

# Authentication & Authorization systems developed for CTA

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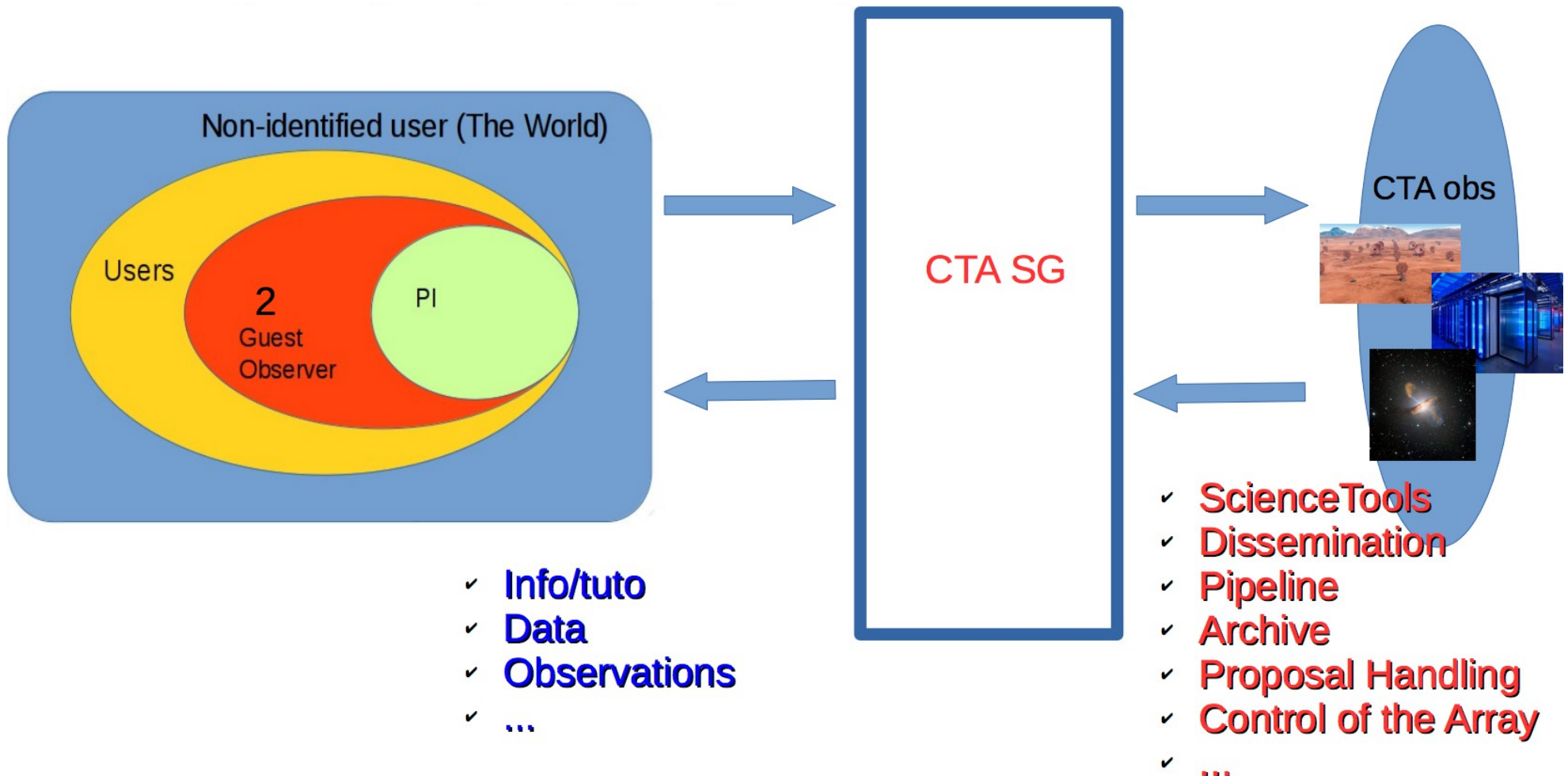
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# Context: the CTA Science Gateway

