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Abstract

This specification registers a handful of new [RFC 5988](#) Link Relation types.

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bfrom	Refers to a resource that is privately considered to be the originator of the link's context.
scope	Refers to a resource that identifies the total population of entities for which the context is considered relevant.
source	Refers to the original source of information contained by the context resource.
provider	Refers to the resource that provided the context resource. Typically, this would be used to identify the entity publishing the resource.
generator	Refers to the resource that generated the context resource. Typically, this would be used to identify the software application that created the context resource.
mentioned-by	Refers to a resource that mentions the context resource in some fashion. This, for example, would be used when an article mentions another article, or a social status update mentions a particular user, etc.
mentions	Refers to a resource mentioned by the context resource in some fashion. This, for example, would be used when an article mentions another article, or a social status update mentions a particular user, etc.
derived-from	Refers to a resource from which the context resource was derived.
location	References an IRI or URI representing a physical or logical location with which the context resource is associated.
card	References an IRI or URI representing a "card" summarizing the context resource. For instance, this may link to a VCard or HTML document that provides summary information about and contact information for a person, organization or community.

### 3. Security Considerations

There are no additional security concerns introduced by this document.

### 4. Informative References

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