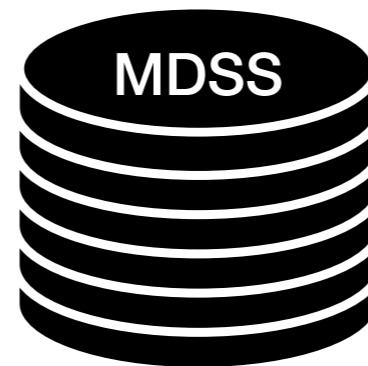


Doing federation the **'SWAMID'** way

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Participants

Federation
Operator

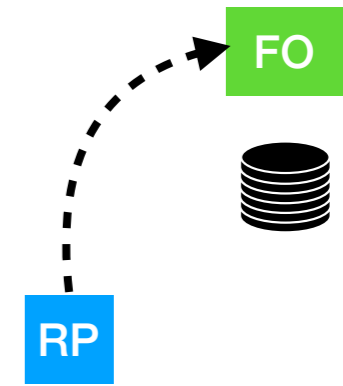


RP

OP

**The same enrollment
process for both OPs and
RPs.**

Enrollment



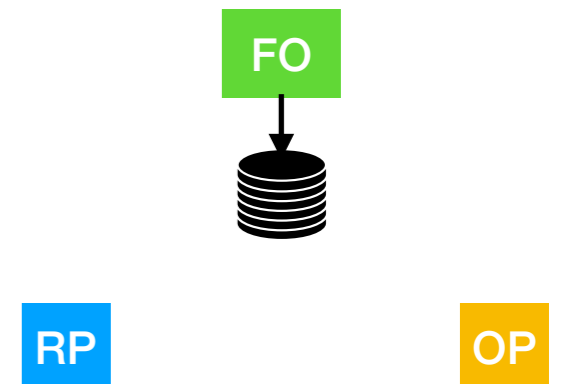
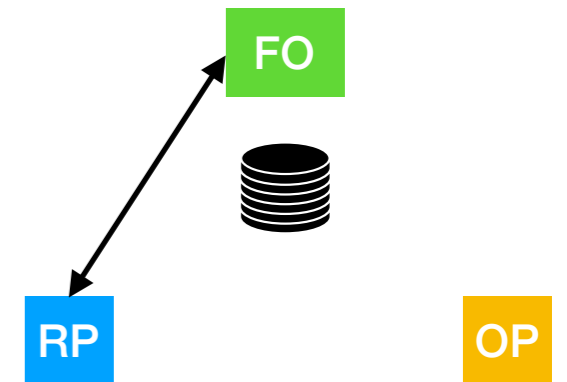
- The enrollment starts with the entity admin transmitting a set of information about the entity to the federation operator.

```
{  
  "entity_id": "https://example.com/rp",  
  "signing_key": {  
    "keys": [{  
      "kty": "EC",  
      "use": "sig",  
      "kid": "1iHeY0a7zxaY_GTCci5VZBnYSMWA1k-Y2IAAxQQC_dc",  
      "crv": "P-256",  
      "x": "JzIE-MlpYdCxbqp5e3EHQcjE1lhL4ugmz-ICPOVYM9I",  
      "y": "EnwwVXjphv4ANF1PfF8-6NmgjZ8Jbu91zNy61W_NAVI"  
    }],  
  "metadata_endpoint": "https://example.com/rp"  
}
```

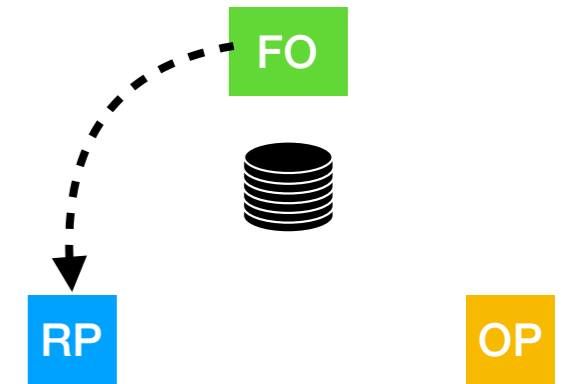
Operator processing

The federation operator (FO):

1. fetches the entity's metadata
2. verifies that the entity metadata doesn't conflict with the Federations policy.
3. may add claims to the metadata
4. sends the metadata to the MDSS
5. sends a enrollment acknowledgement to the entity admin.



