AWS TASK:- To provide access to external users using JumpCloud as the Identity Provider (IdP) and AWS as the service provider you'll need to set up the necessary configurations both in JumpCloud and AWS IAM (Identity and Access Management). Below are the general steps you would follow:

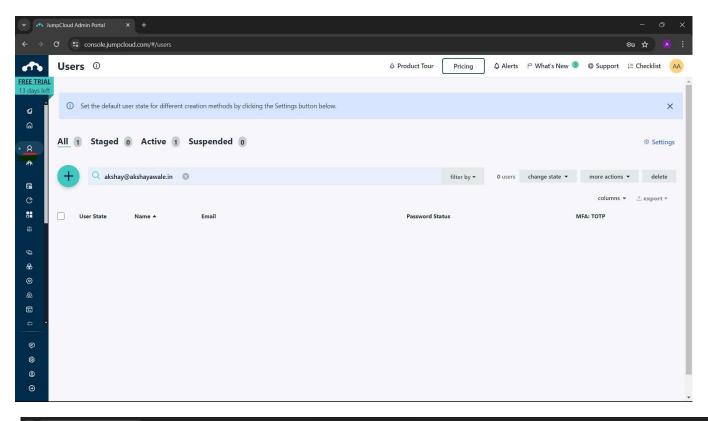
### **Setup in JumpCloud:**

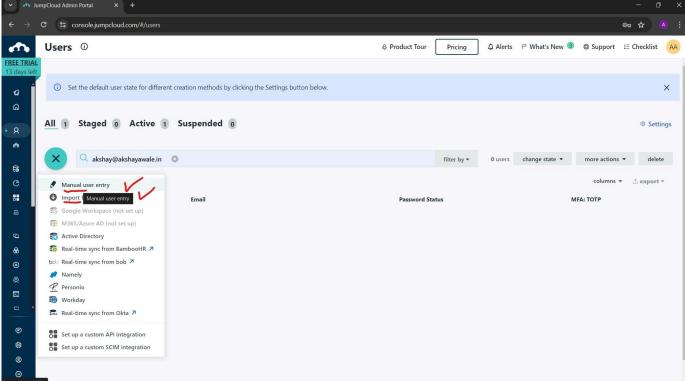
### Create a JumpCloud Directory:

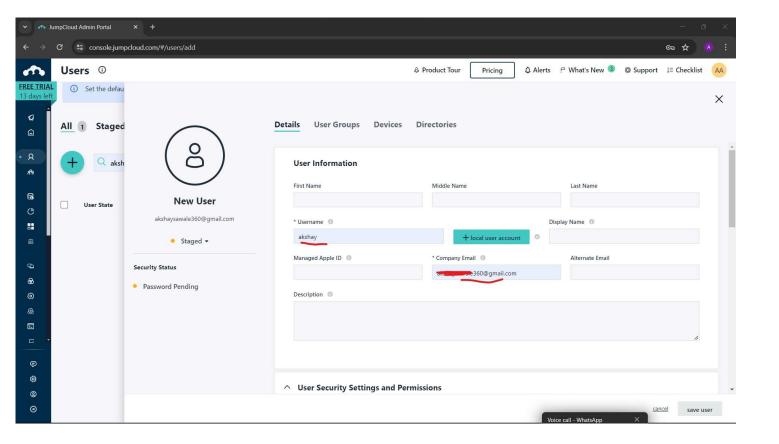
If you haven't already, create a JumpCloud Directory where you'll manage your users.

### Add External Users to JumpCloud:

Invite and add external users to your JumpCloud directory.





