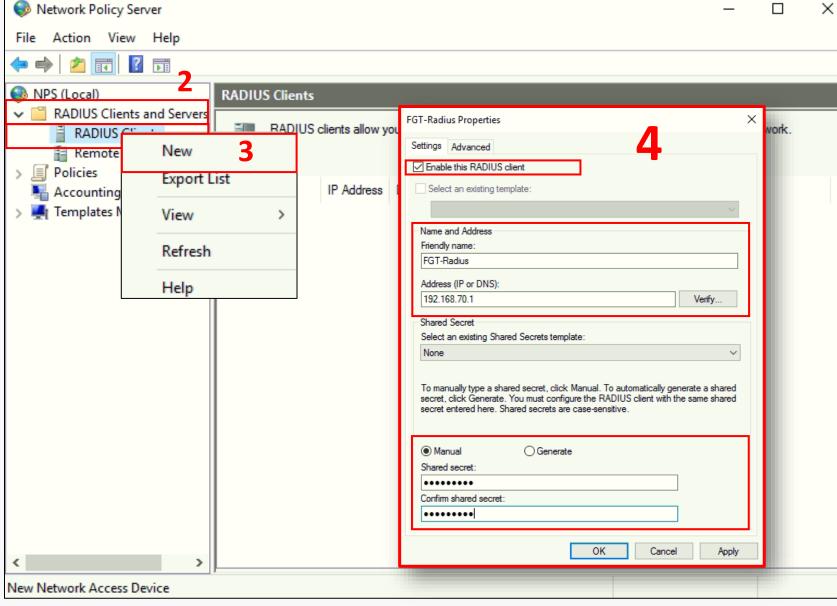


Configuring RADIUS Client in Network Policy Server (NPS)

- 1. From the Server Manager Dashboard, click on Tools and Select Network Policy Server from the dropdown menu.
- 2. In the NPS console, expand RADIUS Clients and Servers.
- 3. Right-click on **RADIUS** Clients and select **New**.

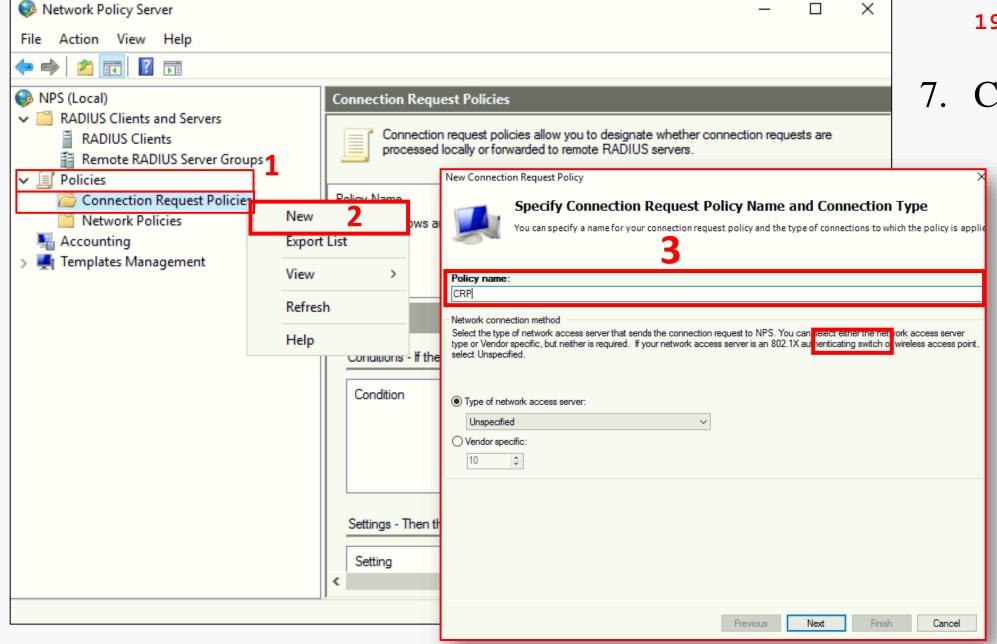


- 4. In the New RADIUS Client window:
 - Enable RADIUS Client.
 - Enter Friendly Name (e.g., FGT-Radius).
 - Enter the IP Address 192.168.70.1 of the FortiGate device.
 - Enter and confirm the Shared Secret admin@123.
 - o Click Apply then ok to save the RADIUS client configuration.

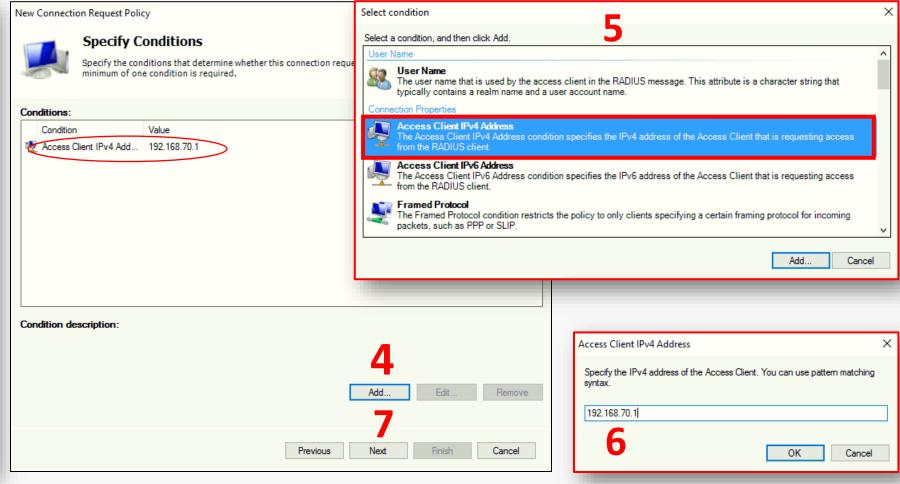


Creating Connection Request Policy CRP in NPS for RADIUS Client

- 1. In the NPS console, expand Policies.
- 2. Right-click on connection Request Policy and Select New.
- 3. Enter a Policy Name (e.g., CRP) and click Next.
- 4. In the Specify Conditions Section, click Add.

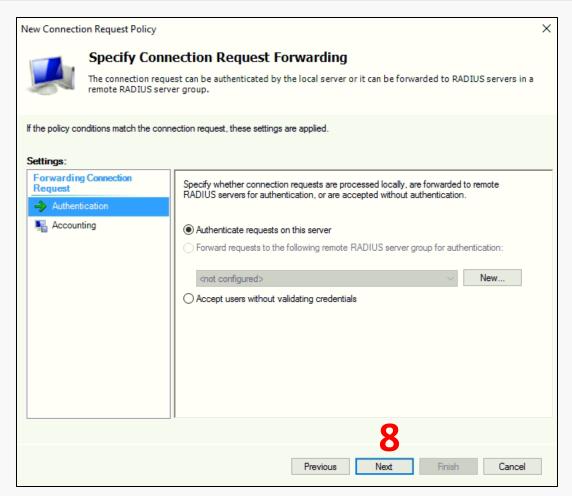


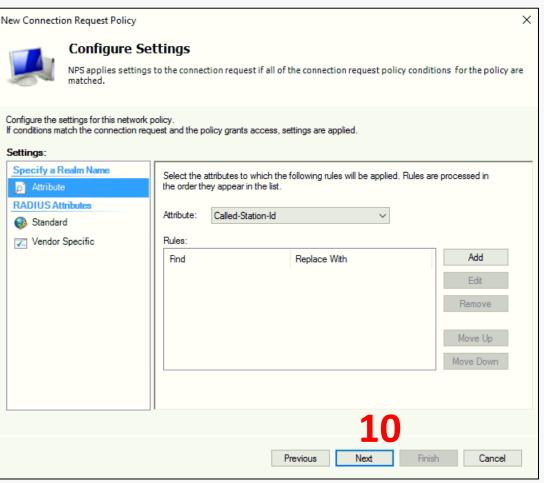
- 5. Select Access Client IPv4 Address and click Add.
- 6. Enter the IP Address of the FortiGate device (e.g., 192.168.70.1) and click ok.
- 7. Click Next to continue and complete the configuration.

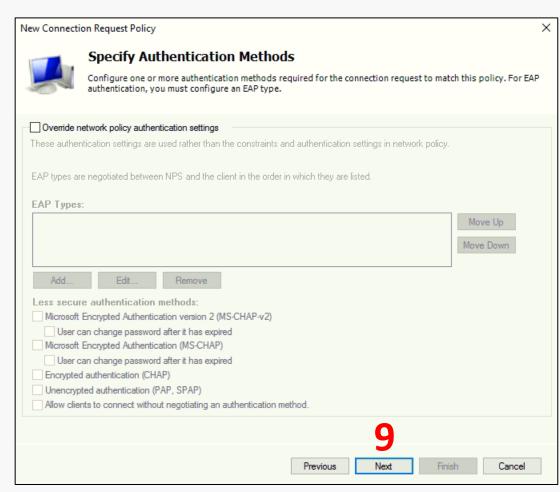


Creating Connection Request Policy CRP in NPS for RADIUS Client Cont...

- 1. In Specify Connection Request Forwarding Window, Select Authenticate requests on this server and click Next.
- 2. In Specify Authentication Methods window, leave the default settings and click Next.
- 3. In configure settings window, keep the default settings and click Next.
- 4. In completing Connection Request Policy wizard window, review your configuration and click Finish to save the policy.