➡ The contact point for the world to CTA



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# CTA Gateway working group

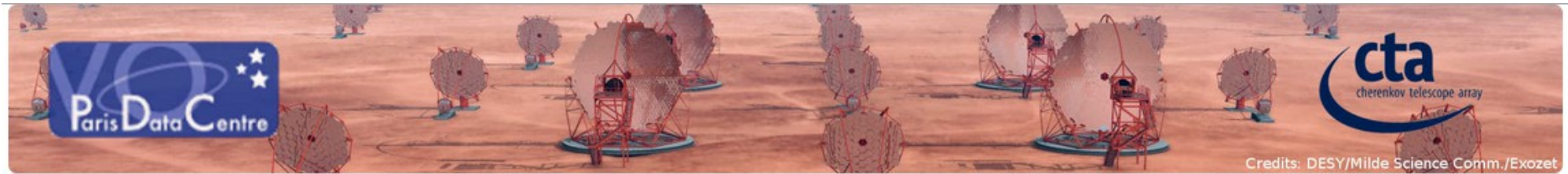
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# CTA Data Distiller

<http://voparis-cta-client.obspm.fr>



CTA Data Distiller

🔍 Search Form

⚙️ Job List

✕ Sign out user

☒ Cone Search

Target Name

Crab Nebula

Used to query Simbad with Sesame and set RA/Dec.

Source RA (deg)

83.633

Source Dec (deg)

22.514

Search radius (deg)

0.001

Submit

Reset

- ◆ Django, jQuery, Bootstrap3
- ◆ **Name resolver**
- ◆ Simbad through Sesame
- ◆ Builds and Sends the **ADQL query**

▼ ObsCore Search

proposal\_id

Proposal ID

dataprodut\_type

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Data product (file content) primary type

dataprodut\_level

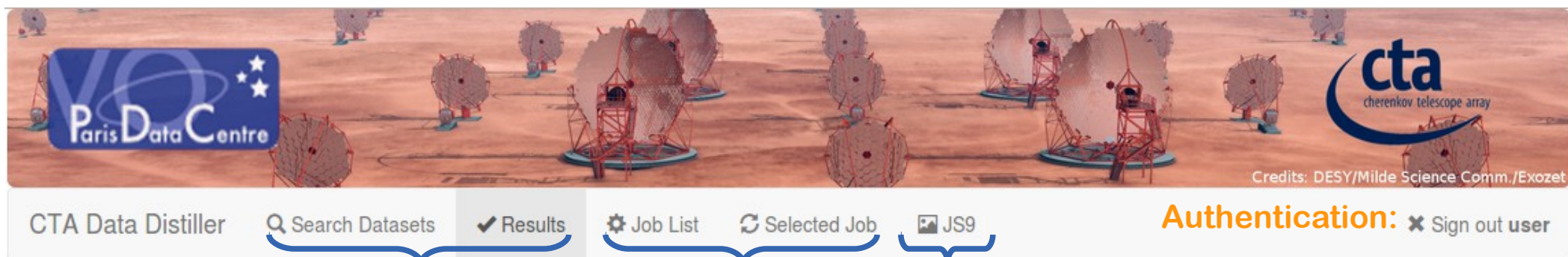
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The header features a banner with the Paris Data Centre logo, a background image of CTA radio telescopes, and the CTA logo. Below the banner is a navigation bar with tabs: 'CTA Data Distiller', 'Search Datasets', 'Results' (active), 'Job List', 'Selected Job', and 'JS9'. To the right is an 'Authentication' section with a 'Sign out user' link. Brackets below the tabs group them into 'Search', 'Analyse', and 'Visualisation'.

Results [show/hide query](#)

**ADQL query**

```
SELECT * FROM cta.vo_obscore as o WHERE 1 = intersects(o.s_region, circle('ICRS', 83.63308333, 22.0145, 0.001))
```

**ObsCore fields**

**SAMP**

Interop (SAMP)

[Send Result Table](#)

[Send Selected Data](#)


Analysis tools

[Create Count Map\(s\)](#)

[Extract Spectrum](#)

Plotting tools

 TOPCAT

 Aladin

 VOSpec

 SPLAT

**UWS**

	dataprodukt_type	obs_collection	obs_id	target_name	s_ra (deg)	s_dec (deg)
<input type="checkbox"/>	eventlist	1	23592	Crab Nebula	82.01333618164062	22.01444435119629
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Showing 1 to 5 of 10 rows [5](#) records per page

