

CILogon-HA: Higher Assurance Federated Identities for DOE Science

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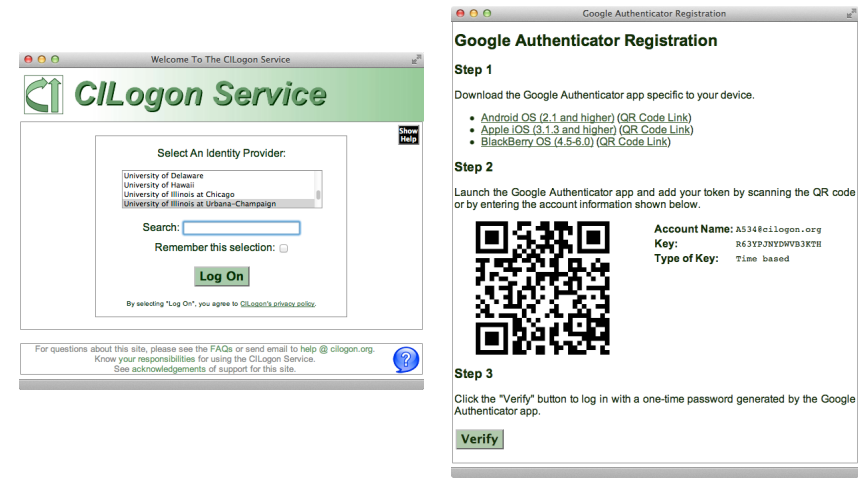
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OBJECTIVES

- Support use of federated identities via web browsers and other interfaces.
- Support adoption of the InCommon assurance program.
- Enable interoperable use of federated identities via international standards.

IMPACT