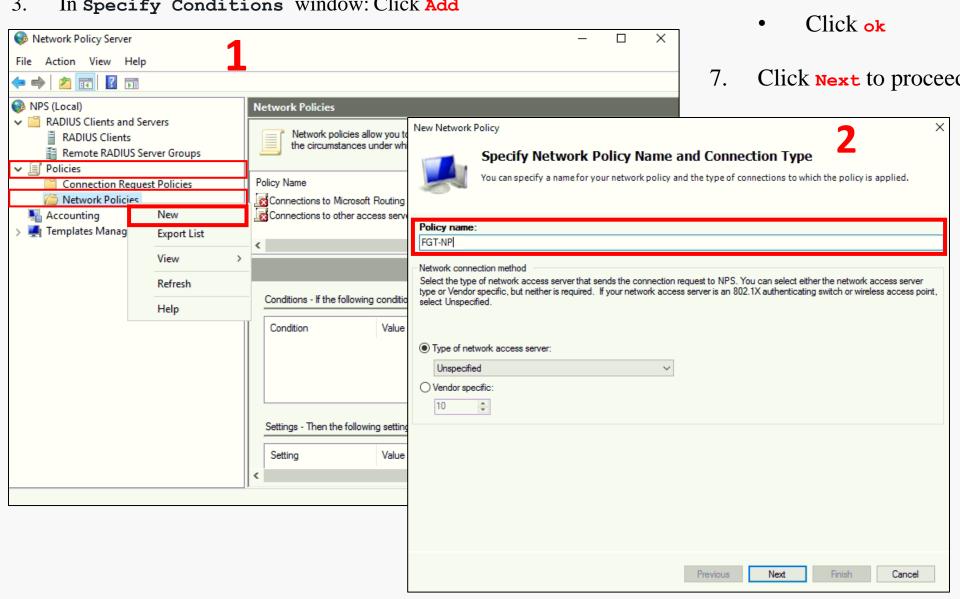




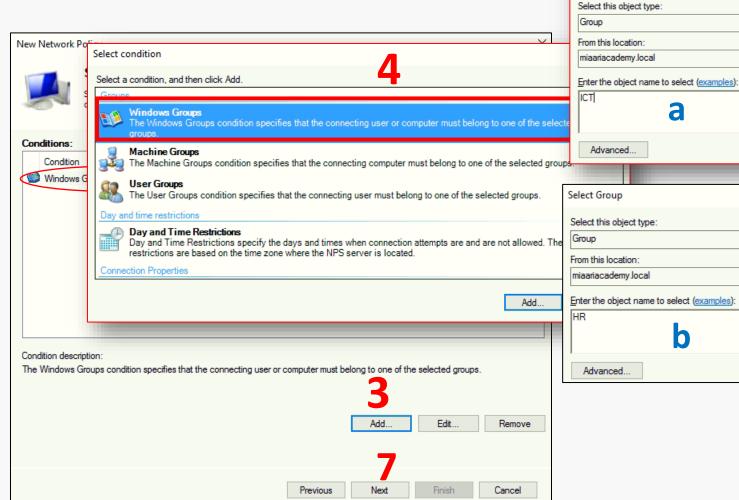


New Connection R	Request Policy	×
C	ompleting Connection Request Policy Wizard	
You have success	sfully created the following connection request policy:	
Policy condition	IS:	
Policy settings:		
Condition Authentication Pro	Value vider Local Computer	
To close this wizar	rd, click Finish. Previous Next Finish	Cancel

- Navigate to Network Policy Server (NPS) → Expand Policies → Right-click Network Policies → Select New.
- In Specify Network Policy Name and Connection Type window:
 - Enter Policy Name (e.g., RADIUS-ICT-HR).
 - Click Next.
- In Specify Conditions window: Click Add



- 4. Select Windows Groups → Click Add Groups.
- In Select Groups Window click Add Groups:
 - Add **ICT** Group \rightarrow Click **o**k.
 - Add HR Group \rightarrow Click ok.
- Verify the added groups miaariacademy\ict and miaariacademy\hr are listed.
- Click **Next** to proceed with policy configuration.



Windows Groups

Select Group

MIAARIACADEMY\ICT

MIAARIACADEMY\HR

Specify the group membership required to match this policy.

Add Groups..

Object Types..

Locations..

Check Names

Object Types.

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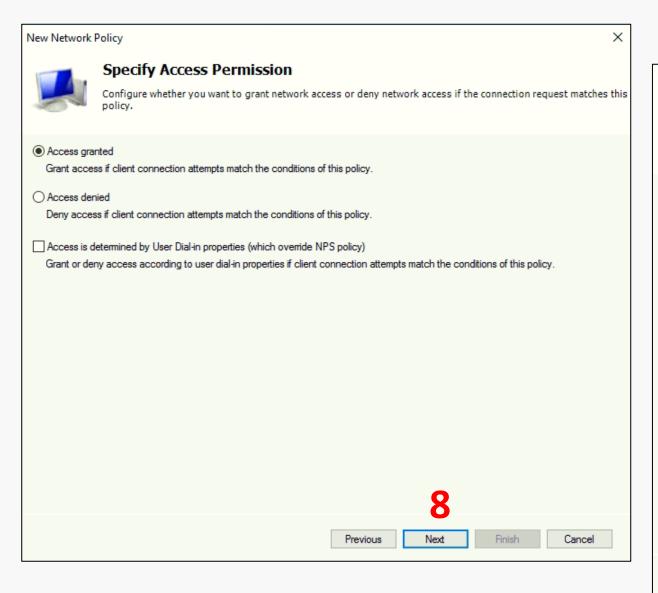
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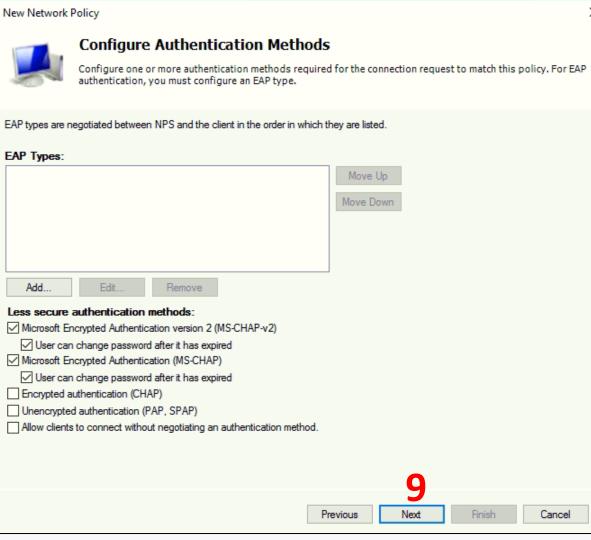
8. Specify Access Permission

- In the Specify Access Permission window:
 - Select Access granted to allow network access for the users/groups that meet the policy conditions.
 - Click Next.



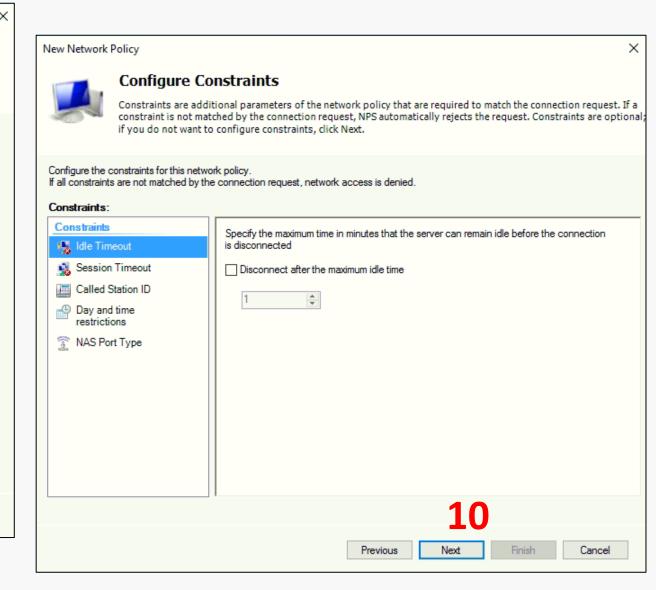
9. Configure Authentication Methods

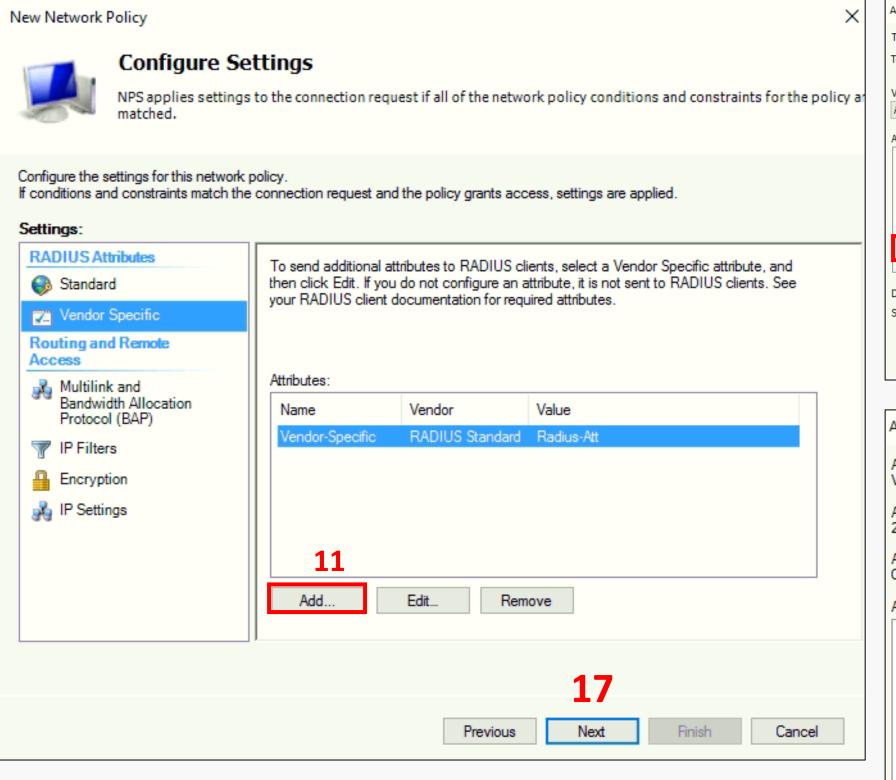
- In the Configure Authentication Methods window:
 - Select appropriate authentication methods.
 - Example:
 - Microsoft Encrypted Authentication version 2 (MS-CHAP-v2)
 - Microsoft Encrypted Authentication (MS-CHAP)
 - Click Next.