Enrollment response



```
{  
  "sms_collection_endpoint": "https://example.com/mdss/sms_col",  
  "signing_keys": {  
    "keys": [{  
      "kty": "EC",  
      "use": "sig",  
      "kid": "RmRpSU5zWHhQSHdVdzVKVXIkZWJNa1IncERPcnZSekVRNGhla2lwSktPSQ",  
      "crv": "P-256",  
      "x": "nTzKK5hnhl7760lZUPjySdOldw4Q71VuQUfHUBAb4FQ",  
      "y": "qtB-R5H5pzKSsbDBq0DhweD1oS2EWeGaa00p-tTarE4"  
    }],  
    "signing_keys_url": "https://fo.example.com/keys.jwks"  
  }  
}
```

- The response contains the MDSS endpoint, from where the metadata statement collection can be fetched.
- It also contains the public parts of the Federation Operators signing keys.
- Pointer to where the MDSS's signing keys can be found.

MDSS processing

- The mdss adds it's signed metadata statements to the entity metadata
- Signs the resulting metadata statement

$FO(ms_ent + SK[ms_ent]) + EDUGAIN(ms_FO + SK[FO])$

- And places it in the out-queue

By reference or by value

By value:

```
FO(ms_ent + SK[ent] + EDUGAIN(ms_FO + SK[FO]))
```

By reference:

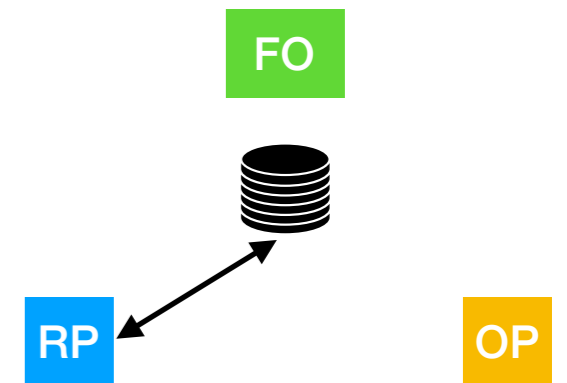
```
FO(ms_ent + SK[ent] + url_EDUGAIN)
```


The metadata statement collection

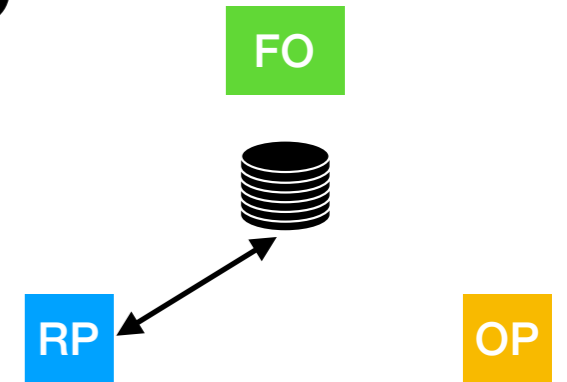
- How to get it
GET */getsmscol/{context}/{entityID}*

- Format

```
{  
  "https://swamid.sunet.se/":  
    "https://mdss.sunet.se/getsms/  
    registration/  
    https%3A%2F%2Frp.example.com%2F/  
    https%3A%2F%2Fswamid.sunet.se%2F",  
  "https://edugain.org/":  
    "https://mdss.sunet.se/getsms/  
    registration/  
    https%3A%2F%2Frp.example.com%2F/  
    https%3A%2F%2Fedugain.org%2F"  
}
```



How to construct a 'federation' message



1. Construct a normal OIDC message
2. Make a copy of (1)
3. Fetch the collection of signed metadata statements from the MDSS
4. Per signed metadata statement
 1. Add the signed metadata statement to the copy
 2. Add own signing keys to the copy
 3. Construct a signed JSON Web Token (JWS) with the copy as body
 4. Add the resulting JWS as a metadata_statement to (1).
5. The result is the federation message.

$\text{ent}(\text{ms}_2_ent + \text{SK}[\text{ent}] + \text{url_EduGAIN}) \Rightarrow \text{SMS}_1$

$\text{ent}(\text{ms}_2_ent + \text{SK}[\text{ent}] + \text{url_SWAMID}) \Rightarrow \text{SMS}_2$

$\text{ms}_2_ent + \text{SK}[\text{ent}] + \text{SMS}_1 + \text{SMS}_2$

Unpacking a metadata statement



The main points

The FO:

- controls who get to be in the Federation
- fetches the metadata from the entity
- verifies/modifies the metadata before signing/publishing
- publishes the signed metadata