CILogon-HA enables convenient and secure access by university researchers to DOE facilities for **collaborative science using higher assurance identities** provided by the nation's universities through the InCommon assurance program.



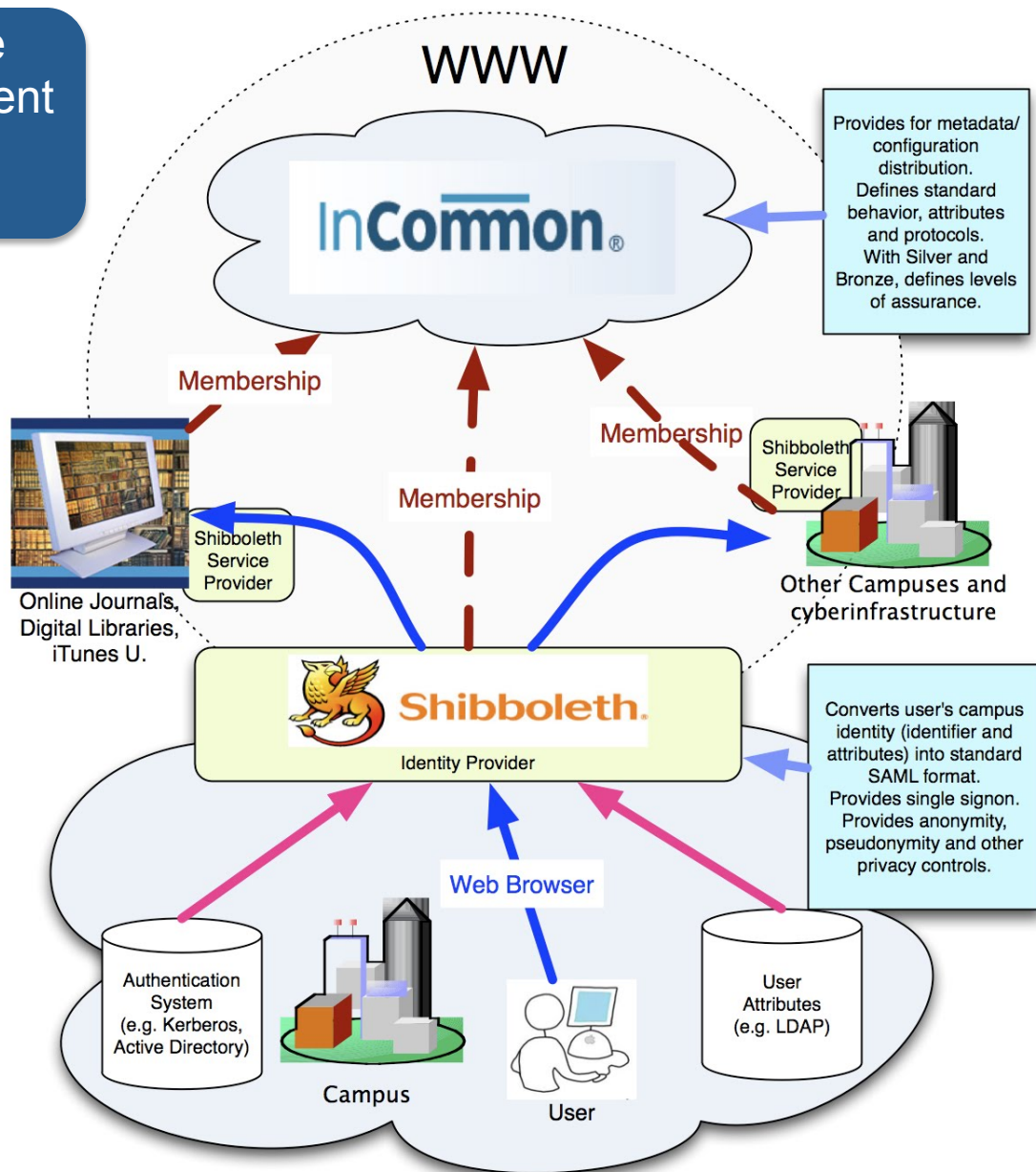
PROGRESS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Use of InCommon Silver (LOA 2) federated identities from Virginia Tech to Open Science Grid via CILogon-HA
- Google Authenticator (OATH) second factor authentication supported by CILogon-HA