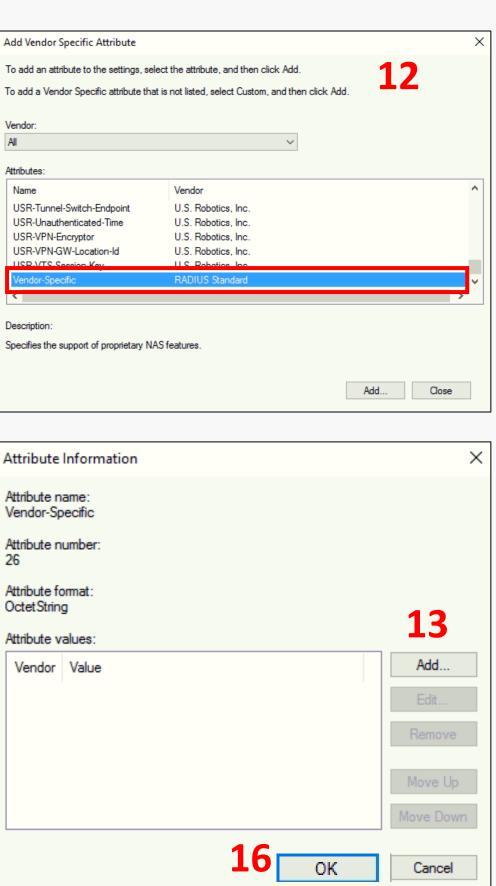


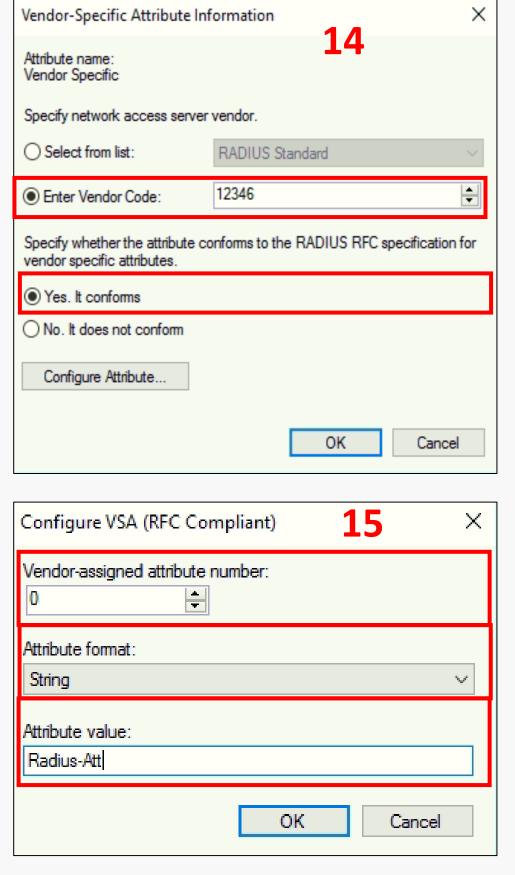
10. Configure Constraints

- In the Configure Constraints window:
- Configure optional settings like Idle Timeout for the session.
- Example: Specify idle time in minutes or leave default.
- Click Next to proceed.







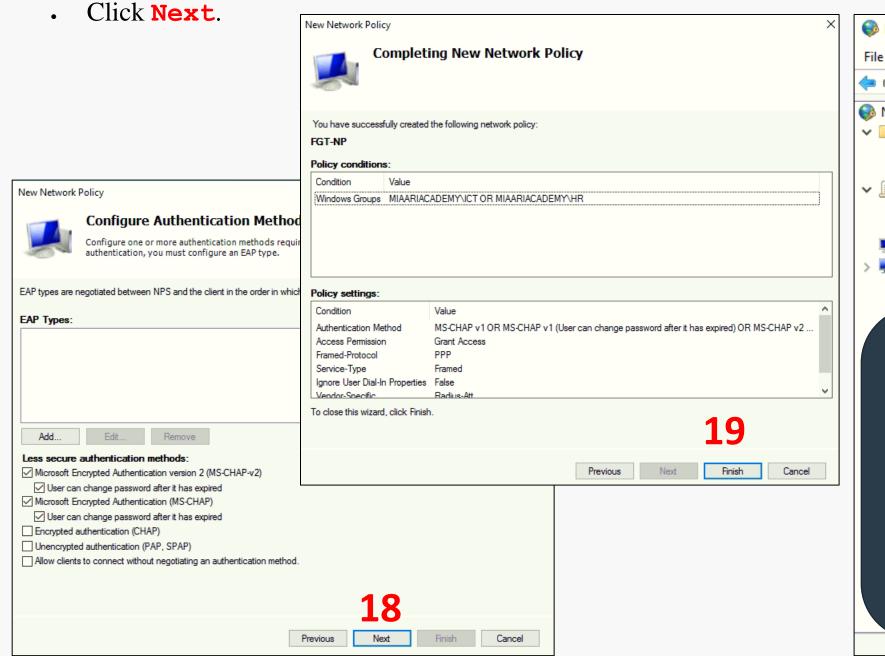


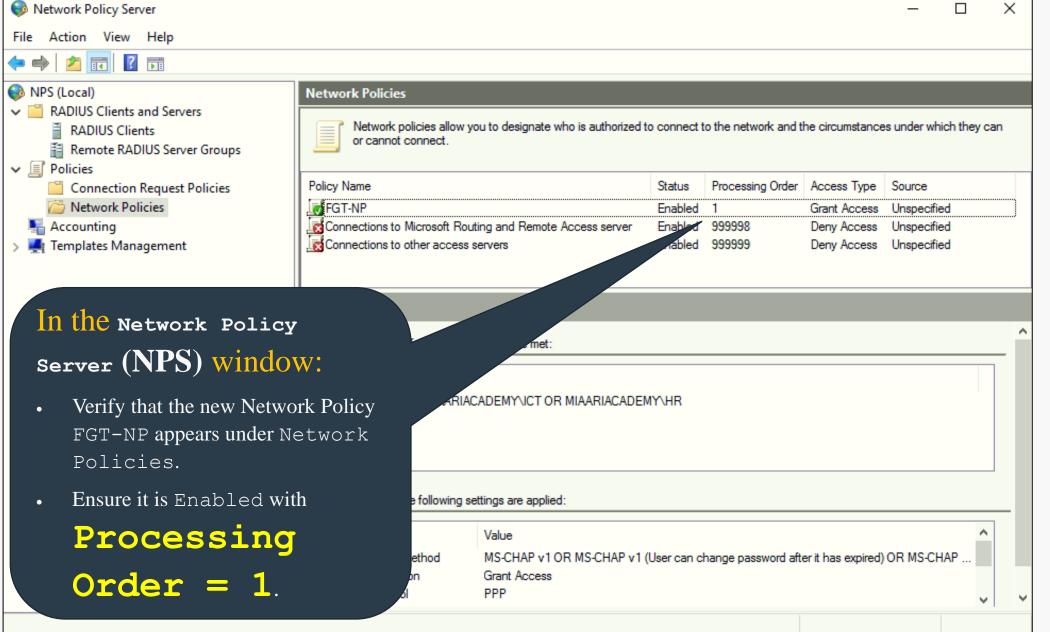
- 11. In the Configure Settings window of the New Network Policy: Click Add to add a new Vendor-Specific Attribute.
- 12.In the Add Vendor Specific Attribute window:
 - Select Vendor-Specific from the list and Click Add.
- 13.In the Attribute Information window: Click Add.
- 14.In the Vendor-Specific Attribute Information window:
 - Select Enter Vendor Code and type 12346.
 - Ensure Yes, It conforms is selected.
 - Click Configure Attribute.

- 15. In the Configure VSA (RFC Compliant) window:
 - Set Vendor-assigned attribute number to 0.
 - Set Attribute format to string.
 - Set Attribute value to Radius-Attr.
 - Click ok.
- 16.Click or again to close the Attribute Information window.
- 17.In the Configure Settings window:
 - Verify that the new Vendor Specific Attribute has been added.
 - Click Next to proceed.

