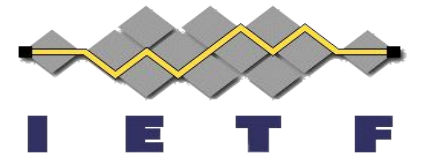


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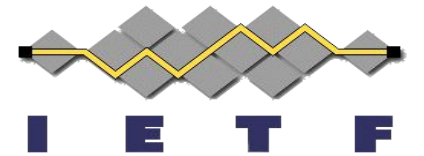


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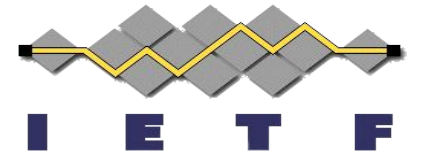
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Welcome and Introduction

Chairs (10 min)



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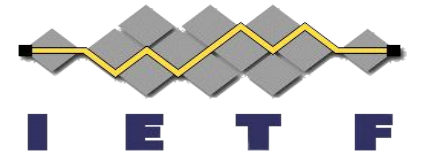
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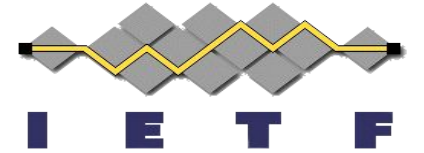
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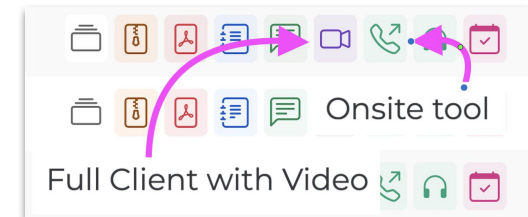
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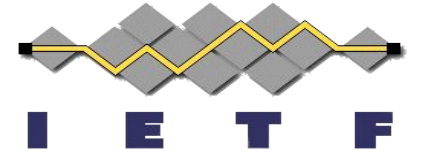


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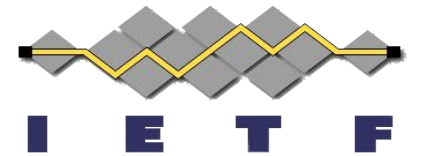


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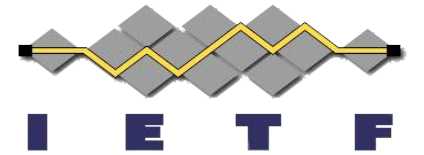
- Welcome and Introduction (10 min): Chairs
- Problem Statement
 - Market Driver (10 min): Leif
 - Technology Driver (10 min): Orië
- Selection of proposed work items
 - "Identity" / Key Discovery document (5 min): Kristina
 - SD-CWT (5 min): Orië
- Privacy: Selective Disclosure and Unlinkability (10 min): Mike Jones
- Clarifying Questions (10 min): all
- Charter & Milestones (10 min): Henk
- Discussion (20 min): all
- BoF Questions (20 min): Chairs / Area Director
- Wrap-up and Conclusion (10 min): Area Director

Problem Statement

Market Driver - Leif (10 min)
Technology Driver - Brent (10 min)



EUDI - IETF TL;DR



Legislative Process

- Negotiation of the proposal for the revision of the **eIDAS regulation** underpinning the EUDI Framework

Wallet Technical Standards

- Member States and the Commission are in the process of establishing a **common toolbox** consisting of an **architecture and reference framework**, common standards and specifications and guidelines and best practices for the EUDI Wallet

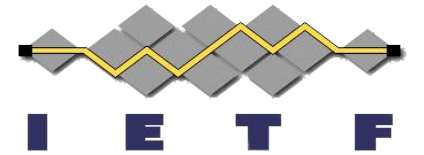
Large-scale Pilots

- **Grants** under the Digital Europe Programme for **large-scale pilots around use-cases** for the EUDI Wallet including mobile driver licences, ePayments, eHealth and educational/professional qualifications

Wallet Reference Application

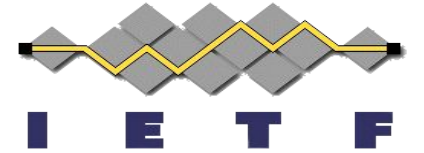
- Procurement of a **reference application** of the EUDI Wallet based on the technical standards agreed by the toolbox.

