



Identity and Access Management

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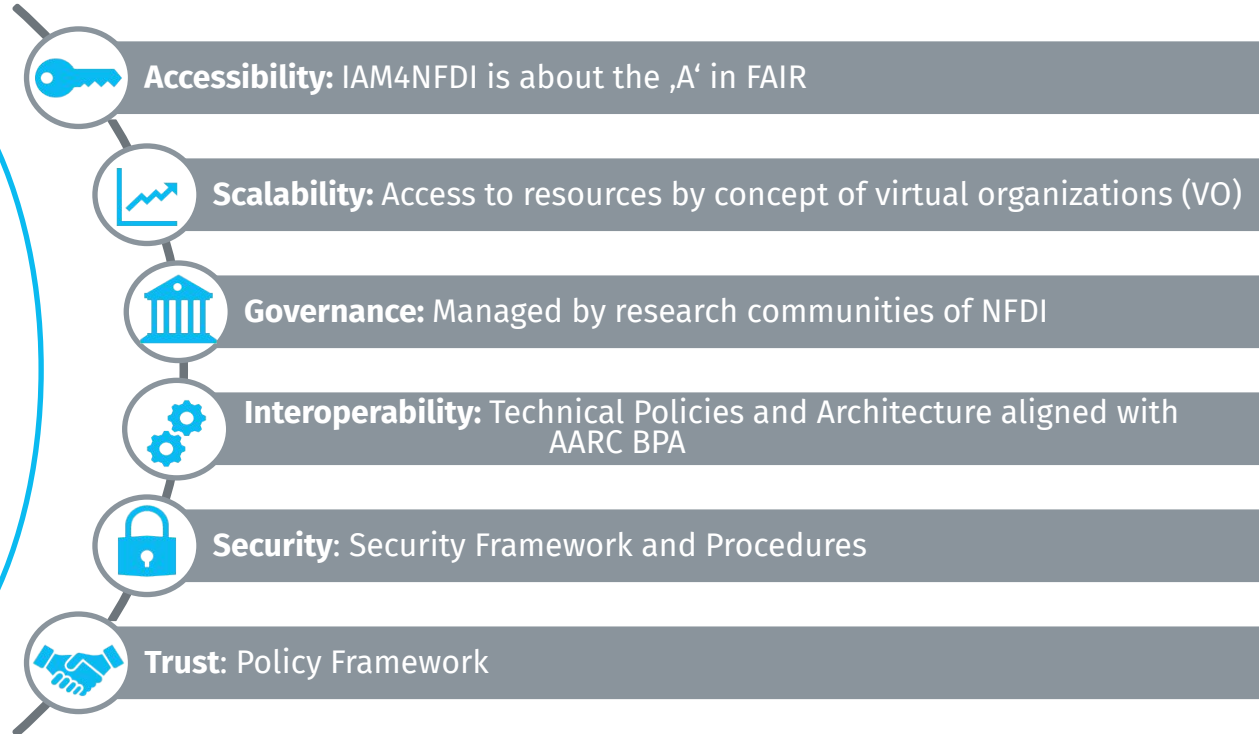
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About IAM4NFDI

Overview of service benefits

IAM4nfdi

Built on **open standards** and existing, well-proven solutions like the **Guidelines of the AARC community**



Where are we now, and where are we going?