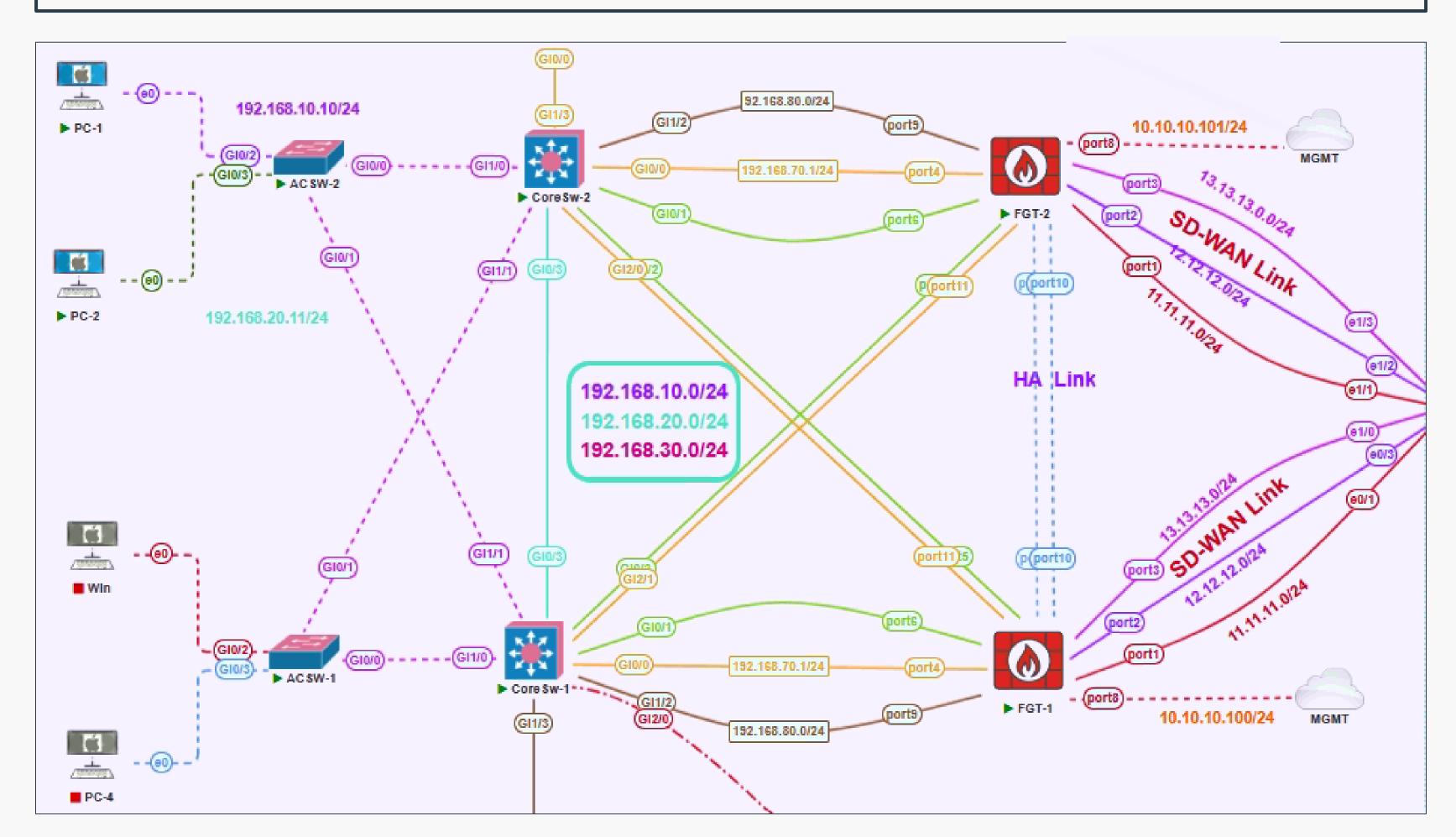
- 18. In the Configure Authentication Methods window:
 - Select the required authentication methods:
 - 。 MS-CHAPv2
 - 。 MS-CHAPv1
 - Allow users to change passwords after expiry if needed.

- 19. In the Completing New Network Policy window:
 - Review the Policy Conditions:
 - Ensure Windows Groups includes MIAARIACADEMY\ICT OR MIAARIACADEMY\HR.
 - Click Finish.





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Steps to Log in to FGT-1 of HQ Web GUI

1. Enter IP Address

Open a web browser and type::https://10.10.10.100

2. Enter Username

Type: admin (default username)

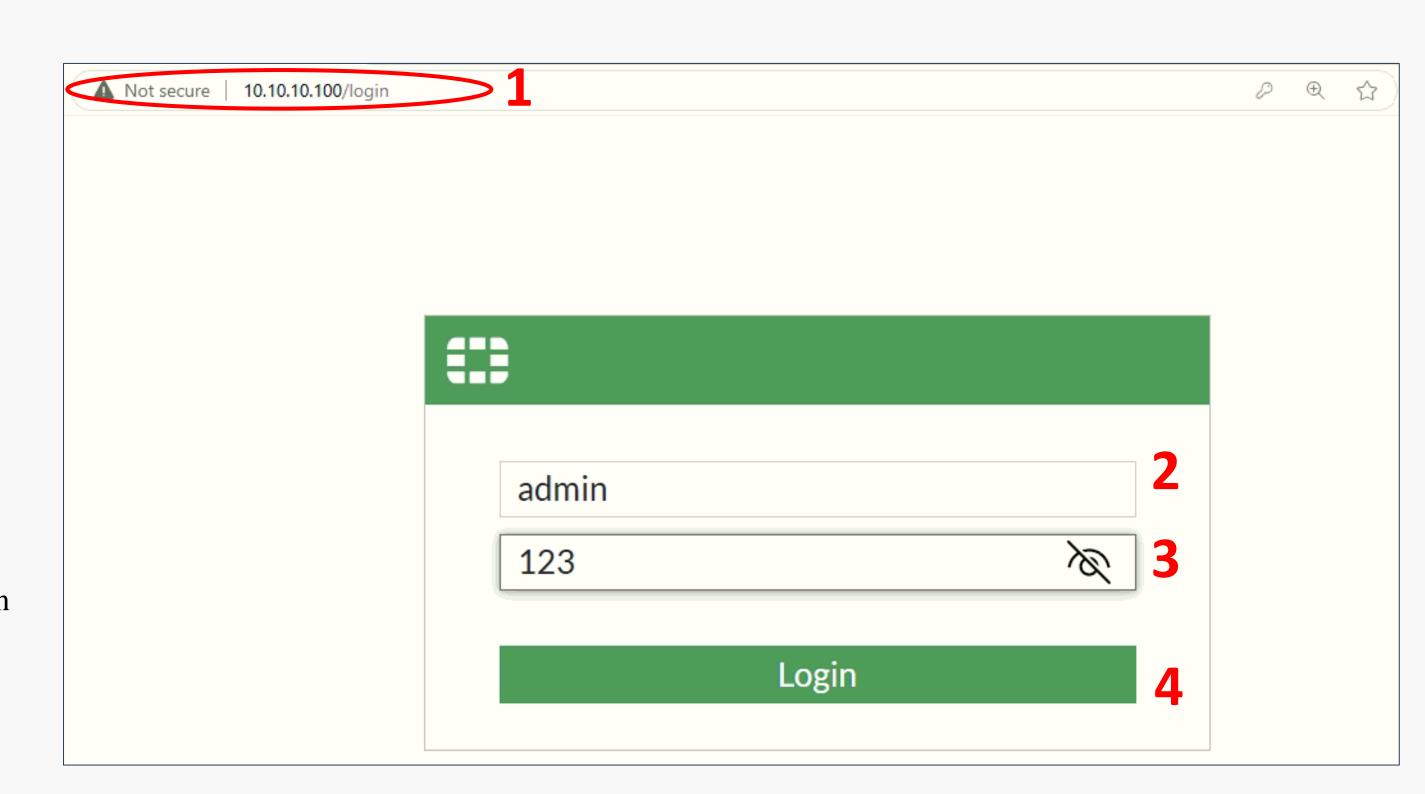
3. Enter Password

Type the password (e.g., 123 if you set it earlier).

4. Click "Login"

Press the "Login" button to access the FortiGate

Dashboard.



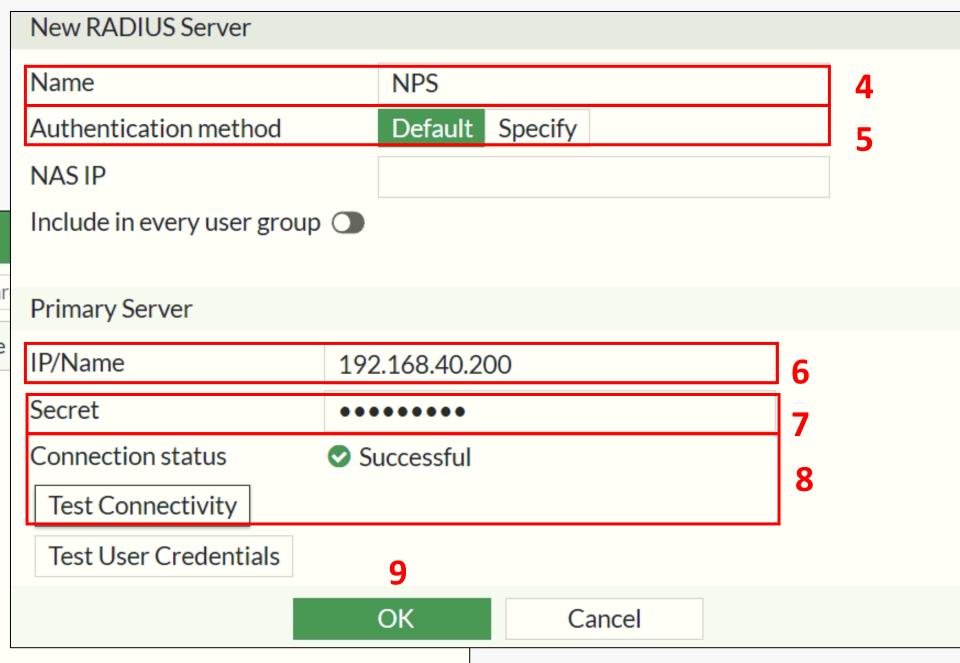
Adding RADIUS Server (NPS) in FortiGate Firewall

- 1. Navigate to User & Authentication from the FortiGate GUI menu.
- 2. Select RADIUS Servers.
- 3. Click Create New to add a new RADIUS server.
- 4. Enter the Name of the RADIUS server (e.g., NPS).
- 5. Choose Authentication Method as Default or specify depending on the requirement.
- 6. Enter the RADIUS Server IP Address (e.g., 192.168.40.200).
- Q FGT-1-HQ Edit Clone 🗓 Delete +Create New 므 VPN User & Name \$ Server IP/Name Authentication **User Definition** User Groups **Guest Management** LDAP Servers **RADIUS Servers** ☆ Single Sign-On No results Authentication Settings

- 7. Enter the Secret (admin@123 must match the shared secret configured on NPS server).
- 3. Click **Test Connectivity** to verify the connection with the RADIUS Server.