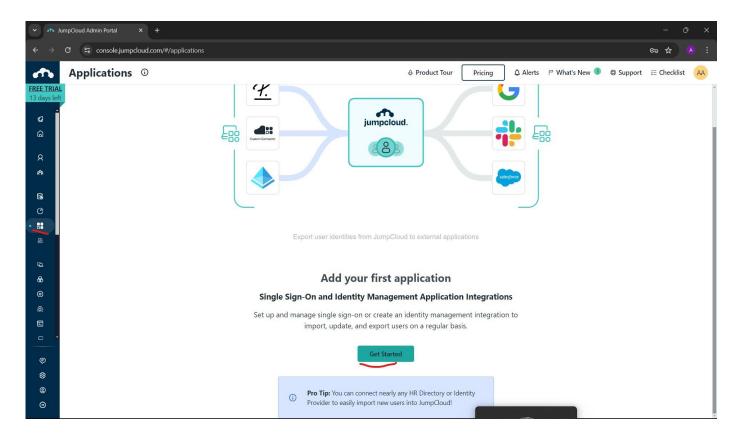


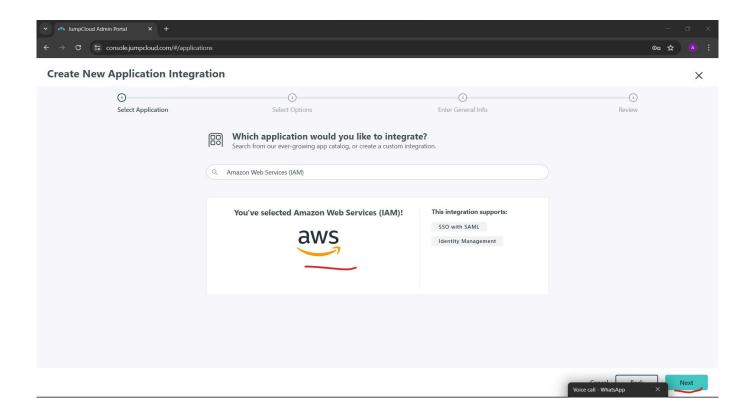
# **Configure SAML Application:**

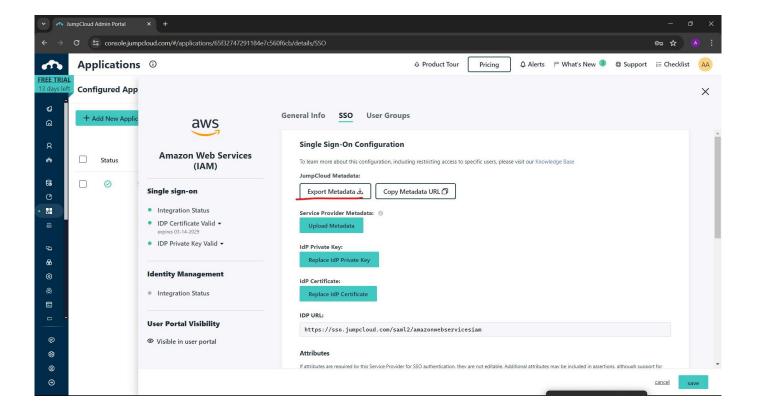
- Log in to JumpCloud Admin Console.
  Go to Applications > SAML > Export
  Metadata Click on the "New
  Application" button.
- Choose AWS as the application.
- Configure the necessary settings, such as ACS URL, Entity ID, and Attribute Statements.
- Save the configuration.

# **Assign Users to the AWS Application:**

- Go back to Applications > SAML.
- Select the AWS application.
- Assign the external users you want to grant access to.







#### **Setup in AWS IAM:**

#### **Create an IAM Role:**

- Log in to the AWS Management Console.
- Go to IAM.
- Create a new IAM role for SAML 2.0 federation.
- Upload Metadata you downloaded
- Define the trust relationship to include JumpCloud as the trusted entity.

### **Configure the Role's Permissions:**

• Define the permissions that external users will have when assuming this role. This could involve attaching policies or creating custom policies that define the permissions users will have.

