

OIDCFed status update

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OIDCFed Team Activities



- Development of OIDC Federated Client
 - Python library
 - Android and IOS POC
 - PHP POC
- Development of OIDC Federated Provider
 - Python library
 - SaToSa Frontend
 - Shibboleth OIDC Extension
- Development of OIDC Federation tools
 - Metadata Signing Service
- Development of OIDC Federation profiles
 - OIDC Federation draft implentation profiles
 - OpenID Foundation OIDC for Research and Education working group (currently setting it up)
- OIDC Federation pilot

Please check out

- <u>https://wiki.geant.org/display/gn42jra3/T3.1A+OpenID+Connect+Federation</u>
- mailing-list: <u>oidcfed@lists.geant.org</u>



OIDC Federation: the problem space

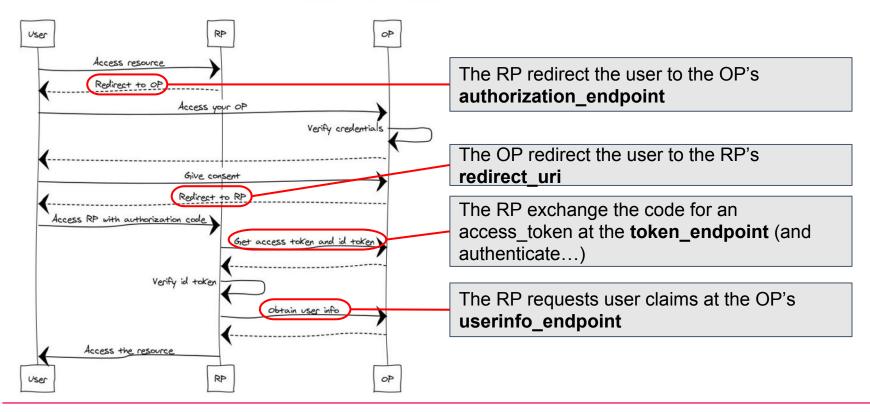




- The **User** who wants to access a protected resource, either by himself or through an application.
- The **Relying Party** (often called the Client) is the entity that will request and use an access token.
- The **OIDC Provider** (OP) is the entity that will release the access token.

OIDC: OP and RP needs to know about each other



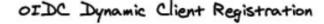


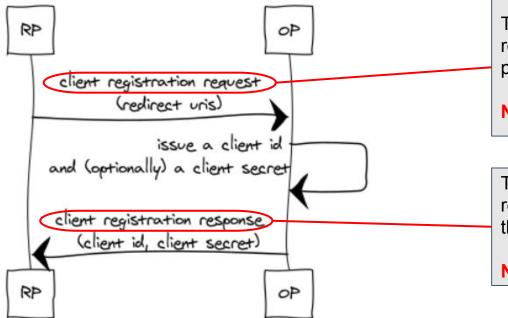
OpenID Connect Discovery 1.0



OIDC Discovery RP OP User provide an identifier determine the host GET .wel-Known/webfinger? ... issuer response The **RP** receives and consumes the **OP** metadata (provider configuration) that GET /.well-Known/openid-configuration are self-asserted. configuration response No trust anchor is provided. User RP OP







The **OP** receives a client registration request from the **RP**. The information provided by the **RP** is self-asserted.

No trust anchor is provided.

The **OP** sends a client registration response to the **RP**, once again all the information is self-asserted.

No trust anchor is provided.



http://openid.net/specs/openid-connect-federation-1_0.html

This document describes **how an identity federation can be built around a trusted third party, the federation operator**.

Metadata:

- **signing_keys**: A JSON Web Key Set (JWKS) representing the public part of the entity's signing keys.
- **metadata_statements**: JSON object where the names are federation identifiers and the values a signed JSON documents containing compounded metadata statements rooted in that federation. There is one value per name.



Deploying multiple R&E communities with OIDCFed

https://github.com/OpenIDC/fedoidc/blob/master/doc/howto/multifederation.md

Outcome of the two day OIDCFed design meeting in Amsterdam in January 2018 (cudos to Alejandro Pérez Méndez) **Key elements:**

- A metadata signing service for each federation
- Communities of federations can stand for:
 - Interfederation services (aka eduGAIN)
 - Entity categories



The SWAMID profile for a OpenID Connect federation

https://github.com/OpenIDC/fedoidc/blob/master/doc/profile/swamid.rst

A recent elaboration of Roland Hedberg and the SWAMID Federation Operators. Key elements:

- Direct relationships between the Federation and the final entities (RPs and OPs)
- No metadata_statements passed by value, only metadata_statements_uri
- All metadata_statements_uri used for registration and configuration providing are served by the Metadata Signing Service operated by the Federation

Comments and feedbacks are welcome!

(open a github issue, or make a PR)

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