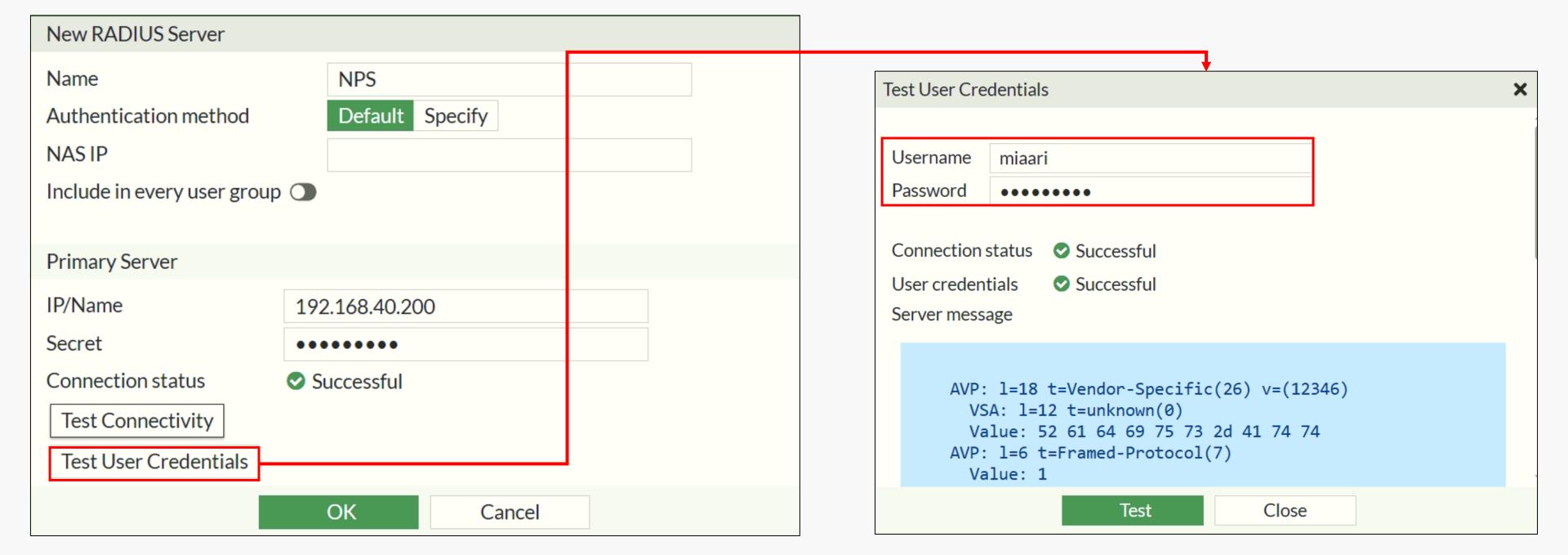
Ensure Connection Status is Successful.

9. Click or to save the configuration.



Testing User Authentication with RADIUS Server (NPS) in FortiGate

- 1. After configuring the RADIUS Server settings (IP, Secret, etc.), click on Test User Credentials.
- 2. Enter the Username (e.g., miaari).
- Enter the corresponding Password (e.g., admin@123).
- 4. Click on **Test** to verify the credentials.
- 5. Ensure both Connection Status and User Credentials show Successful.

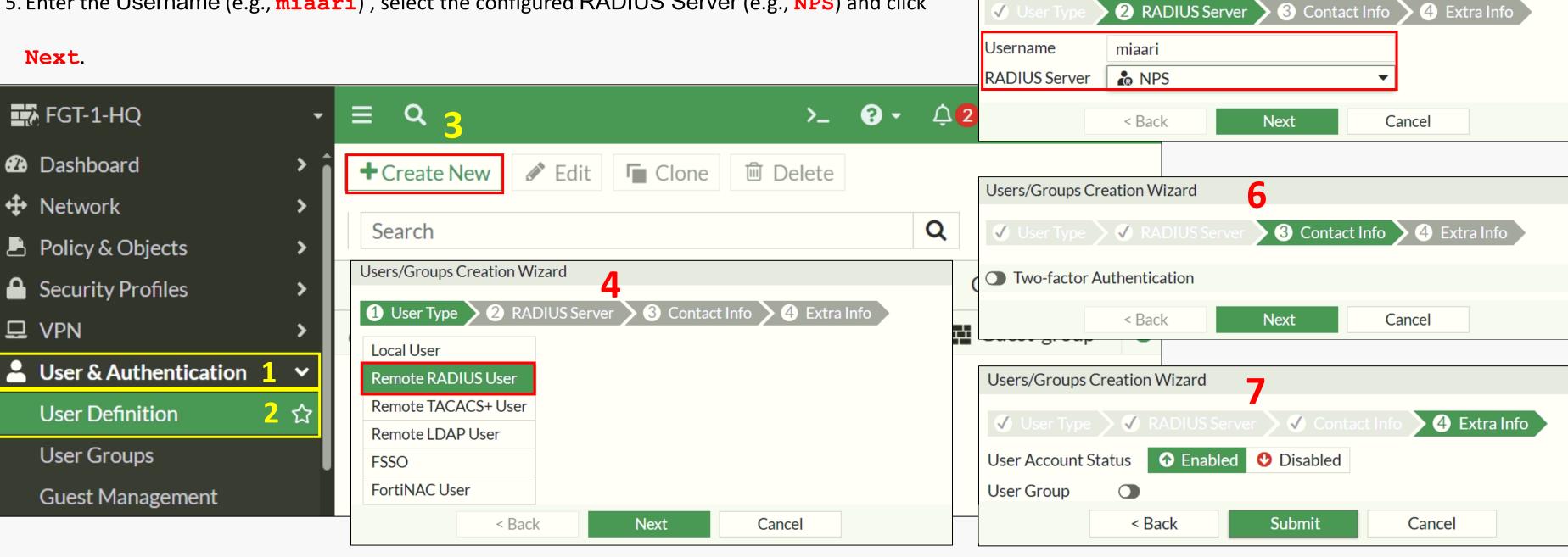


Creating Remote RADIUS User miaari in FortiGate for NPS Authentication

- 1. Navigate to **User & Authentication** from the FortiGate dashboard.
- 2. Click on User Definition.
- 3. Click Create New to start the user creation wizard.
- 4. Select **Remote RADIUS User** from the User Type options.
- 5. Enter the Username (e.g., miaari), select the configured RADIUS Server (e.g., NPS) and click

- (Optional) Configure Two-factor Authentication or leave it unchecked based on the requirement and click **Next**.
- 7. Set the User Account Status to Enabled and click Submit to create the Remote RADIUS User.

Users/Groups Creation Wizard

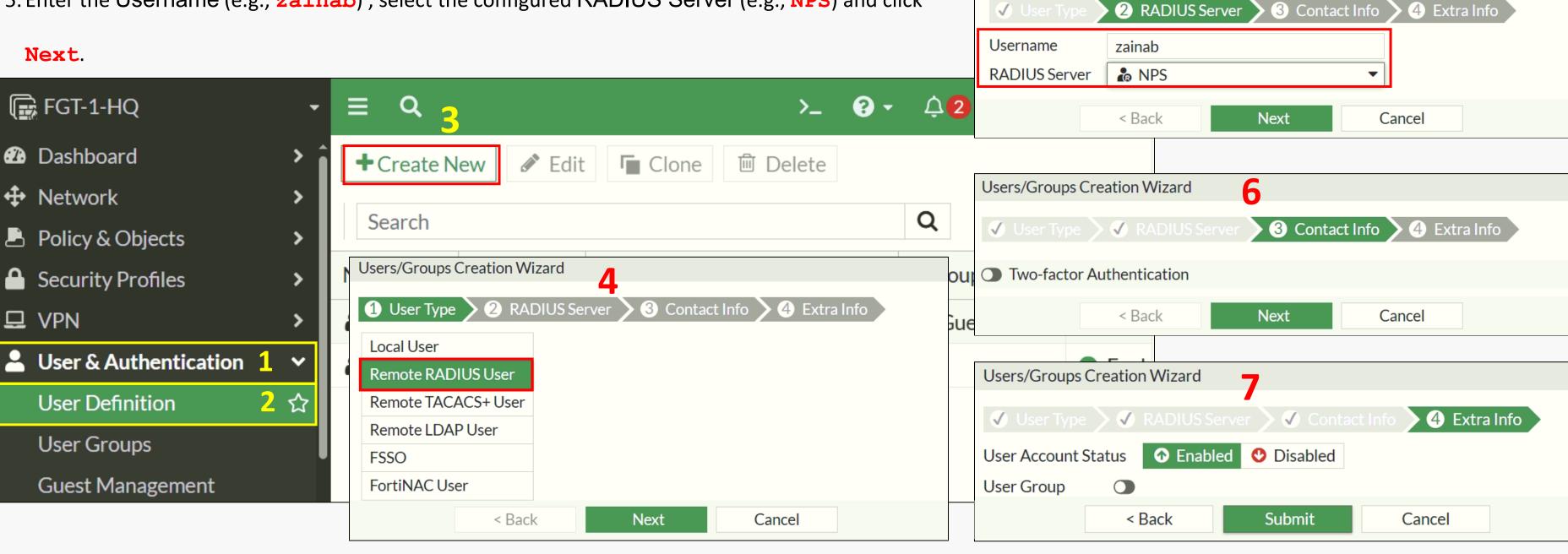


Creating Remote RADIUS User zainab in FortiGate for NPS Authentication

- 1. Navigate to **User & Authentication** from the FortiGate dashboard.
- 2. Click on User Definition.
- 3. Click Create New to start the user creation wizard.
- 4. Select **Remote RADIUS User** from the User Type options.
- 5. Enter the Username (e.g., zainab), select the configured RADIUS Server (e.g., NPS) and click