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# Gateway meetings

- ◆ Last meeting in Meudon (Dec. 2015)
- ◆ Open session for ASTERICS members
- ◆ Technology choices
- ◆ Prototypes

Open session: (through Renater Rendez-Vous, 1

09:20 **CTA Gateway work package 20'**

Speaker: Dr. David Sanchez (LAPP)

Material: **Transparents** 

09:40 **Requirements and Use Cases 20'**

Speaker: Mrs. Nadine Neyroud (LAPP/IN2P3/CN

Material: **Slides** 

10:00 **Current prototype status and Unity IDM 2**

\* Top menu bar

\* Message bus

\* A&A

Speakers: Dr. Hubert Siejkowski (ACC Cyfronet  
Joanna Kocot (ACC Cyfronet AGH)

Material: **Slides**   **text** 

10:20 **Grouper/Shibboleth prototype 20'**

Speaker: Dr. Alessandro Costa (INAF)

Material: **Slides**  

11:00 **SKA A&A system (ASTERICS project conn**

by Cristina Knapic

Material: **Transparents** 

11:20 **A&A in the Virtual Observatory (ASTERIC**

by Marco Molinaro

Material: **Transparents** 

11:40 **Discussions 50'**

# Gateway common integration rules

- ◆ **Top Menu Bar** for all applications

- ◆ **A common HTML code** should appear on all Gateway services, accessible through e.g. a single URL or using proxys
- ◆ **A common style**: Bootstrap3 fixed navbar, which is the library already used by the Distiller
- ◆ *Tested for the Data Distiller:*

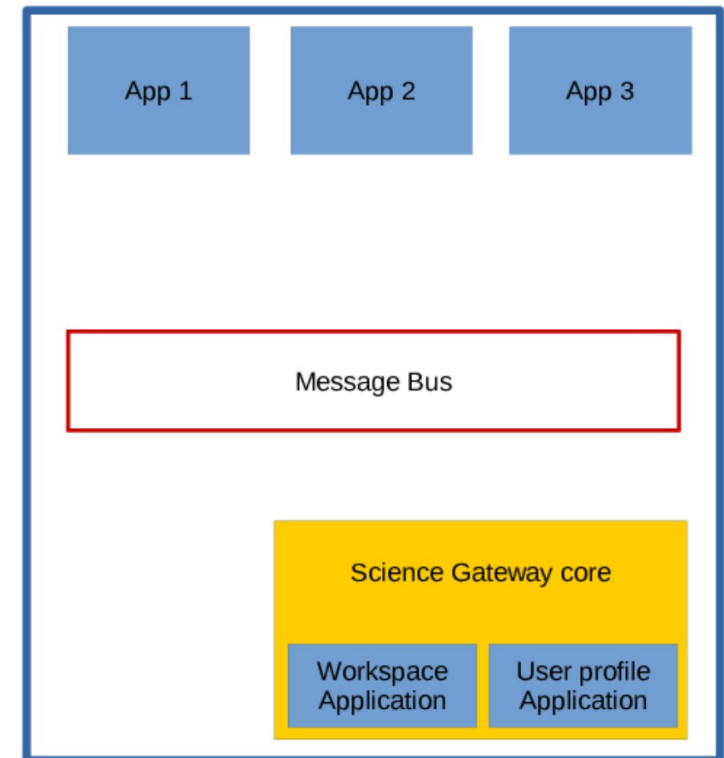
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- ◆ A common **message bus**

