

## ISE Active Directory Integration:

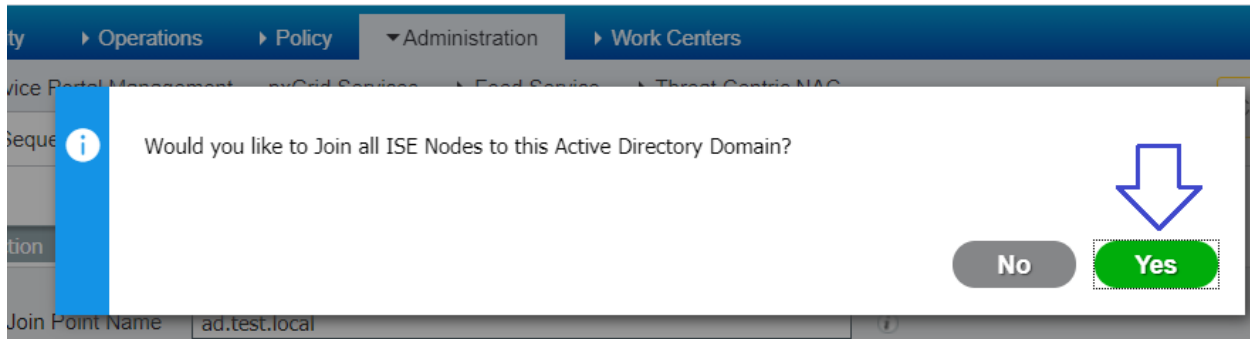
Navigate to **Administration > Identity Management > External Identity Sources > Active Directory** and click on **Add**

The screenshot shows the Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) Administration console. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Context Visibility', 'Operations', 'Policy', 'Administration', and 'Work Center'. The 'Administration' menu is expanded, showing 'System', 'Identity Management', 'Network Resources', 'Device Portal Management', 'pxGrid Services', 'Feed Service', and 'Threat'. The 'Identity Management' menu is further expanded, showing 'Identities', 'Groups', 'External Identity Sources', 'Identity Source Sequences', and 'Settings'. The 'External Identity Sources' menu is selected, displaying a list of sources: 'Certificate Authentication Profile', 'Active Directory', 'LDAP', 'ODBC', 'RADIUS Token', 'RSA SecurID', 'SAML Id Providers', and 'Social Login'. The 'Active Directory' source is highlighted. On the right, the 'Active Directory' configuration page is shown, with the 'Add' button highlighted. The 'Join Point Name' field is set to 'Active Directory Domain'.

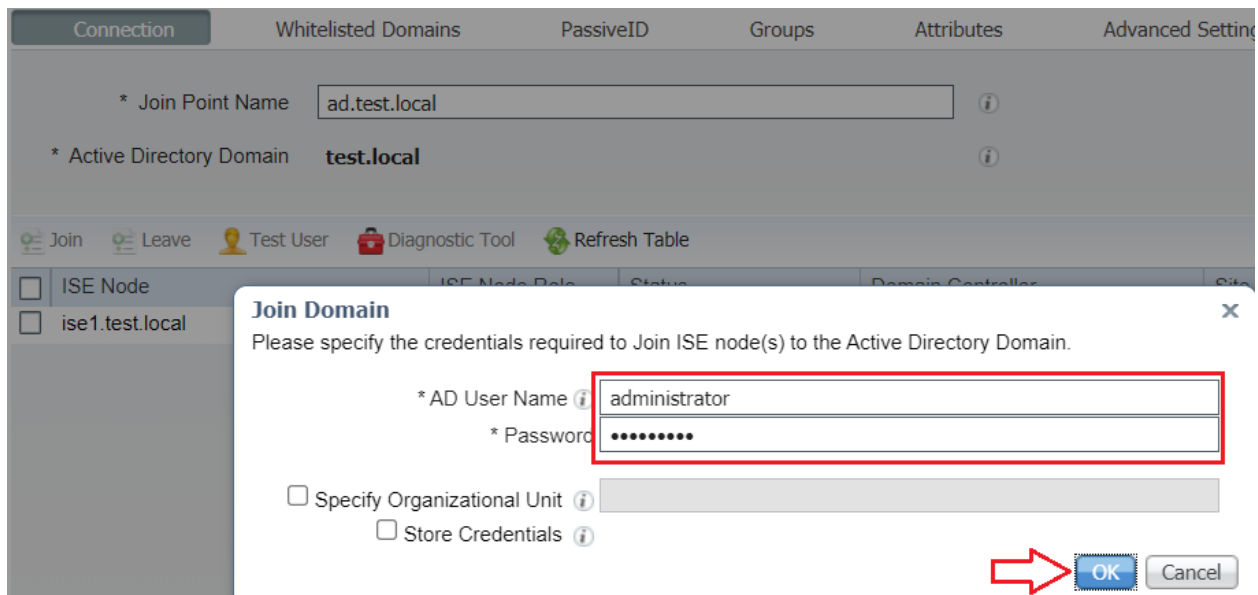
Enter domain name in **Active Directory Domain** boxes and **Join Point Name** anything you like click the **Submit** button.