Talk Outline

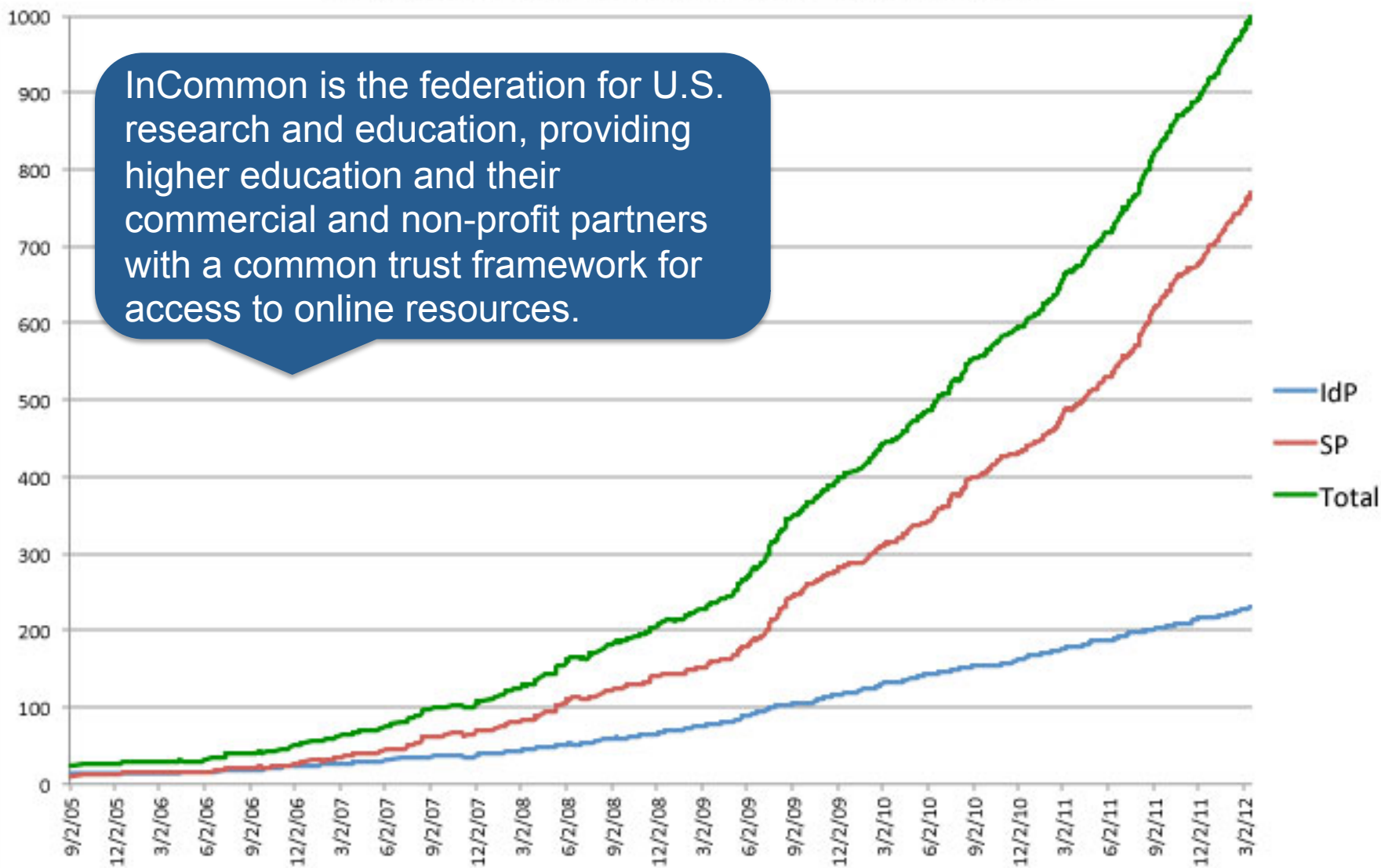
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- Levels of Assurance
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 - Two factor authentication
 - Federated identity outside the browser
 - Partner projects