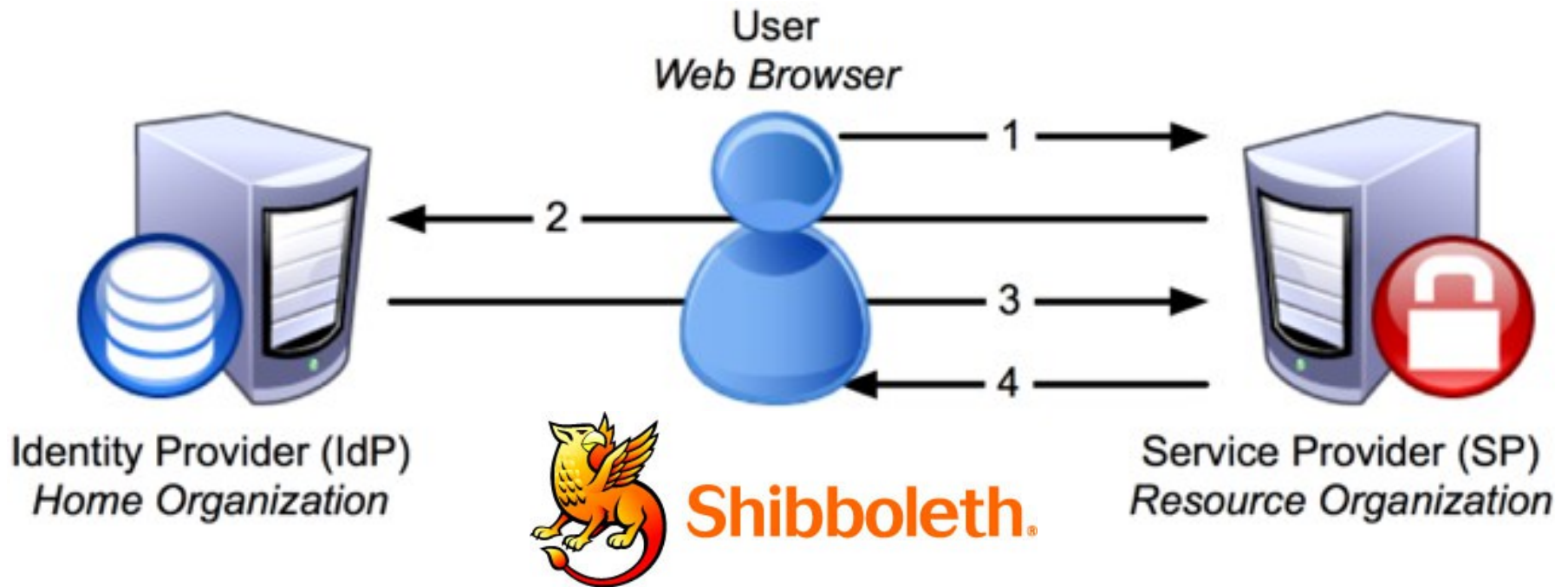
- ◆ RabbitMQ + ProtoBuf

- ◆ **Centralized A&A prototypes**

- ◆ **Unity**  
<http://www.unity-idm.eu/>
- ◆ **Grouper**  
<http://www.internet2.edu/products-services/trust-identity-middleware/grouper/>
- ◆ *Being tested with Django plugins*