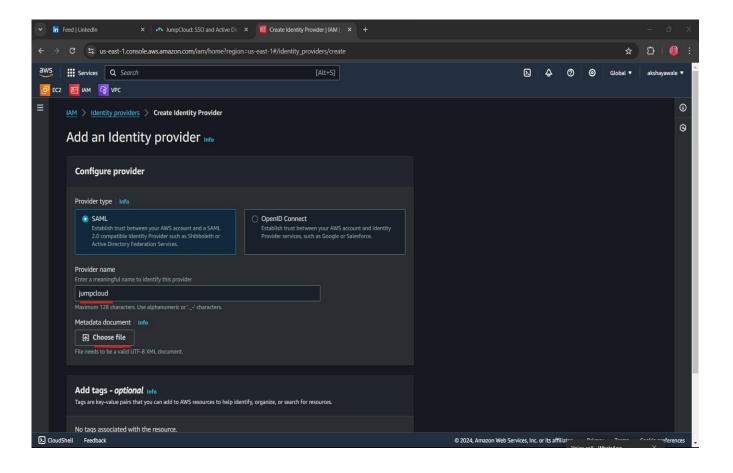
# **Configure Attribute Mapping:**

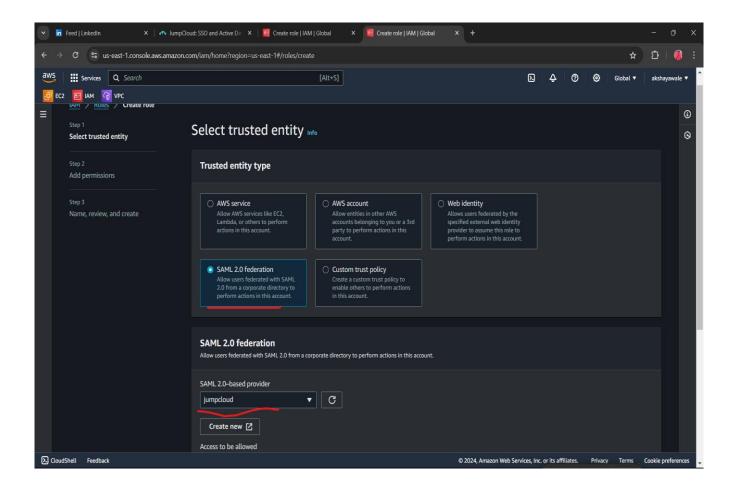
- Map the SAML attributes sent by JumpCloud to the corresponding IAM role attributes.
- For example, you might map the NameID or email attribute to the AWS:username or AWS:email role attribute.

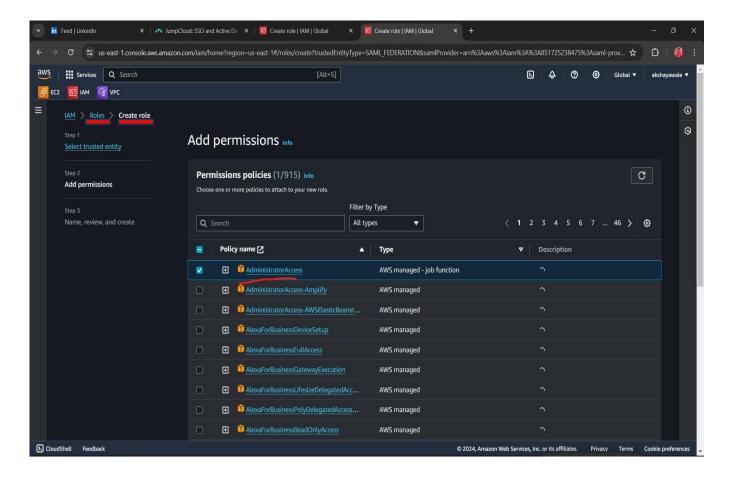
# **Provide the ARN of the IAM Role to JumpCloud:**

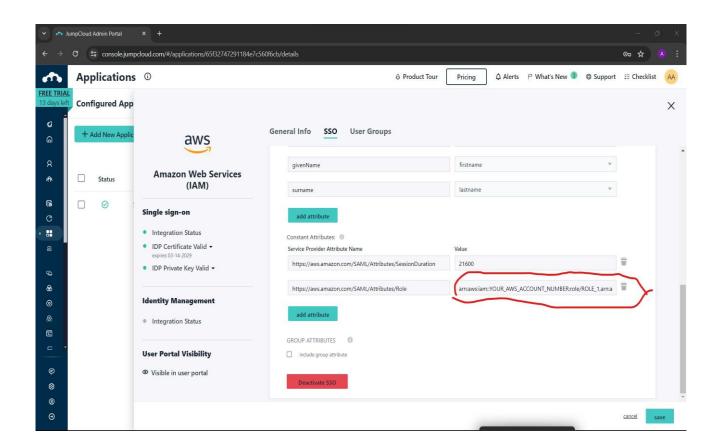
The arn format should be :- <>,IdentityProviderArn,RoleArn<>

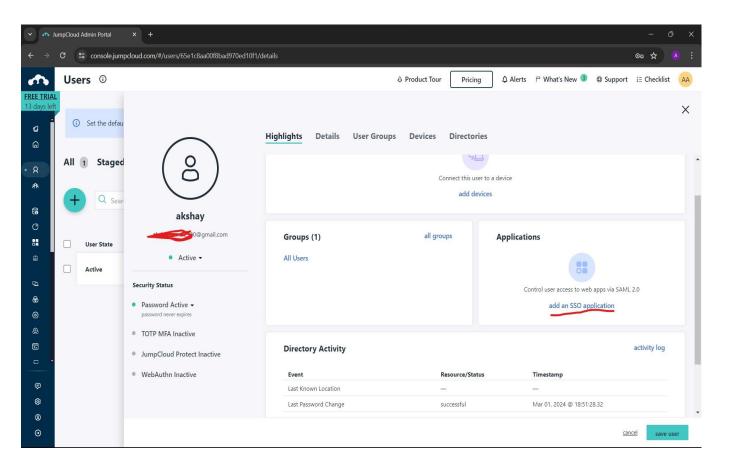
- After creating the IAM role, copy its ARN (Amazon Resource Name).
- Go back to JumpCloud's AWS SAML configuration.
- Paste the ARN into the appropriate field.