The screenshot shows the 'Active Directory' configuration page in the Cisco ISE Administration console. The 'Join Point Name' field is set to 'ad.test.local' and the 'Active Directory Domain' field is set to 'test.local'. The 'Submit' button is highlighted.

A pop-up appears asking if you want to join the newly created join point to the domain. Click **Yes**. If you want to join immediately. If you clicked **No**, then saving the configuration saves the Active Directory domain configuration globally, but none of the Cisco ISE nodes are joined to the domain yet.



Enter **Active Directory username & password** from Join Domain dialog box that opens. Click **OK**.

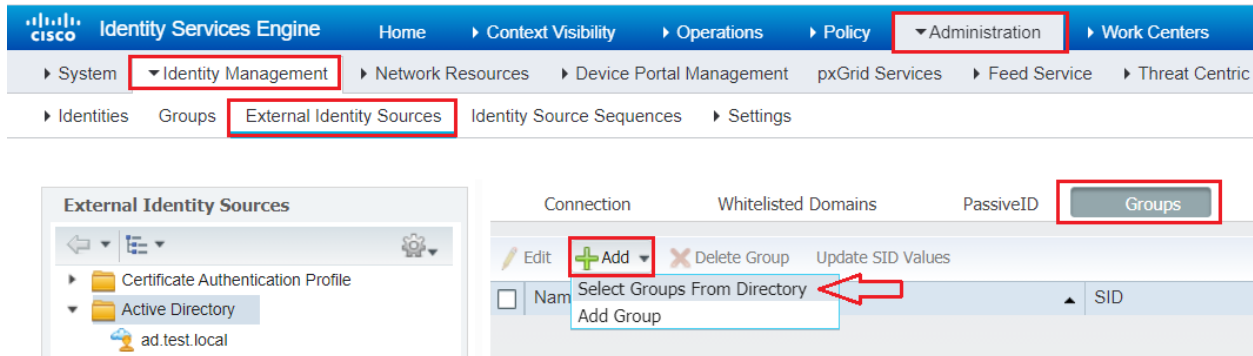


Now the status of Join Point change to **Operational** and list of Domain Controller.

Connection					
Whitelisted Domains					
PassiveID					
Groups					
Attributes					
Advanced Settings					
* Join Point Name <input type="text" value="ad.test.local"/>					
* Active Directory Domain <b>test.local</b>					
<input type="button" value="Join"/> <input type="button" value="Leave"/> <input type="button" value="Test User"/> <input type="button" value="Diagnostic Tool"/> <input type="button" value="Refresh Table"/>					
<input type="checkbox"/> ISE Node	ISE Node Role	Status	Domain Controller	Site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ise1.test.local	STANDALONE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Operational	srv.test.local	Default-First-Site-Name	