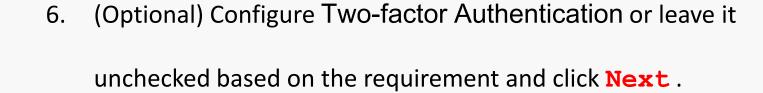
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Users/Groups Creation Wizard



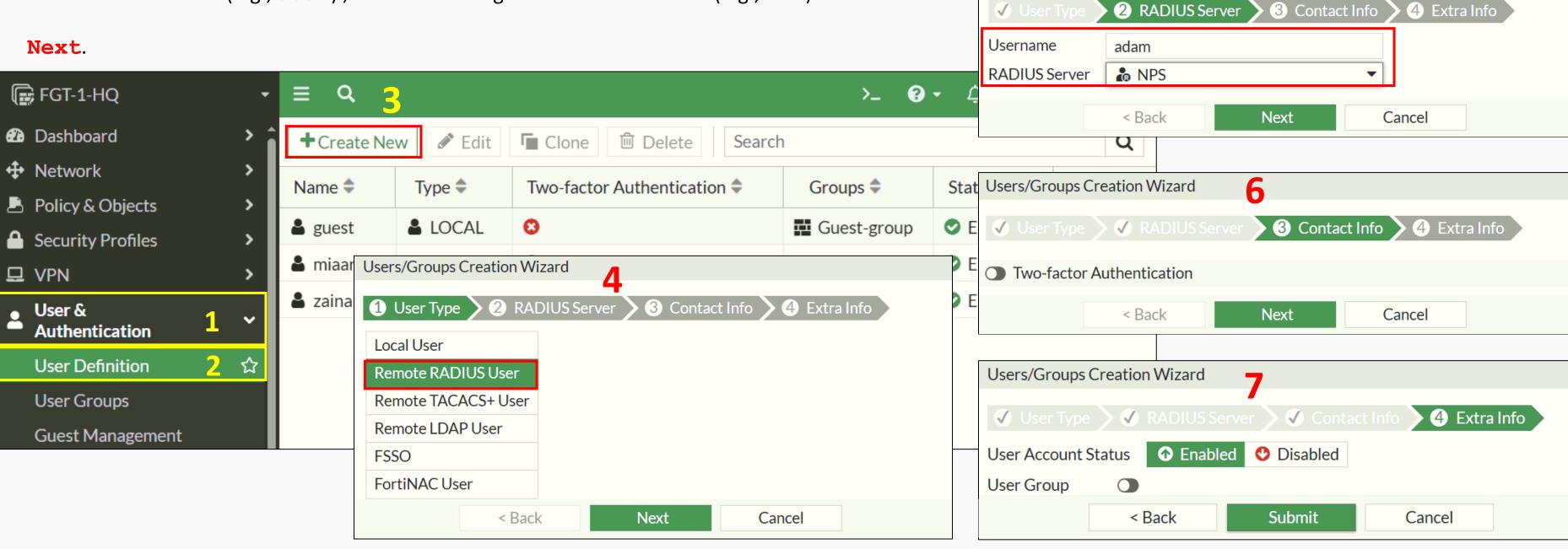
Creating Remote RADIUS User adam in FortiGate for NPS Authentication

- 1. Navigate to **User & Authentication** from the FortiGate dashboard.
- 2. Click on User Definition.
- 3. Click Create New to start the user creation wizard.
- 4. Select **Remote RADIUS User** from the User Type options.
- 5. Enter the Username (e.g., adam), select the configured RADIUS Server (e.g., NPS) and click



7. Set the User Account Status to Enabled and click **Submit** to create the Remote RADIUS User.

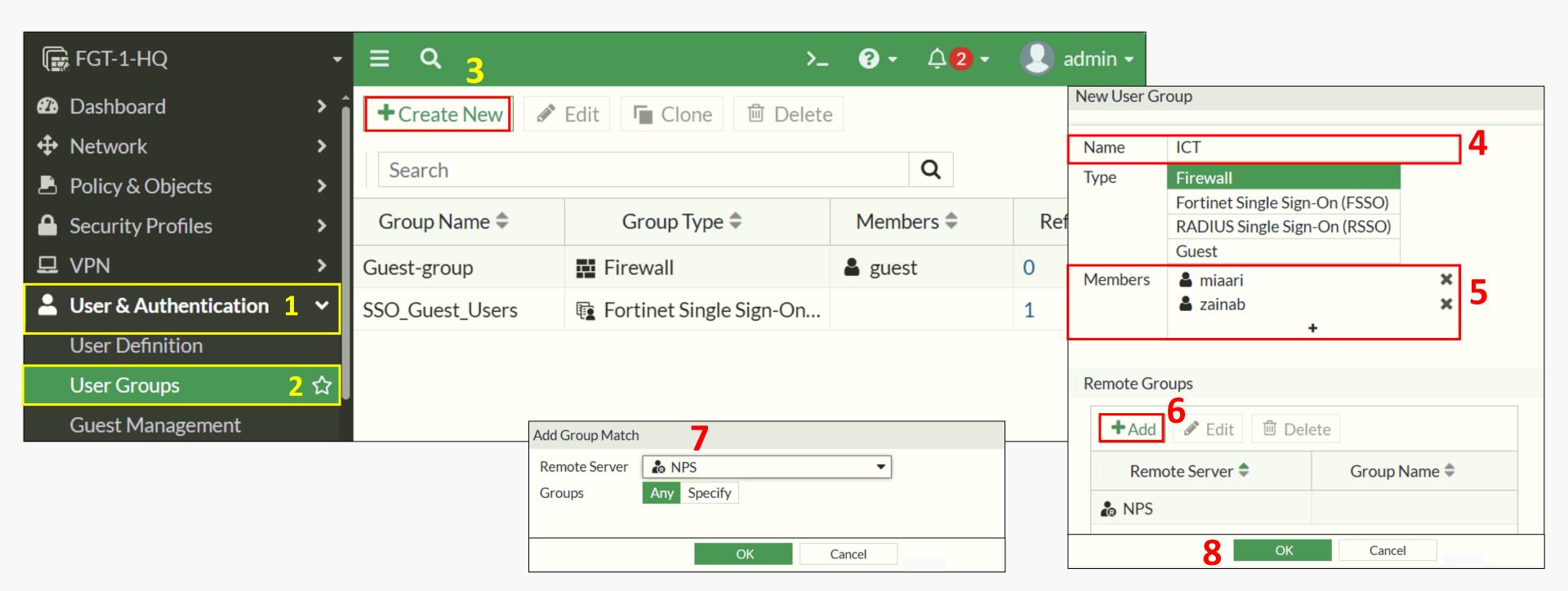
Users/Groups Creation Wizard



Creating User Group (ICT) in FortiGate for RADIUS Users

- 1. Navigate to **User & Authentication** from the FortiGate menu.
- 2. Click on **User Groups**.
- 3. Click **Create New** to add a new user group.
- 4. Enter the Group Name (e.g., **ICT**) and select Firewall as the Group Type.