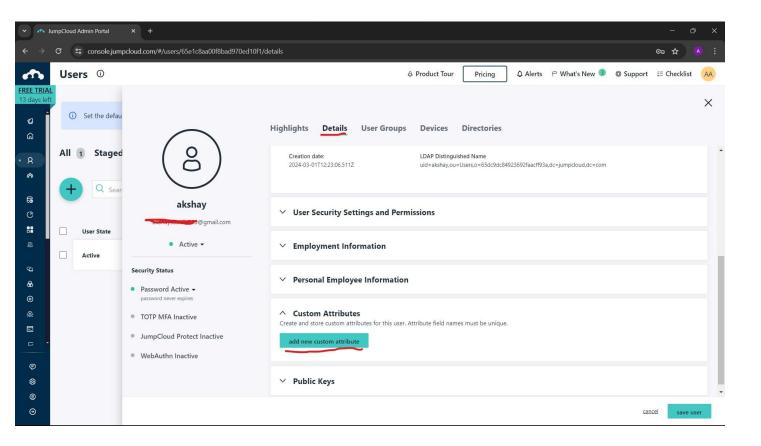


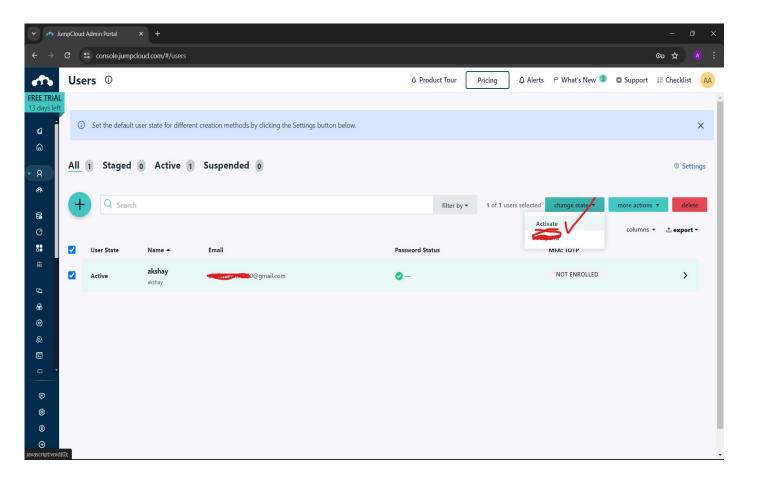


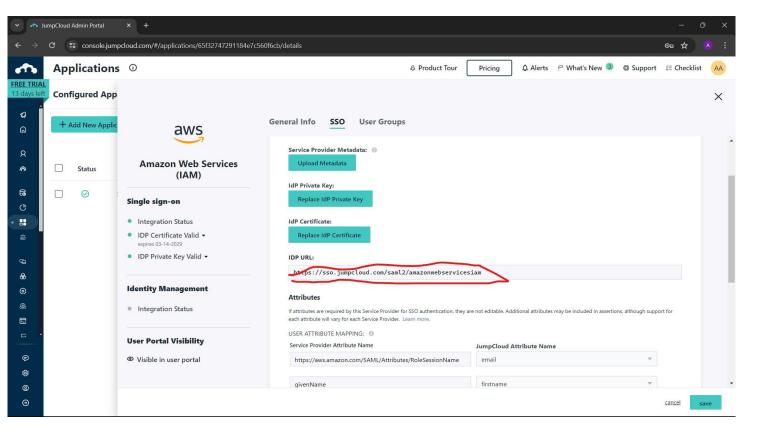












# **Testing:**

#### **Test Access to Resources:**

- After successful authentication, ensure that users have the appropriate permissions within AWS based on the IAM role assigned to them.
- Go to application and go to sso now you will get idp url copy and paste it in the browser
- Use the user credentials and login
- Click on application and now you will be redirected to aws console

By following these steps, you should be able to set up access for external users to AWS using JumpCloud as the Identity Provider and AWS IAM roles for access control. Remember to follow best practices for security and regularly review and update your configurations as needed.