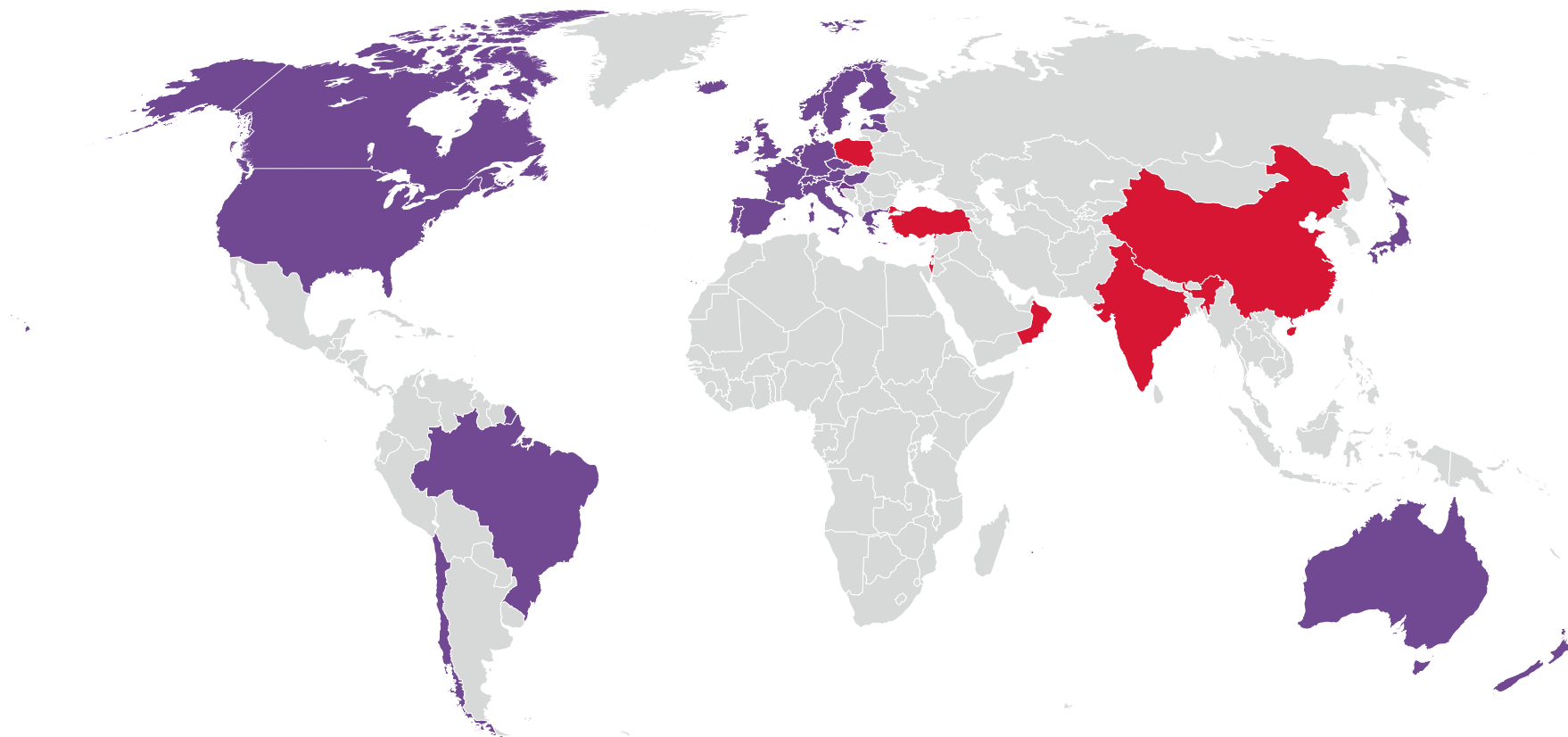
Federation eases the credential management burden for users and service providers.



InCommon Entities: 2005-2012

InCommon is the federation for U.S. research and education, providing higher education and their commercial and non-profit partners with a common trust framework for access to online resources.





Identity Federations in production

AT	ACOnet Identity Federation	ES	SIR
AU	Australian Access Federation AAF	FI	Haka
BE	Belnet R&E Federation	FR	Fédération Éducation-Recherche
BR	CAFe	GR	GRNET
CA	Canadian Access Federation CAF	HR	AAI@EduHr
CH	SWITCHai	HU	eduID.hu
CL	COFRe	IE	Edugate
CZ	eduID.cz	IT	IDEM
DE	DFN-AAI	JP	GakuNin
DK	WAYF	LV	LAIFE
EE	TAAT		

NL	SURFfederatie
NO	FEIDE
NZ	Tuakiri New Zealand Access Federation
PT	RCTSai
SE	SWAMID
SI	AmesAAI Slovenska
UK	UK Access Management Federation for Education and Research
US	InCommon
int	IGTF

Identity Federations in pilot

CN	CARSI
IN	INFED
OM	Oman Knowledge ID Federation
PL	Poland Identity Federation
TR	ULAKAAI
IL	IsraGrid Federation

This map is intended to provide a high-level overview of countries with identity federations.

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Levels of Assurance

- LOA requirements differ across scientific collaborations
 - Open access with usage reporting
 - IGTF accreditation
 - 2-factor authentication
- NIST 800-63 & US ICAM Trust Framework
 - Level 1: No identity proofing. Basic strength of authentication.
 - Level 2: Basic identity proofing. Single factor remote network authentication.
 - Level 3: Strong identity proofing. Multi-factor remote network authentication.
 - Level 4: In-person identity proofing. Tamper evident hardware cryptographic authentication tokens.