# Single Sign-On with Identity Federations

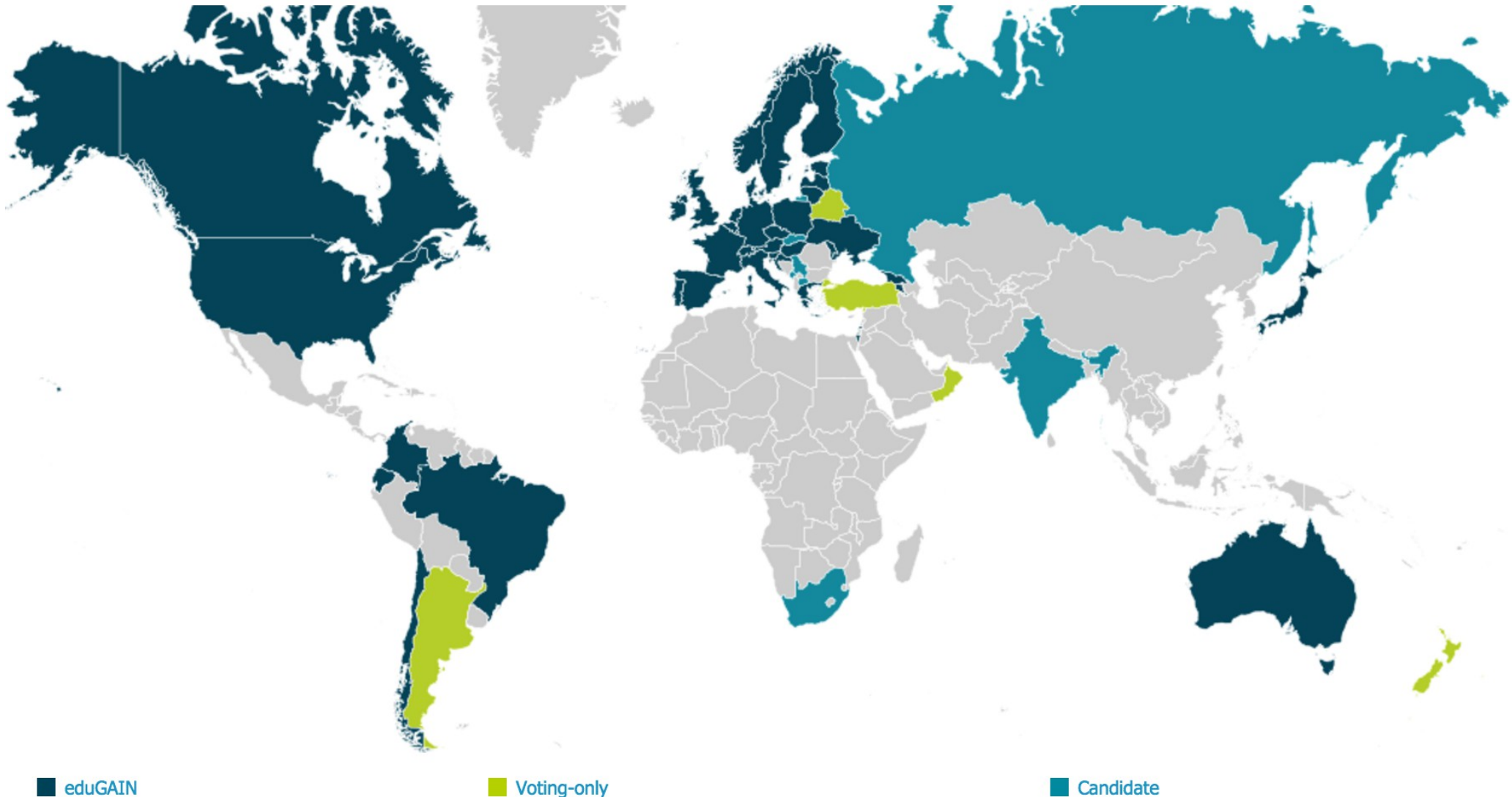


- ◆ **Shibboleth 2** = implementation of SAML2 for **SSO Authentication**
- ◆ **eduGAIN** : Identity Federation (RENATER, ...)
  - ◆ *Tested using Apache2 / mod\_shib + mod\_ssl + django-shibboleth-remoteuser*
  - ◆ Dedicated to **research community**
  - ◆ Dedicated to **web authentication**
  - ◆ **WAYF** (Where Are You From): additional step to locate your IdP
  - ◆ Need to **register** the service in eduGAIN (with a x509 certificate)