EUDI - IETF TL;DR

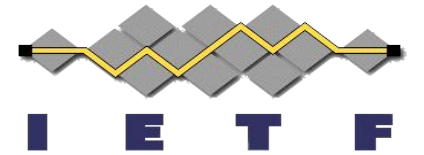


- End-state for the EUDI wallet process is...
 - de-jure standards referenced from the implementation act(s)
 - actual technical and semantic interoperability among the member states
 - a few operationally viable use-cases (eg social security card, edu credentials, etc)
- Current status
 - Dialogue between COM and ETSI about what standards needs to be put in place
 - Lots of work and focus in & around the ARF on in-person flows
 - Lots of work and focus in the LSPs on web flows
 - The majority of use-cases are about web-flows.
- **Also: global interop wouldn't hurt**

EUDI IETF “ask”



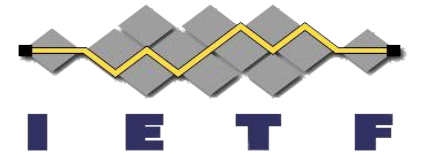
- Need foundational standards for web flow credentials
- Ensure interop with oidc4vc and oidc4vp
- Focus on issues related to credentials security and privacy



Technology Driver

Some use cases:

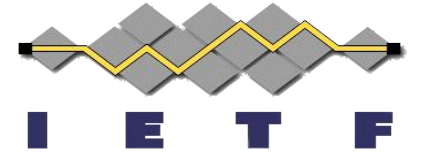
- A worker provides an assertion from A1 Forklifts about their forklift certification to a Construction company.
- A steel distributor provides assertions from suppliers about steel origins to purchasers.
- A loan seeker provides an assertion from their employer about their employment status to a mortgage broker.



Technology Driver

- a HOLDER provides an assertion from an ISSUER about a SUBJECT to a VERIFIER.
- the assertion is issued in a CREDENTIAL.
- the assertion is provided as a PRESENTATION.
- CREDENTIALS and PRESENTATIONS are evaluated according to policies.

Technology Driver

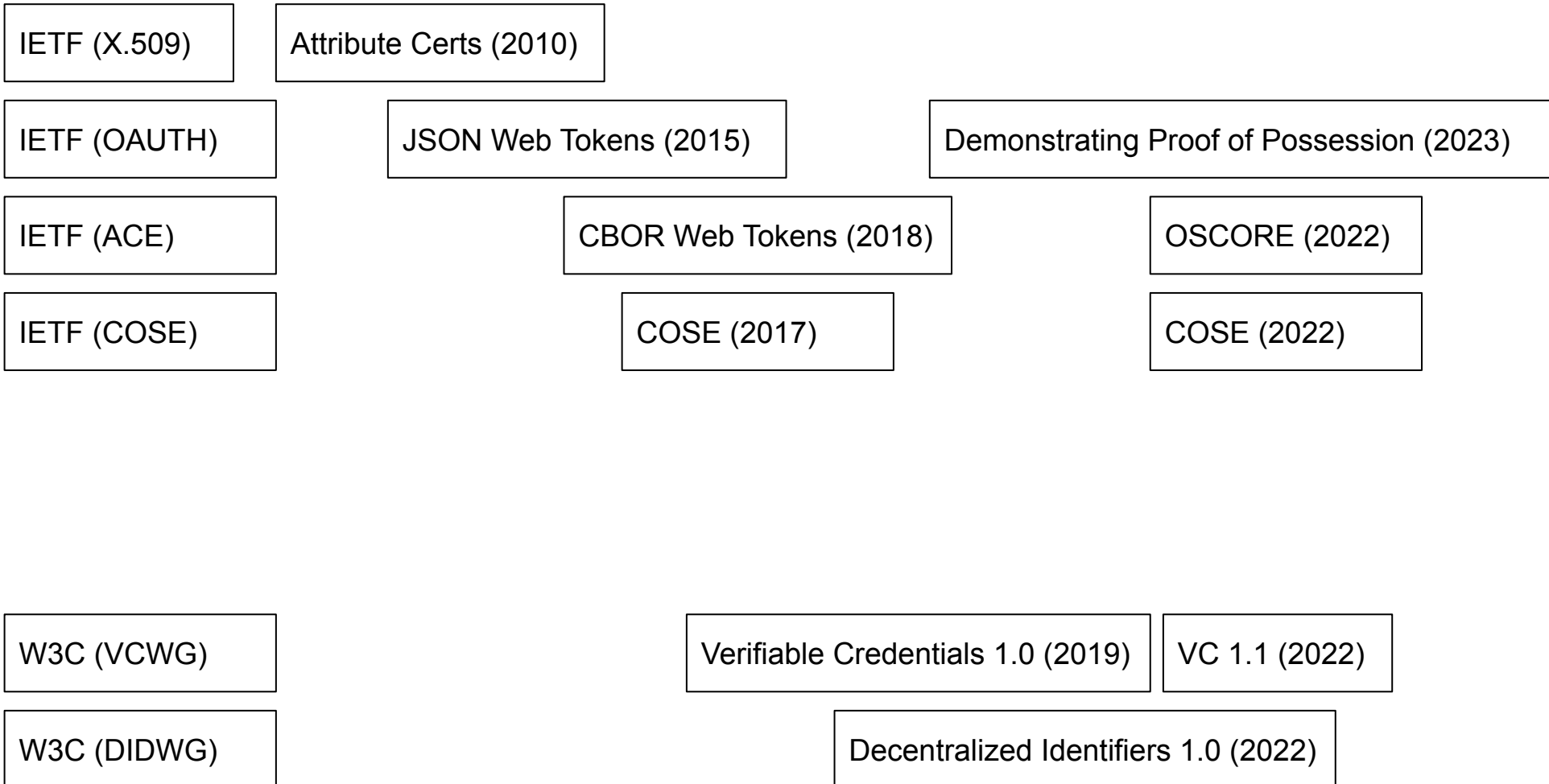
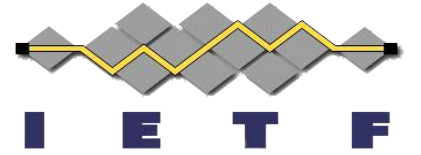