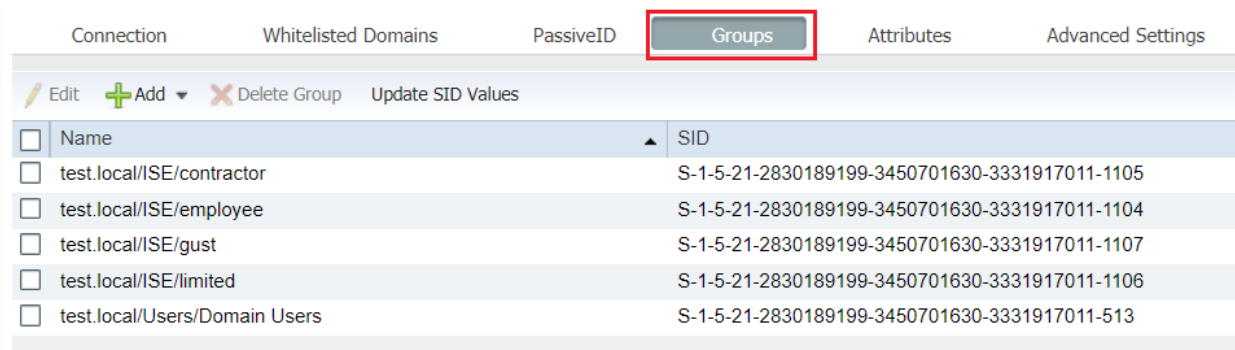
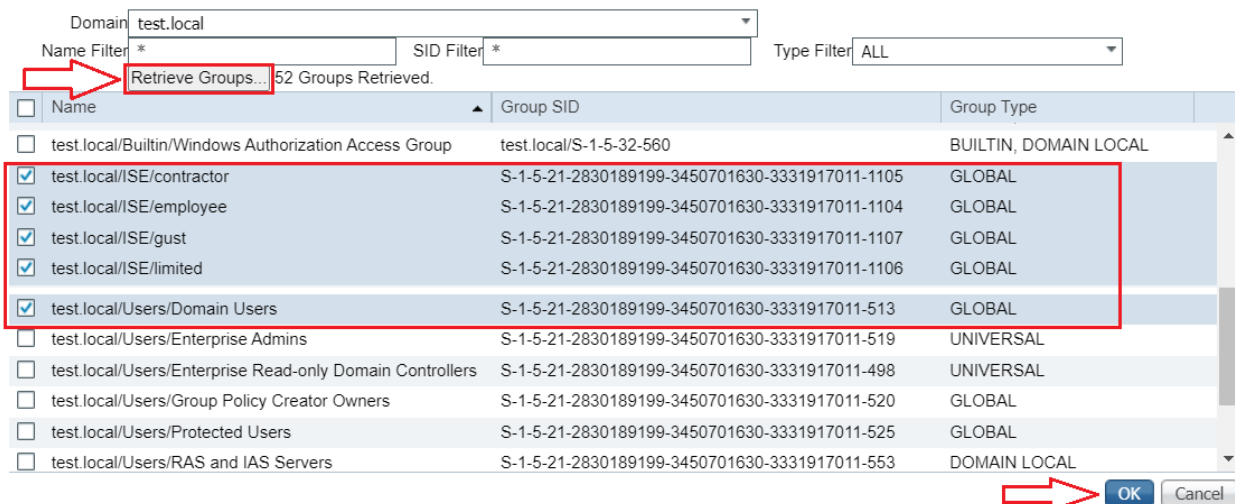
## Add Groups:

Configure Active Directory user groups to be available for use in authorization policies. After ISE is joined to domain, Choose **Administration > Identity Management > External Identity Sources > Active Directory**. Click the **Groups** Tab. Click on **Add** and then **Select Groups from Directory**. This is where we add Active Directory groups to ISE for future use.



Used an asterisk to pull up all my AD groups: Check the check boxes next to the groups that you want to be available for use in authorization policies and click **OK**.