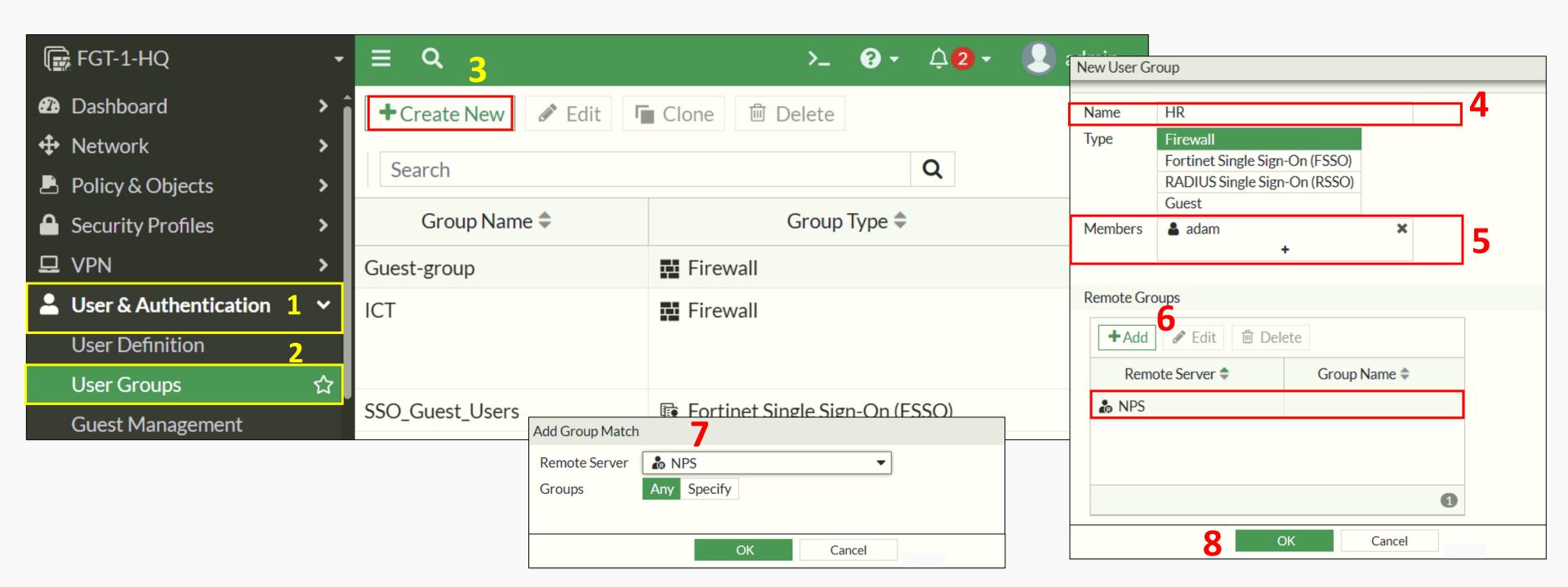
- 5. Add existing RADIUS users (e.g., miaari and zainab) as Members.
- Under Remote Groups, click Add to configure the RADIUS Server group mapping.
- 7. Choose the configured Remote Server (e.g., NPS) and select Any or Specify to match specific groups.
- 8. Click **OK** to save and create the User Group.



Creating User Group (HR) in FortiGate for RADIUS Users

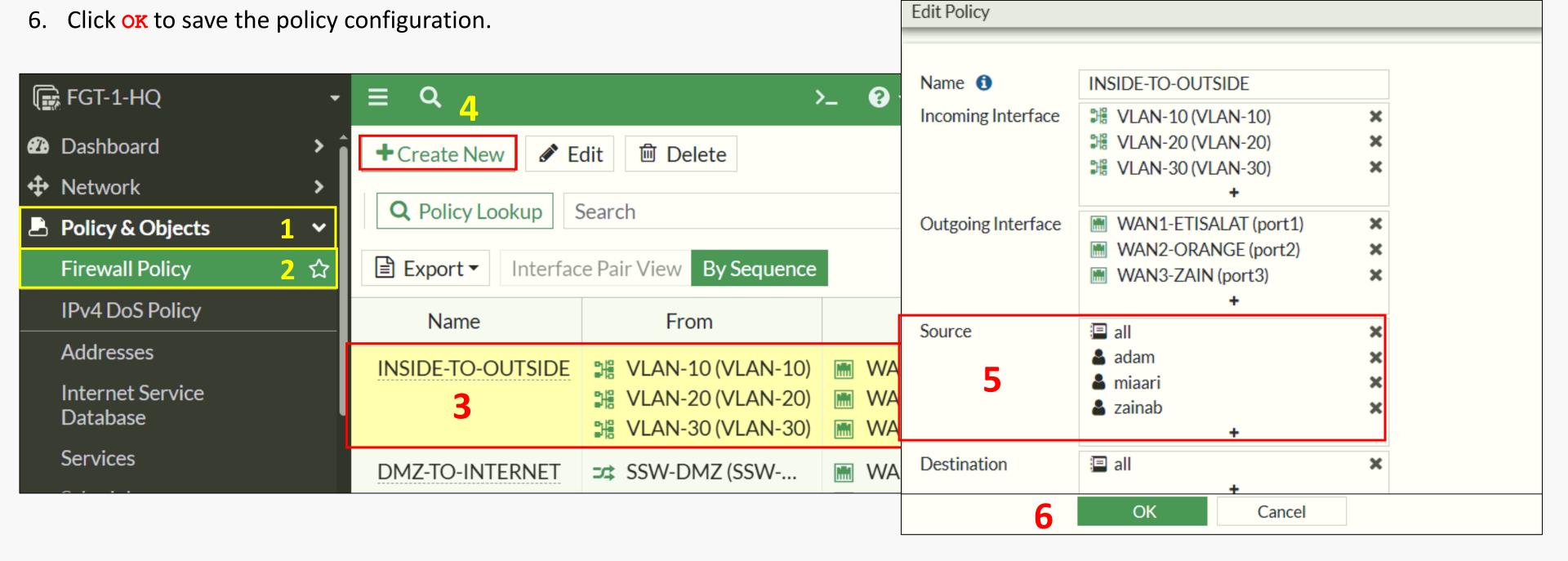
- 1. Navigate to **User & Authentication** from the FortiGate menu.
- 2. Click on **User Groups**.
- 3. Click **Create New** to add a new user group.
- 4. Enter the Group Name (e.g., HR) and select Firewall as the Group Type.

- 5. Add existing RADIUS users (e.g., adam) as Members.
- Under Remote Groups, click Add to configure the RADIUS Server group mapping.
- 7. Choose the configured Remote Server (e.g., NPS) and select Any or Specify to match specific groups.
- 8. Click **OK** to save and create the User Group.



Modify Firewall Policy INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE in FortiGate for RADIUS Users

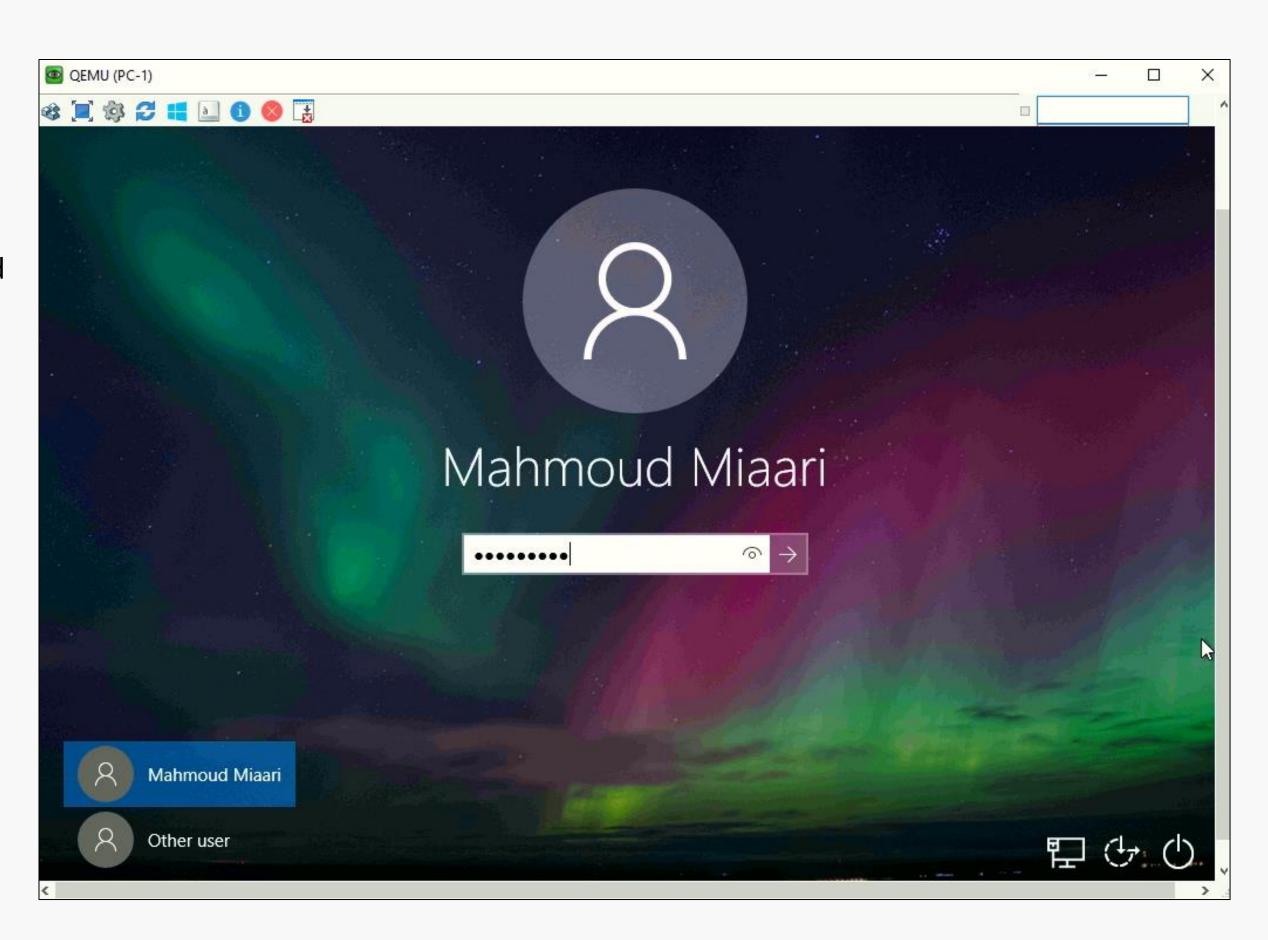
- 1. Navigate to Policy & Objects in the FortiGate menu.
- 2. Click on Firewall Policy from the submenu.
- 3. Select the existing policy **INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE** (or create a new one).
- 4. Click Create New to create a new policy or edit the existing one.
- 5. In the Source field, add the RADIUS Users (e.g., adam, miaari, zainab) and select all for the Destination.