Efficiency can be improved:

- decision making can be **automated**,
- processing time reduced,
- throughput increased

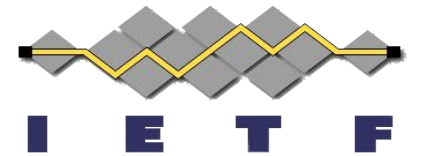
Without better technology (simpler, safer, faster, easier to use, etc.) we cannot automate safely.

Technology Driver

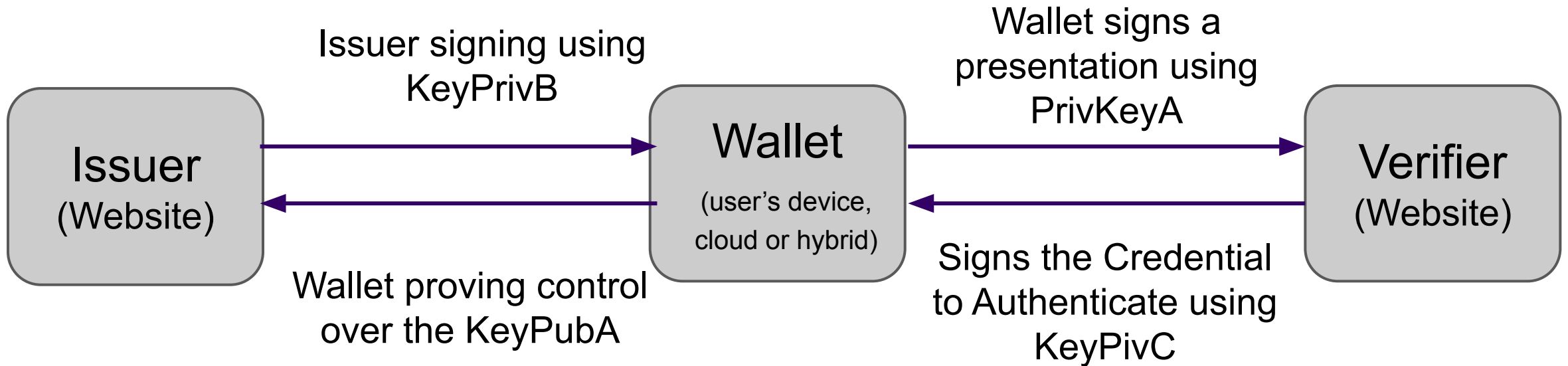
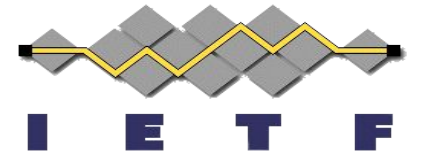