This dialog is used to select groups from the Directory.



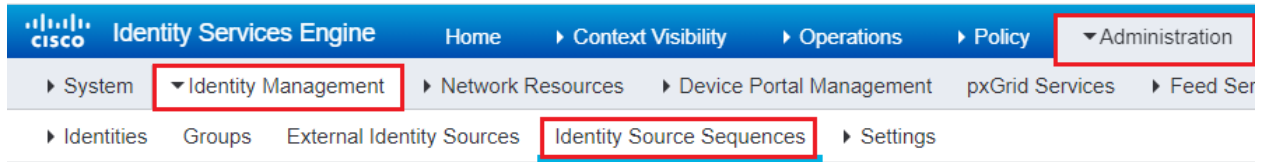
## Option Settings:

In the same window click the **Advanced** Settings tab and select the **Search in all the Whitelisted Domains** section radio button. This is optional but you will be able to log into your networking devices without having to specify the entire FQDN. Click **Save** button.

Connection	Whitelisted Domains	PassiveID	Groups	Attributes	Advanced Settings
<b>Advanced Authentication Settings</b>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Password Change					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Machine Authentication					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Machine Access Restrictions <small>To configure MAR Cache distribution groups: <a href="#">i</a></small>					
Aging Time <input type="text" value="5"/> (hours) <small><a href="#">i</a></small> <a href="#">Administration &gt; System &gt; Deployment</a>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Enable dial-in check					
<input type="checkbox"/> Enable callback check for dial-in clients					
<input type="checkbox"/> Use Kerberos for Plain Text Authentications.					
<b>Identity Resolution</b>					
Advanced control of user search and authentication.					
If identity does not include the AD domain <small><a href="#">i</a></small>					
<input type="radio"/> Reject the request					
<input type="radio"/> Only search in the 'Whitelisted Domains' from the joined forest <small><a href="#">i</a></small>					
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Search in all the 'Whitelisted Domains' section <small><a href="#">i</a></small>					
If some of the domains are unreachable					
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Proceed with available domains					
<input type="radio"/> Drop the request					
<b>Identity Rewrite</b>					
Changes the format of usernames before they are passed to active directory.					
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Do not apply Rewrite Rules to modify username					
<input type="radio"/> Apply the Rewrite Rules Below to modify username					
<b>PassiveID Settings</b>					
<input type="button" value="Save"/> <input type="button" value="Reset"/>					

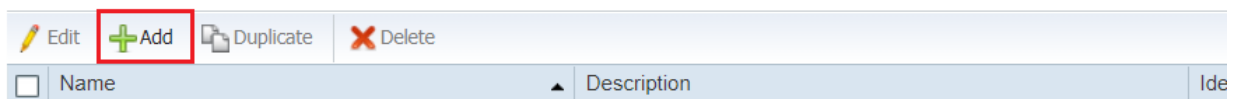
## Create Identity Source Sequence:

The next step is to create & Identity Source Sequence. This will tell ISE what order of databases to search for a user account when authenticating to a device. Navigate to **Administration -> Identity Management -> Identity Source Sequences -> Add**.



### Identity Source Sequences

For Policy Export go to [Administration > System > Backup & Restore > Policy Export Page](#)



Give Identity Source Sequence a **Name**. Move your domain and the Internal Users group over to Selected from Available. Select the “**Treat as if the user was not found**” radio button.

#### Identity Source Sequence

\* Name

Description

#### Certificate Based Authentication

☐ Select Certificate Authentication Profile

#### Authentication Search List

A set of identity sources that will be accessed in sequence until first authentication succeeds

Available

Internal Endpoints  
Guest Users  
All\_AD\_Join\_Points

Selected

ad.test.local  
Internal Users

#### Advanced Search List Settings

If a selected identity store cannot be accessed for authentication

- ☐ Do not access other stores in the sequence and set the "AuthenticationStatus" attribute to "ProcessError"
- ☒ Treat as if the user was not found and proceed to the next store in the sequence