InCommon Assurance Program

- Launched in February 2012
- InCommon is an approved US ICAM Trust Framework Provider (www.idmanagement.gov)
- LOA 1 – InCommon Bronze
- LOA 2 – InCommon Silver
- Virginia Tech was first InCommon Silver certified identity provider (Sep 2012)
- More info: www.incommon.org/assurance



International Assurance Standards

- REFEDS activities
 - LOA for R&E Federations
 - https://refeds.terena.org/index.php/LOA_for_RANDE_Federations
 - LEGO - Linked Education and Government Online
 - <https://refeds.terena.org/index.php/LEGO>
- IANA LOA registry
 - <http://levelofassurance.org/>
- Kantara Identity Assurance
 - <http://kantarainitiative.org/idassurance/>
- Open Identity Exchange (OIX)
 - <http://openidentityexchange.org/certification-process>

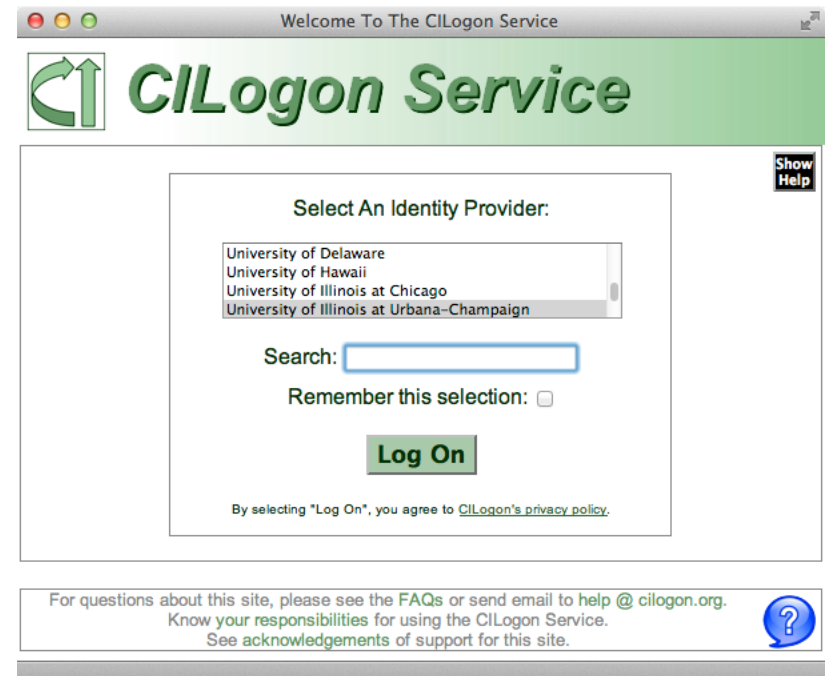
CILogon-HA Activities

- Issuing IGTF accredited certificates via InCommon Silver accredited identity providers.
- Engaging with DOE scientific collaborations (such as Open Science Grid) on use of federated identities.
- Expanding support for federated authentication outside the browser.
- Adopting multi-factor authentication for federated identities.
- Establishing international interoperability for DOE science collaborations using higher assurance federated identities.
- Exploring high assurance identities from commercial providers (Google, PayPal, Verizon, etc.).

CILogon Service

(<https://cilogon.org>)

- Developed by NSF-funded CILogon project (Sep 2009 – Aug 2013)
- Supports InCommon and OpenID authentication
- Delivers X.509 certificates to desktop, browser, and portals
- Available certificate lifetimes: from 1 hour to 13 months
- Supports close integration with CI projects
- See also:
 - <http://www.cilogon.org/faq>
 - <http://www.cilogon.org/news>
 - <http://ca.cilogon.org>



The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Welcome To The CILogon Service". The page has a green header with the CILogon logo (a green square with a white 'C' and an upward arrow) and the text "CILogon Service". Below the header, there is a "Show Help" button in the top right corner. The main content area is titled "Select An Identity Provider:" and contains a list of identity providers: "University of Delaware", "University of Hawaii", "University of Illinois at Chicago", and "University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign". Below the list is a "Search:" input field and a "Remember this selection:" checkbox. A green "Log On" button is positioned below the checkbox. At the bottom of the main content area, a small text line reads: "By selecting 'Log On', you agree to [CILogon's privacy policy](#)." The footer of the page contains a message: "For questions about this site, please see the [FAQs](#) or send email to help@cilogon.org. Know your responsibilities for using the CILogon Service. See acknowledgements of support for this site." and a blue circular help icon with a question mark.