Some Proposed Work Items

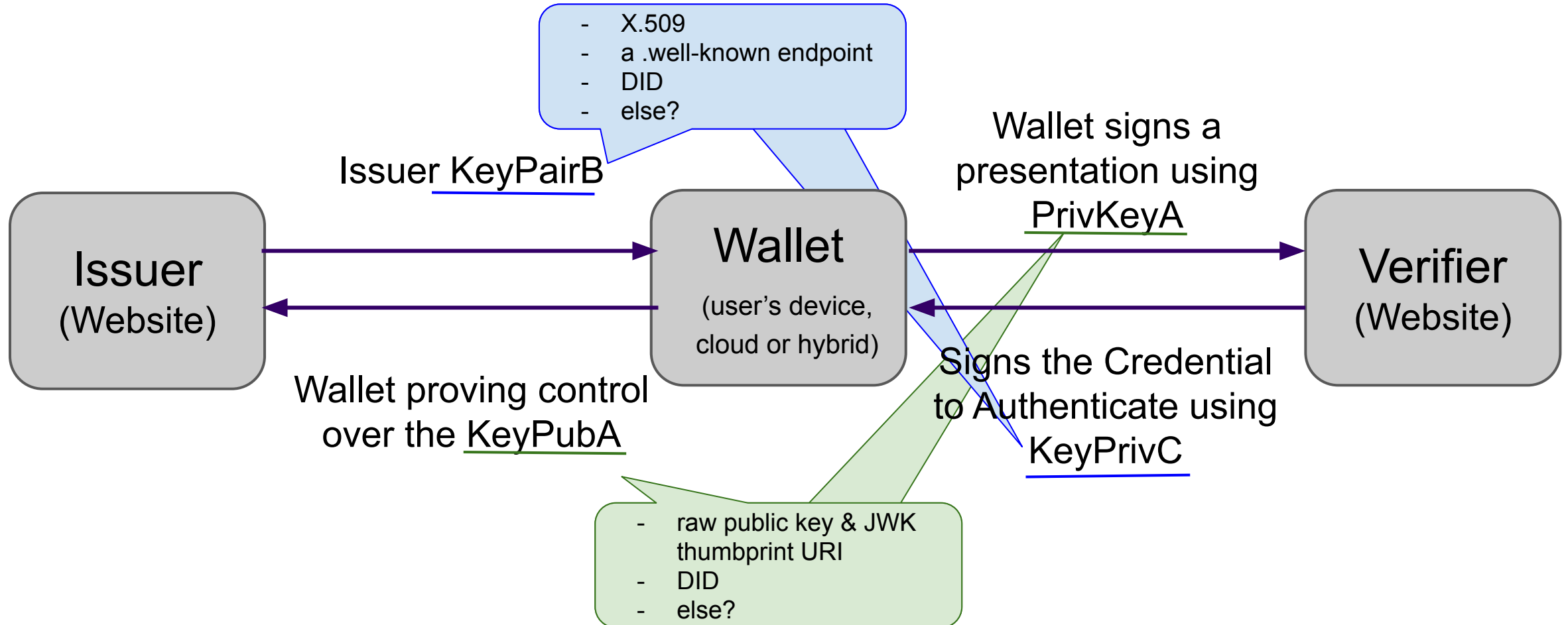
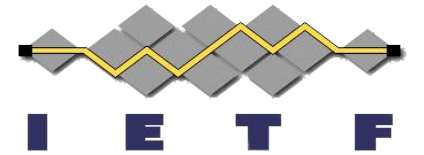
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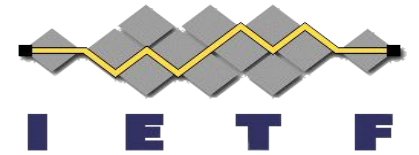
Identifiers and Key discovery in three party model



Options for these Identifiers and Key discovery

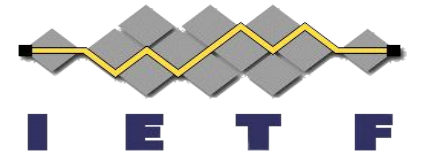


Pros and Cons of each approach



Option	Pros	Cons
X.509	<p>⇒</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Well-established PKI	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- SCITT (supply chain transparency and trust) needs a key history
.well-known endpoint	<p>⇒</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Simpler than X.509- Can be modular with per-purpose .well-known paths	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- It actually does not exist for three party model...- First attempt in SD-JWT VC draft in the oauth wg
DIDs	<p>⇒</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Indirection between the key document and the identifier- A document can contain endpoints in addition to keys	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- JSON-LD/RDF- No off-the-shelf interop (i.e. too many possibilities)- Hesitation from the implementers (not the best public perception)