User Authentication Login Verification via RADIUS Server (NPS)

User Login to PC

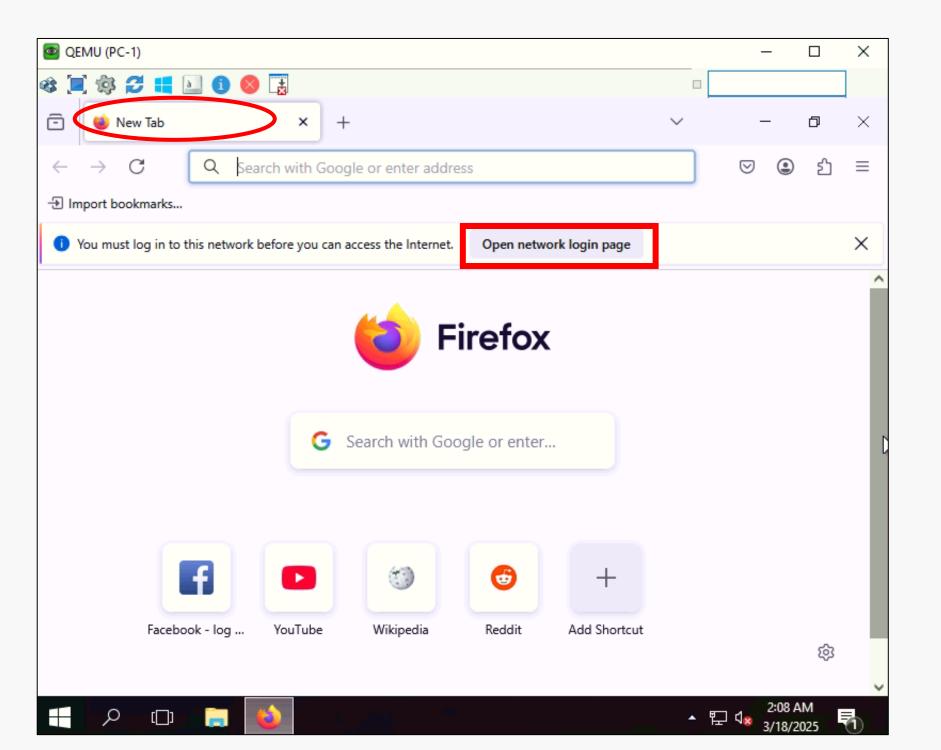
- The user Mahmoud Miaari eht sretne nigol swodniW eht no slatinederc niamod ercsen.
- Login is successful due to RADIUS server (NPS) authentication.



User Authentication Login Verification via RADIUS Server (NPS) Cont...

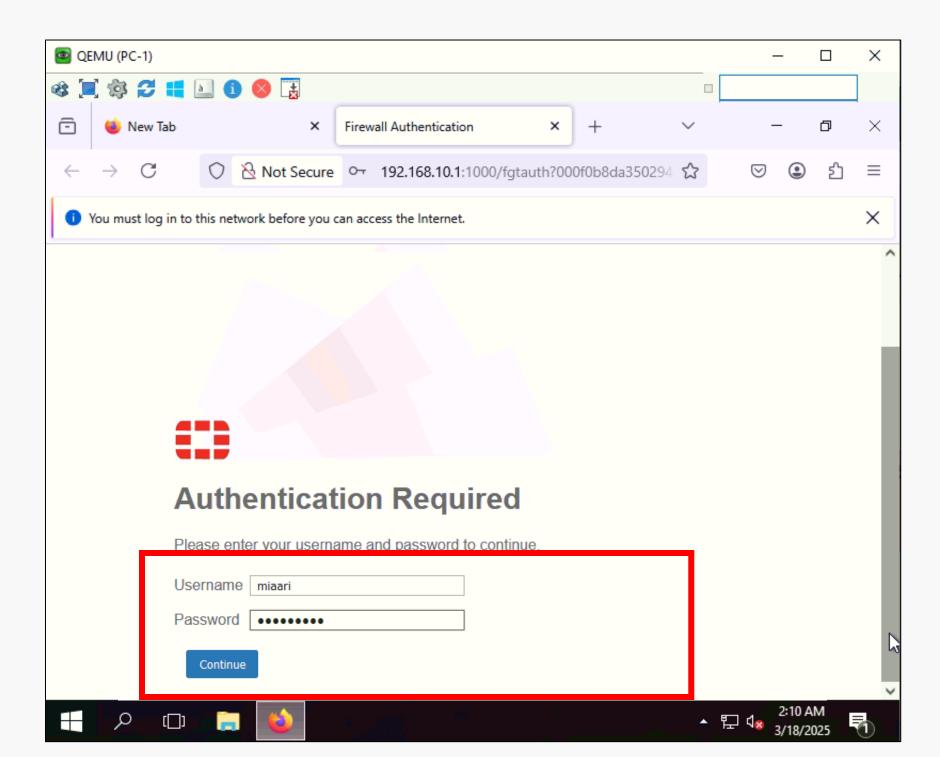
Open Browser for Internet Access

- Open Firefox browser.
- Notice the message: "You must log in to this network before you can access the Internet."
- Click on "Open network login page".



RADIUS Authentication Prompt

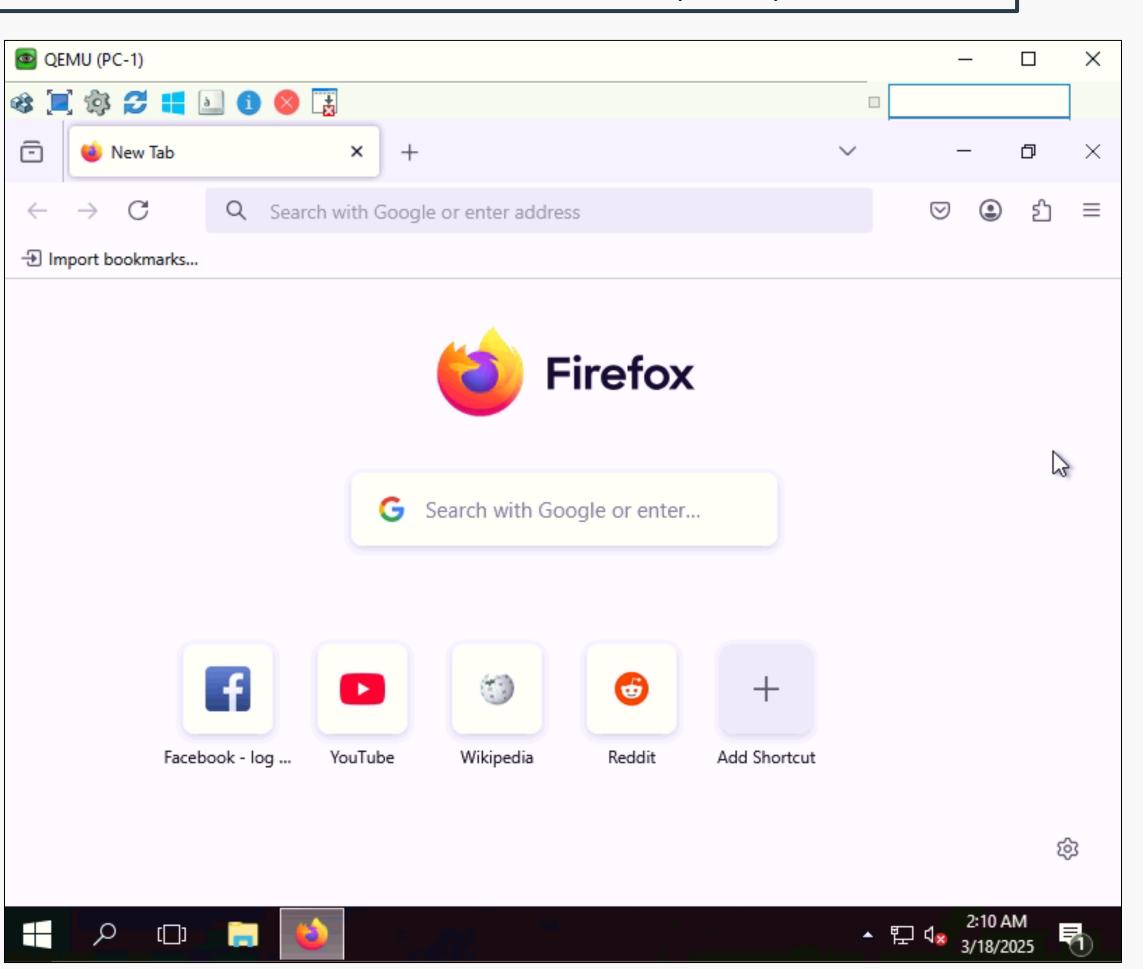
- The FortiGate firewall redirects to the captive portal authentication page.
- Enter the Username: miaari and Password.
- Click Continue.



User Authentication Login Verification via RADIUS Server (NPS) Cont...

Successful Internet Access

- . After successful authentication, the user gains internet access.
- The browser now opens and displays the default homepage without restrictions.



Testing RADIUS Server Authentication Using Diagnose Command in FortiGate

• This command output shows that user miaari was successfully authenticated against the RADIUS server (NPS) using mschap2 protocol.

```
FGT-1-HQ # diagnose test authserver radius NPS mschap2 miaari admin@123 authenticate 'miaari' against 'mschap2' succeeded, server=primary assigned_rad_session_id=387172569 session_t imeout=0 secs idle_timeout=0 secs!
```

Result:

Authentication succeeded — A session ID was assigned confirming that RADIUS server authentication is working properly for the user credentials provided.

Thank you.





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