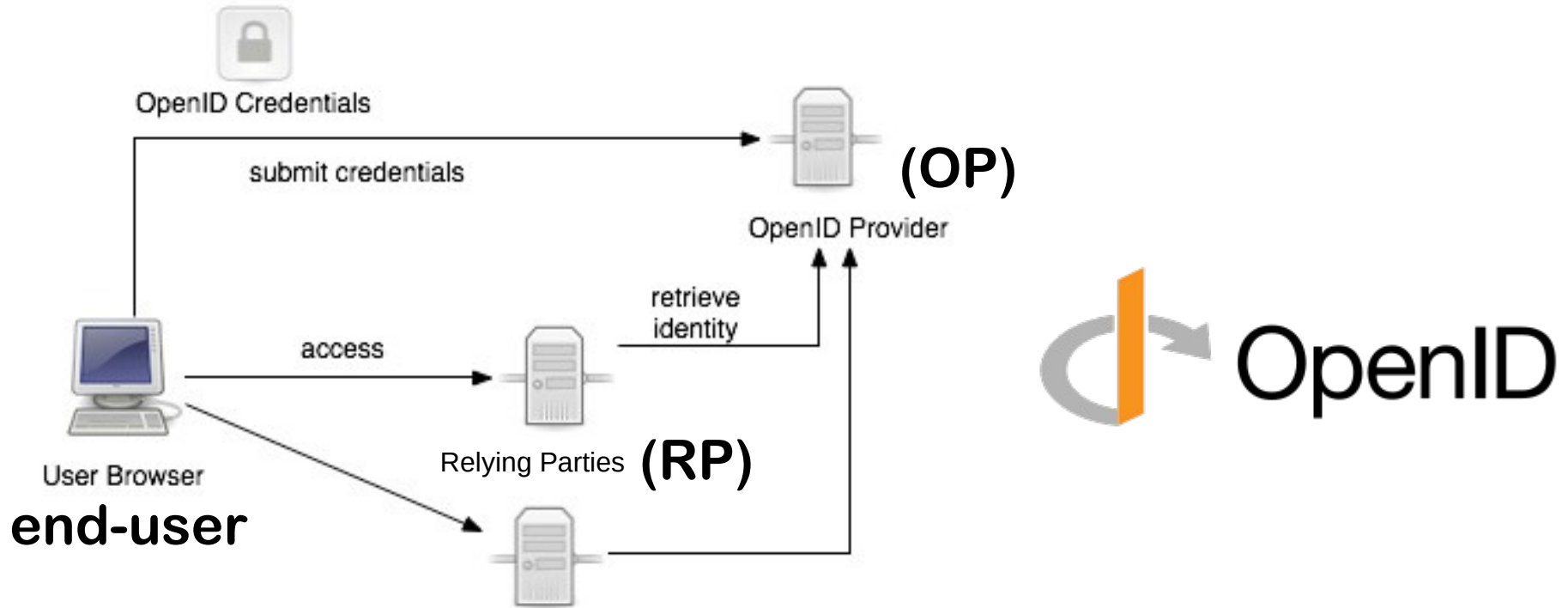


# eduGAIN status

<https://technical.edugain.org/status.php>



# Social Networks: OAuth and OpenID



- ◆ **OpenID** is a way to use a single set of user credentials to access multiple sites
  - ◆ *Tested using Django + django-openid-auth*
- ◆ **OAuth 2** is an **authorization** framework usable for **authentication**
  - ◆ *Tested using Django + python-social-auth*
  - ◆ Need to **register** the service at OP
- ◆ **OpenID Connect** (now replacing OpenID) sits on top of the OAuth 2.0 framework
  - ◆ **WebFinger** : automatically finds your OP

# Testing SSO for CTA VO Data Access

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🔍 Search Form

👤 Sign in

Sign in through eduGAIN

OR

OpenID:



OAuth:



OAuth2:



OR

Username

user

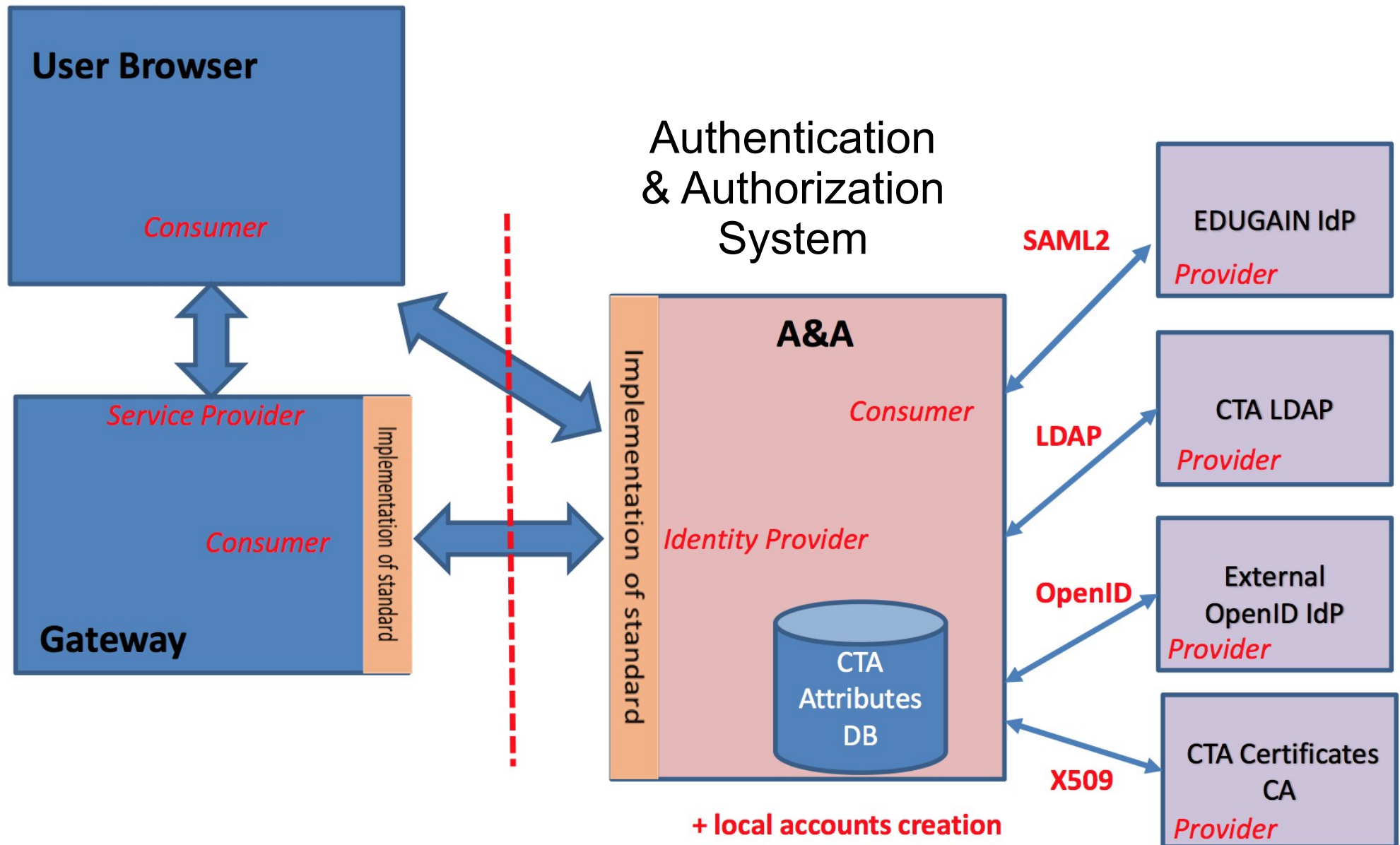
Password

...

Submit

Reset

# CTA Science Gateway A&A





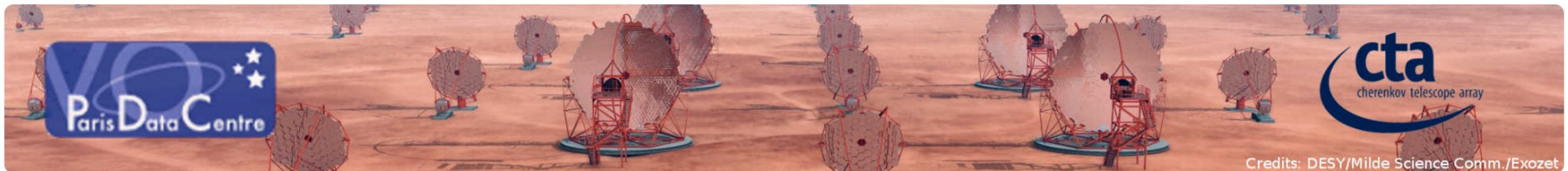
# A&A with Grouper

- ◆ Grouper is an **access management system**, used to create and manage institutional and personal groups, roles and permissions
- ◆ Developed by **internet2** (US research and education network)
- ◆ **Open-source** software (Apache 2.0 licence)
- ◆ Same « spirit » as for **eduGAIN** and **Shibboleth**
- ◆ Widely used for research and education (LIGO, LHC...)