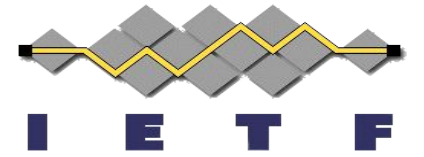
.well-known endpoint examples (1/2)



```
// COSE
{
    / Protected
    1: -35, / Algorithm
    TBD: { / CWT Claims
        1: https://issuer.example, / Issuer
        2: https://subject.example, / Subject
    }
}

// JOSE
{
    "alg": "ES384",
    "iss": "https://issuer.example",
    "sub": "https://subject.example",
}
```

.well-known endpoint examples (2/2)



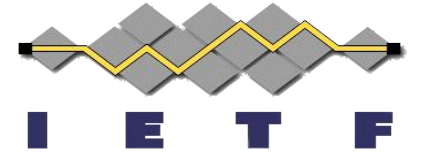
```
// https://issuer.example/.well-known/jwt-issuer
```

```
{  
  "issuer": "https://issuer.example",  
  "jwks_uri": "https://issuer.example/.well-known/jwks"  
}
```

```
// https://issuer.example/.well-known/jwks
```

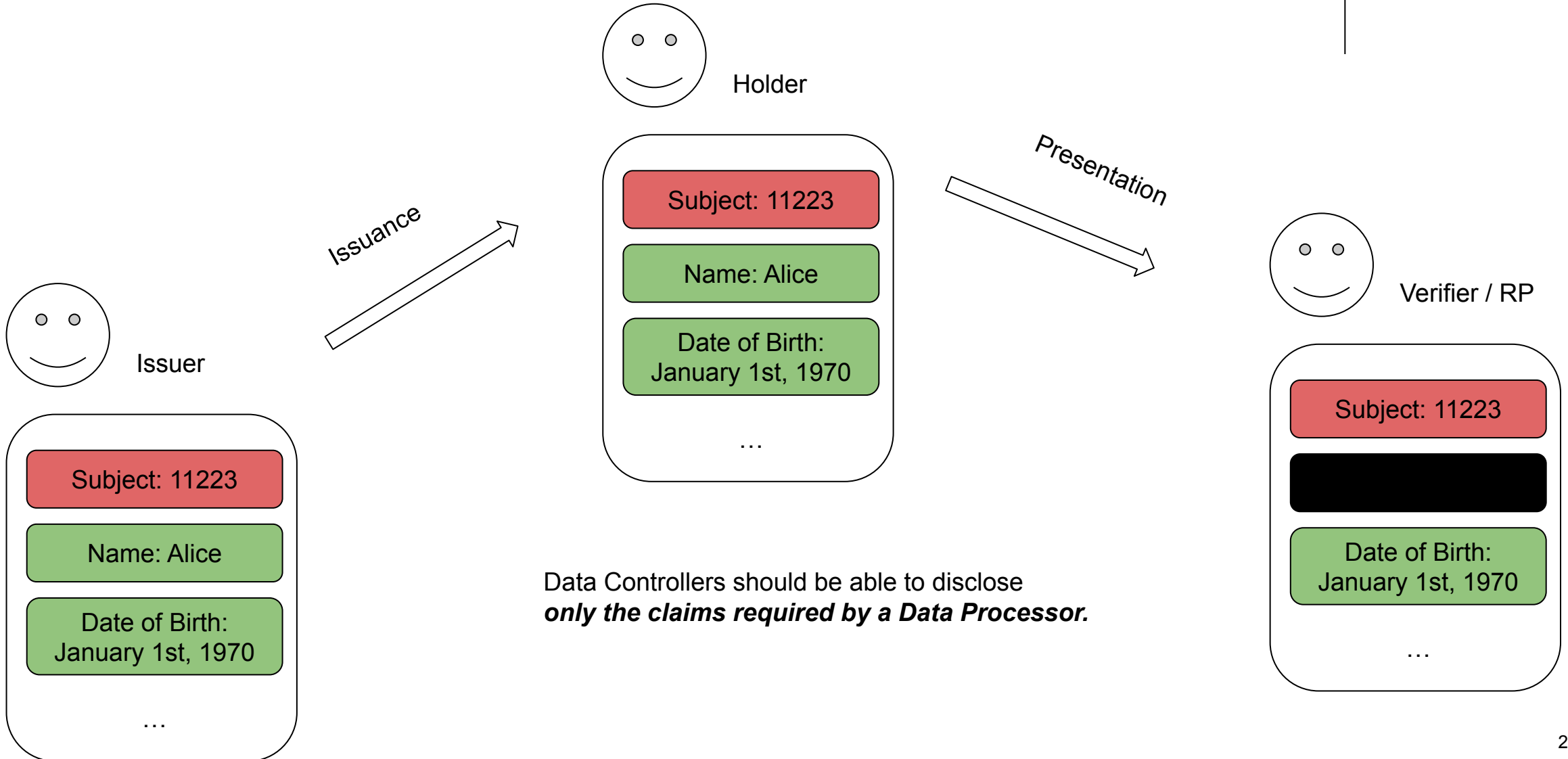
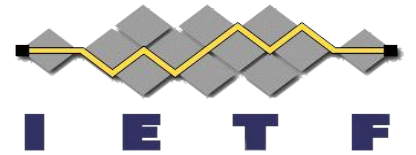
```
{  
  "keys": [  
    {  
      "kid":  
"urn:iETF:params:oauth:jwk-thumbprint:sha-256:NzbLsXh8uDCcd-6MNwXF4W_7noW XFZAfHkxZsRGC9Xs",  
      "kty": "EC",  
      "crv": "P-384",  
      "alg": "ES384",  
      "x": "NbaI-0w2h8nUxN2mJnD_Ozq9q3E5KEuCg22p5WD0bW5g7u8izXOS0ANuQA7_xxG0",  
      "y": "HmWJgIq4tfkVQkpMYRgp7yQyI20t9R6_wDI9CqYzF1Hy5AKIxRRXeWJN4ZNH a10P"  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

Where to do this work?

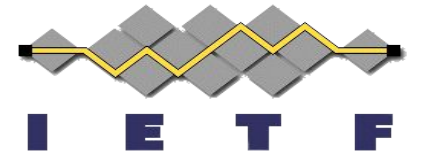


- the need to define an Identifier and Key discovery mechanism that meets the following requirements:
 - a document with the key pair information contains key rotation history
 - not JSON-LD/RDF
 - interoperable off-the-shelf (no concept similar to DID methods)
 - no hesitation from the implementers because no associated negative public perception associated with it
 - Could work with x.509s too

Selective Disclosure



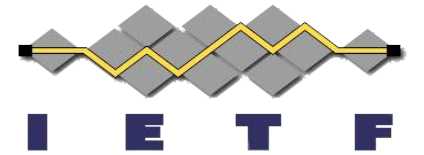
Selective Disclosure