CILogon and IGTF

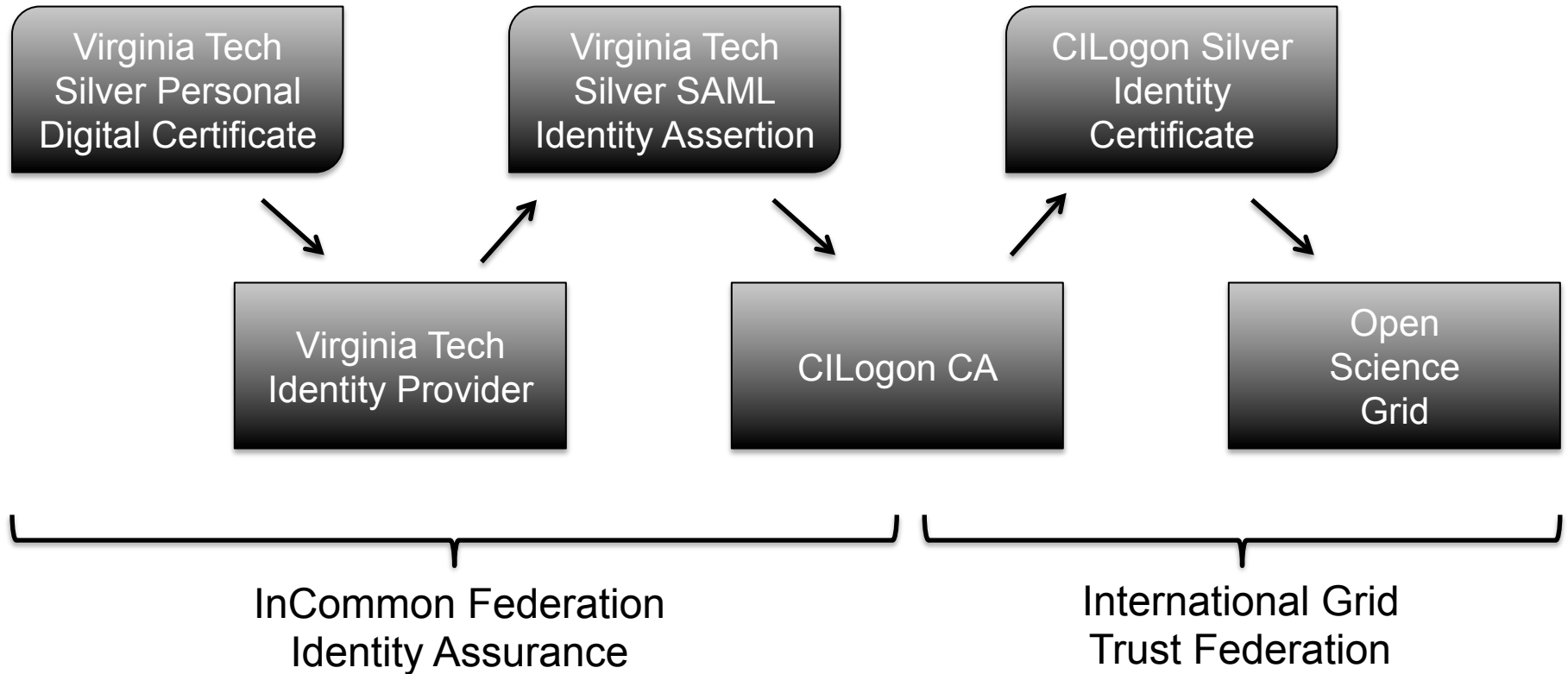


- CILogon CA operations, key management, and certificate profiles meet IGTF standards
- Issue: subscriber ID vetting & authentication
 - Goal: rely on campuses for this
 - Need minimum standards for campus practices
 - Approach: rely on InCommon Identity Assurance
- Status:
 - CILogon Silver CA accredited (October 2010)
 - Virginia Tech certified InCommon Silver (October 2012)
 - Virginia Tech members use CILogon Silver certificates to access Open Science Grid services (October 2012)
 - CILogon Basic & OpenID CAs being actively used w/o IGTF accreditation

LOA of CILogon CAs

CA	Registration Authorities	User Identities	Accreditation
Silver	InCommon Silver IdPs (ICAM LOA 2)	LOA 2	IGTF
Basic	InCommon IdPs	Varies	None
OpenID	OpenID Providers (ICAM LOA 1)	Self asserted	None

Virginia Tech to OSG with Silver



Adding a 2nd Factor

Google Authenticator Registration


Step 1

Download the Google Authenticator app specific to your device.

- [Android OS \(2.1 and higher\) \(QR Code Link\)](#)
- [Apple iOS \(3.1.3 and higher\) \(QR Code Link\)](#)
- [BlackBerry OS \(4.5-6.0\) \(QR Code Link\)](#)

Step 2

Launch the Google Authenticator app and add your token by scanning the QR code or by entering the account information shown below.



Account Name: A534@cilogon.org
Key: R63YPJNYDWVB3KTH
Type of Key: Time based

Step 3

Click the "Verify" button to log in with a one-time password generated by the Google Authenticator app.

Verify

Google Authenticator Login

Your account has been configured to use Google Authenticator as a second authentication factor. Enter a one-time passcode as generated by the app below.

Account: A534@cilogon.org

Passcode:

Enter

[Don't have your phone with you?](#)

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Support for Non-Browser Apps

- Option #1:
 - Use browser-based authentication (SAML, OpenID)
 - Get URL for certificate download (wget/curl)
 - Or use Java Web Start, etc.