# Grouper prototype at INAF

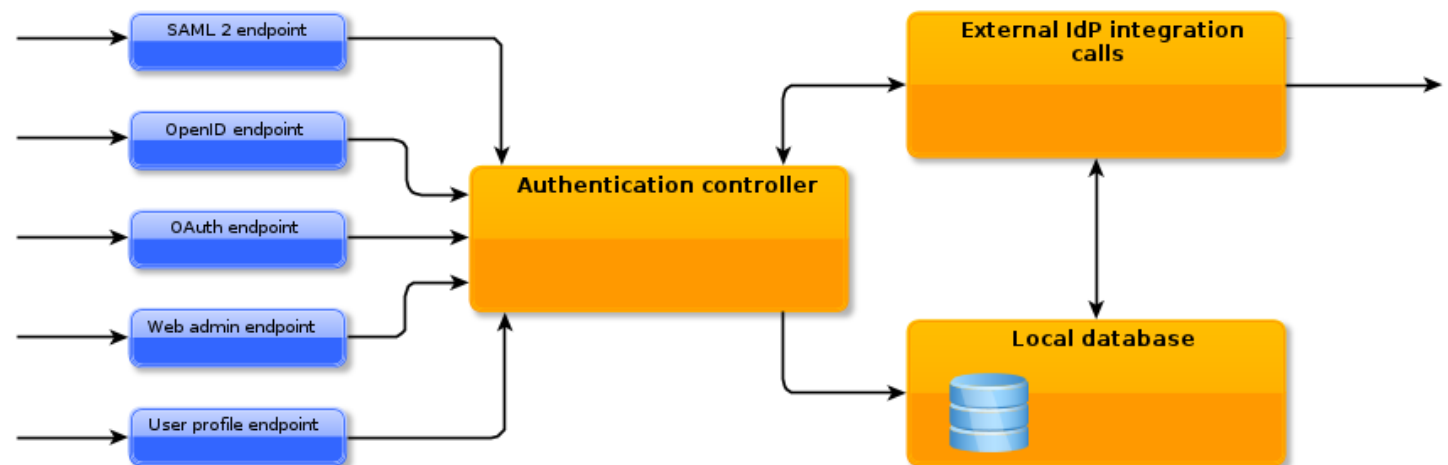
- ◆ Authentication with Shibboleth
- ◆ List of attributes from Grouper service at INAF



```
HTTP_DISPLAYNAME = Mathieu Servillat
HTTP_ENTITLEMENT = urn:mace:garr.it:voparis-auth.obspm.fr;urn:mace:dir:entitlement:common-lib-terms
HTTP_EPPN = mservillat@obspm.fr
HTTP_FACSIMILETELEPHONENUMBER =
HTTP_GIVENNAME = Mathieu
HTTP_HOST = voparis-cta-client.obspm.fr
HTTP_ISMEMBEROF = AdvancedWFUser
HTTP_L = Meudon
HTTP_MAIL = Mathieu.Servillat@obspm.fr
HTTP_NICKNAME =
HTTP_O =
HTTP_ORGUNIT_DN =
HTTP_ORG_DN =
HTTP_OU =
HTTP_PERSISTENT_ID = https://shibboleth.obspm.fr/idp/shibboleth!https://voparis-auth.obspm.fr!/oSJ+0RqfJvuv0Yos8S8MbGM/To8=
HTTP_POSTALADDRESS =
HTTP_POSTALCODE =
```

# A&A with Unity

- ◆ Solution for **identity, federation and inter-federation management**
- ◆ Lead by ICM (University of Warsaw)
- ◆ based on UVOS experience (UNICORE Virtual Organisations System)
- ◆ Open Source (permissive BSD licence)



# Unity core concepts

- ◆ Cloud approach: **Identity Management As a Service** with attributes management and authentication included.
- ◆ **Multiple authentication protocols** supported
  - ◆ SAML2, OpenID Connect, LDAP...
- ◆ Ability to **outsource** credentials (and attributes) management to a 3rd party service.
  - ◆ Again multiple upstream protocols supported
  - ◆ UNITY becomes a **bridge** (protocol translation)...
  - ◆ ... and a **hub** (single service aggregating various IdM systems).
- ◆ **Persistent ID** connecting to several accounts
- ◆ Attached **attributes** to compute user rights inside apps



# Conclusions

- ◆ Both A&A systems provide:
  - ◆ authentication through federations (no need to manage user affiliations and passwords)
  - ◆ local management of user attributes and rights (specific to the project, so cannot be delegated)
  - ◆ Simple interface to manage the system
- ◆ Unity is not restricted to the eduGAIN federation
  - ◆ Handles OpenID, certificates, LDAP...
- ◆ Connections to the VO:
  - ◆ SAMP blocked over HTTPS (mixed content blocked)
  - ◆ TAP or UWS with authentication/SSO?