Selective Disclosure is a building block for achieving *data integrity with data minimization*.

Selective Disclosure can reduce the need to “over share”, which in turn can *reduce the damage associated with compromise*.

Selective Disclosure in COSE



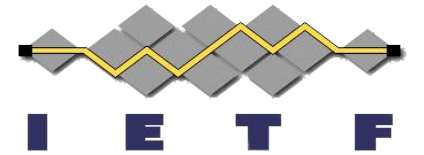
Benefits

- No double text encoding of binary (base64url bloat)
- Much smaller document sizes
- Familiar terminology and APIs for developers with JOSE experience

Challenges

- Tooling Maturity / Debug / Diagnostic time
- Strange deviations from JOSE experience
- Determinism / Language specific issues (Binary in JavaScript)

SD-CWT



COSE Sign 1

Protected Header

Unprotected Header

Disclosed Value 1

Disclosed Value 2

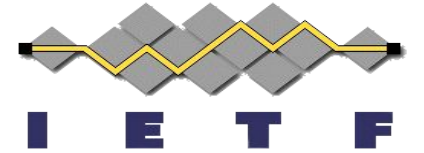
Payload

Disclosable Value 1

Disclosable Value 2

Signature

SD-CWT SBOM (use case)



Envelope

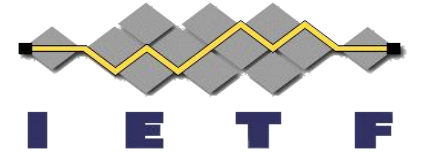
```
{ / Protected Header /
  1: -35 / alg : ES384 /
}

18( / COSE Sign 1 /
  [
    h'A1013822', / Protected Header /
    { / Unprotected Header /
      333: [
        / Disclosures (2) /
        h'82502BD5...5254494F4E', / Disclosure 1 ● /
        h'825091B1...5254494F4E' / Disclosure 2 ● /
      ]
    },
    h'AB6566696...61FF6765', / Payload /
    h'DCBCDD0C1...11DB6D16' / Signature /
  ]
)
```

Payload

```
/ Payload /
...
"files": [
  / ● Disclosable Value 1 /
  { 222: h'58F422BA59...A6D75858A68C' },
  {
    "fileName": "./README.md",
    "SPDXID": "SPDXRef-File--README.md-534A3C13...D5E53B2B6023A",
    ...
    "licenseConcluded": "NOASSERTION",
    "licenseInfoInFiles": ["NOASSERTION"],
    "copyrightText": "NOASSERTION"
  },
  / ● Disclosable Value 2 /
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...
}
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SD-CWT SBOM