 - Use certificate for non-browser authentication
 - *Still requires a browser for initial authentication*
- Option #2
 - Use SAML Enhanced Client or Proxy (ECP) authentication *outside the browser* to download certificate
 - ECP adoption by InCommon campuses beginning
 - Successfully tested with U Illinois, U Washington, U Chicago, U Wisconsin-Madison, LIGO, LTER, and ProtectNetwork
 - More info: www.cilogon.org/ecp
- Also following Project Moonshot (www.project-moonshot.org)

ECP Example

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$ curl -O https://cilogon.org/ecp.pl
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$ perl ecp.pl --get cert -c create -k userkey.pem -o usercert.pem -t 12
```

Select an Identity Provider (IdP):

- 1> LIGO Scientific Collaboration
- 2> LTER Network
- 3> ProtectNetwork
- 4> University of Chicago
- 5> University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 6> University of Washington
- 7> University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 8> Specify the URL of another IdP

Choose [3]: **5**

Enter a username for the Identity Provider: **jbasney**

Enter a password for the Identity Provider: *********

```
$ grid-proxy-init -cert usercert.pem -key userkey.pem -hours 4
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Your identity: /DC=org/DC=cilogon/C=US/O=University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign/
CN=James Basney A534

Creating proxy Done

Your proxy is valid until: Thu Mar 14 18:26:56 2013

```
$ gsissh citest.example.edu
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[jbasney@citest ~]$
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CILogon-HA Partner Projects

- We're working today with OSG, XSEDE, LIGO, DataONE, LTERN, OOI, Globus Online, CVRG, and others
- We're looking for additional partner projects
 - Adoption of higher assurance federated identities
 - Use of federated identities outside the browser
 - International interoperability

Thanks!

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