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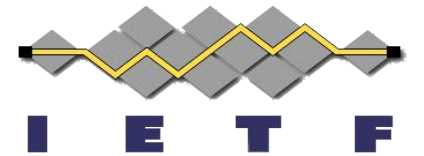
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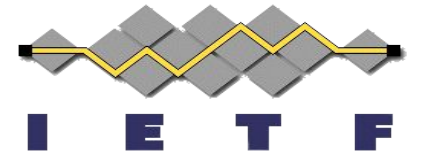
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{ / ● Disclosed Value 1 /
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"checksums": [
{
"algorithm": "SHA256",
"checksumValue": "e12fc416bf4aebf08117725577e05900aabf7ba7bda1c05e78cb519620c9a0b6"
},
...
]
[
h'91B103A152F115724C576344D268371B', / Salt /
{ / ● Disclosed Value 2 /
"fileName": "./clean.sh",
"SPDXID": "SPDXRef-File--clean.sh-49B0B794639658A24ED0F30BCCC4124A886FA908",
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},
...
]
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Privacy

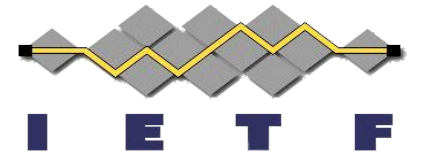
Mike Jones (10 min)



Lots of possible privacy aspects when using digital identities

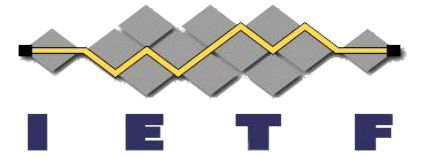


- I'll briefly touch on some of them
- Many aspects of privacy overlap and influence one another
- After my brief take, I'll leave time for you to
 - Tell me what I left out
 - Tell me how you see things differently



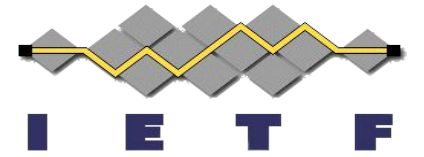
Minimal Disclosure

- Releasing only the information needed for an interaction
- Can be accomplished several ways
 - RP requests token with only needed claims and IdP issues it
 - Verifier asks Wallet for Presentation with only needed claims and Wallet issues it
 - Both of these are forms of Selective Disclosure
- Enabled by
 - OpenID Connect “claims” request parameter
 - SD-JWTs
 - ISO mDLs



Not “Calling Home”

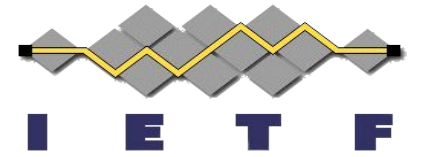
- You can use a physical driving license without consulting the Department of Motor Vehicles
 - The Washington DMV doesn't know when I board a plane or purchase alcohol
- OpenID Connect and SAML “call home” to the Issuer
 - They issue tokens audienced to the RP/SP
- VCs using the 3-party model don't “call home”
 - Some credentials held by the Wallet can be reused indefinitely
 - Some are single-use, which can be mitigated by batch issuance
- Wallet can see where you use VCs but not the Issuer



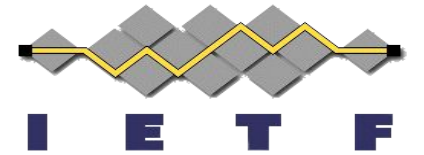
Non-Correlation among Verifiers

- Prevents Verifiers of your credentials from being able to determine that you used the same credential at both of them
- Requires the information in each Presentation to be different
- Of course, if you include constant claims such as e-mail address or name, all bets are off
- Enabled by
 - BBS signatures on Presentations
 - Single-use credentials

Non-Correlation for Issuers and Verifiers

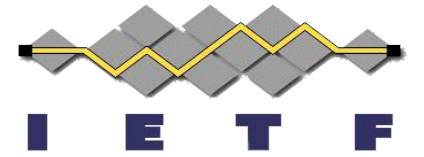


- Some would also like prevent Issuer and Verifier from correlating your activities
 - Would prevent Issuer from being able to tell whether a Presentation was derived from a Credential it used
 -
- Not clear whether this is needed
- Not clear whether this is feasible



Tracking

- The ability for a party to observe and record your actions
 - OpenID Connect OPs can track the RPs you use
 - SAML can too (while calling them IdPs and SPs)
- Wallets can track which Issuers and Verifiers you use
- Browsers can track which Web Sites you use
- Some of this may be inevitable
- What they **do** with this information affects your privacy

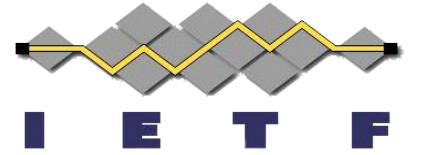


Releasing Proofs Rather than Claims

- In JWTs, CWTs, SD-JWTs, SAML Tokens, etc. typically release birthdate claim
 - Example: "1994-04-12"
- Or only release a proof of a property of the claim
 - Example: age \geq 18 years
- Enabled by zero-knowledge proofs
 - In scope for JWP work in JOSE

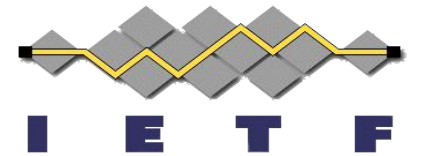
What else to say about privacy?

- Join the microphone queue to add your thoughts
 - (Time permitting)



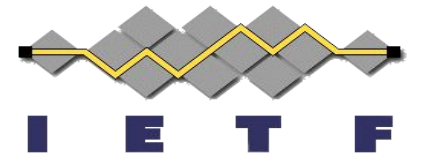
Clarifying Questions

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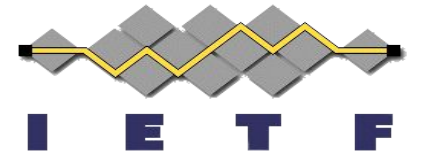


Charter and Milestones

Henk (10 min)



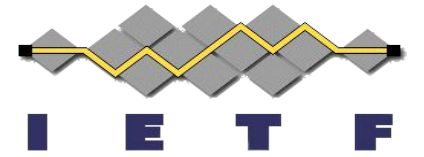
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What to say about the charter?

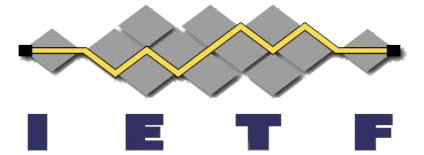
TL;DR (by Identity Woman)

We are creating a venue for individuals who really want to work on verifiable credential stuff at IETF.



What else to say about the charter?

- Using IETF technologies for Verifiable Credentials, Selective Disclosure, and Unlinkability
- Using Issuer, Holder, Verifier model as a basis
- Alignment of JWT and CWT Claims Registration
- A more applicable open-world extensibility model based on industry-adoption
- Protocols are out-of-scope

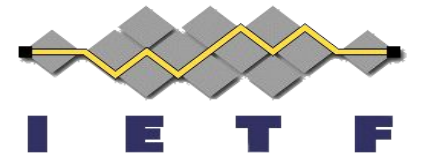


Milestones – The Starter Set

- An informational **architecture** document
- Proposed standard documents covering **selective disclosure with CWT**
- Proposed standard documents covering **unlinkability with CWT**
- Proposed standard documents covering **identity documents with CWT**

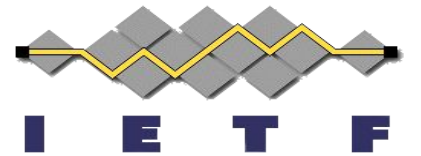
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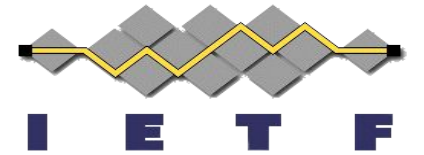


BoF Questions

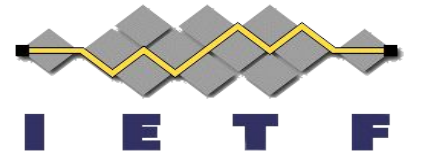
Chairs (20 min)



BoF Questions



- There is a problem that needs solving, and the **IETF is the right group** to attempt solving it.
- There is a **critical mass** of participants willing to work on the problem (e.g., write drafts, review drafts, etc.).
- The **scope** of the problem is **well defined** and understood, that is, people generally understand what the WG will work on (and what it won't) and what its actual deliverables will be.
- There is agreement that the specific **deliverables** (i.e., proposed documents) are the right set.
- It is believed that the WG has a **reasonable probability of having success** (i.e., in completing the deliverables in its charter in a timely fashion).



Wrap-up and Conclusion

Area Director (10 min)