Status of service development

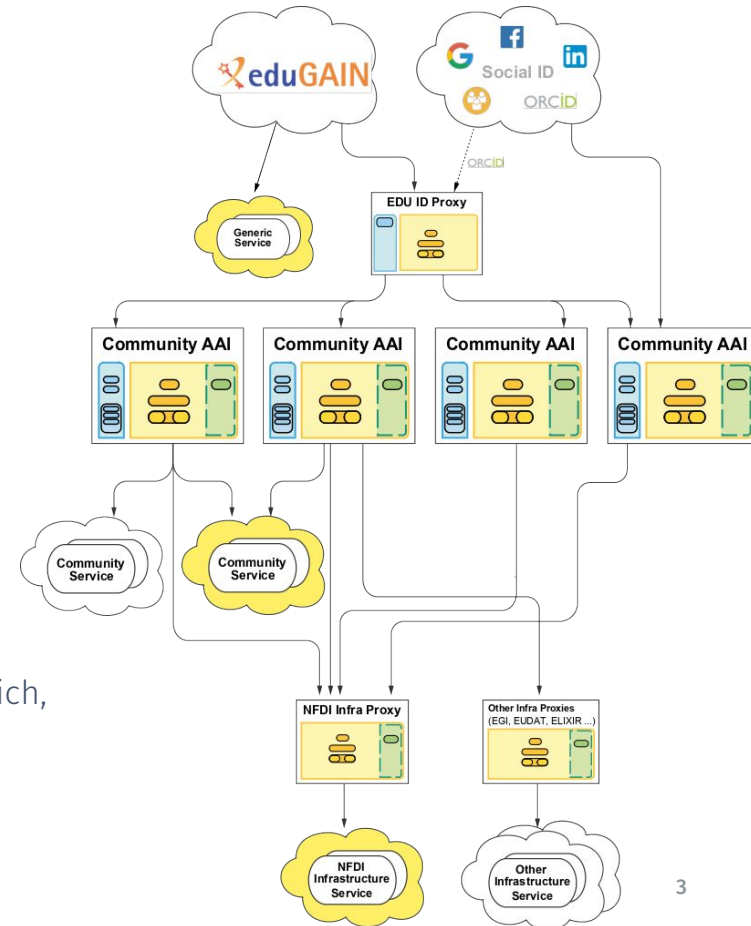
NFDI-AAI

- Architecture based on the AARC Blueprint Architecture
- 4 NFDI Community AAls
 - AcademicID
 - didmos
 - RegApp
 - Unity
- Identities: eduGAIN and national R&E Federations
- NFDI Infra Proxy
- Interoperability: with EOSC AAI and Infrastructures (NHR, EGI, LifeScienceAAI)

Service Providers & Partners

DFN-Verein, RWTH Aachen University, DAASI International, FZ Jülich, GWDG, KIT, RPTU Kaiserslautern-Landau

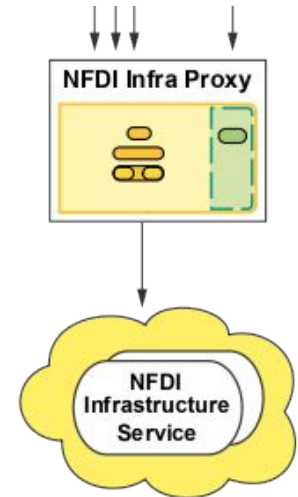
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Infrastructure Proxy

Service component

- The Infrastructure Proxy is supposed to be connected to all Community AAI instances
 - ... and to the central hub of the upcoming EOSC AAI Federation
- Integration point for services that address cross-community use cases, i.e. to make services available to users from the entire NFDI
- Brings together user information from different sources
 - Home IdPs from Identity Federations (DFN-AAI and eduGAIN)
 - ORCID and Social Login
 - DFN edu-ID and Guest IdPs
 - VO membership and resource capability information (Community AAIs)
- Forwards this information to the connected services (if required)
- Enables Identity Linking between Community AAIs and/or other identity sources



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edu-ID

Service component

- DFN edu-ID, proxy-based architecture
(upcoming DFN service, not part of the project)
- Lifelong, self-managed digital identity for research and higher education
- Provides an immutable persistent identifier
- Addresses the problem of “Researcher Mobility”
- Attribute aggregation and account linking from different sources like Home IdPs, ORCID and MyAccessID
 - *planned* → EOSC AAI Federation
- Can be used as Central Guest IdP



Do you need more
information on edu-ID?



<https://www.dfn.de/dfn-edu-id-startet-in-die-pilotphase/>

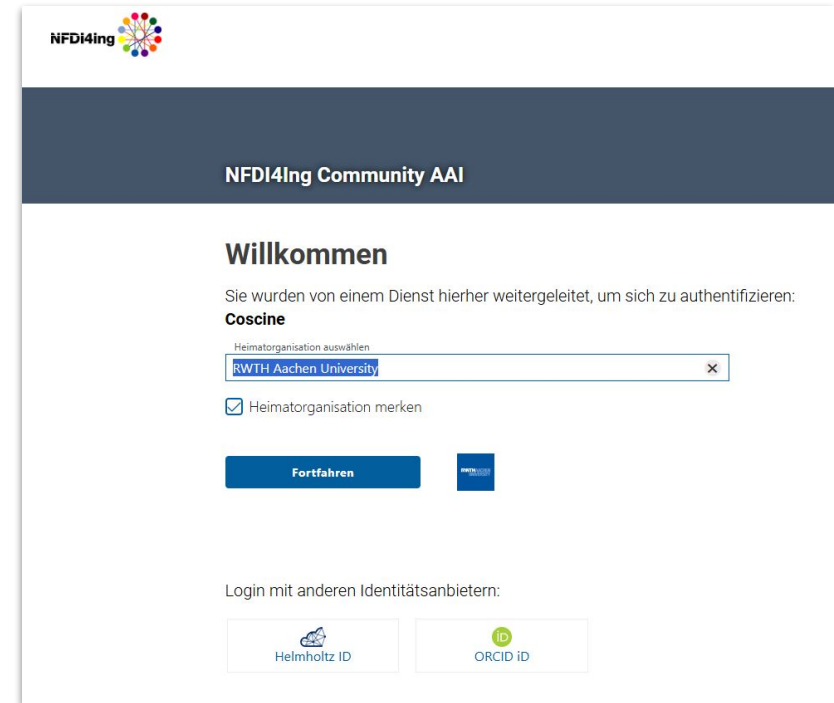
Concept Community AAI

Service component

Connecting your Service

- SAML & OAuth2/OIDC
- Usage of common/standardized attributes
- Reliable set of available information
- No need to handle with multiple home organisations
- Contact the Community AAI operators for client requests

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The screenshot shows the NFDI4Ing Community AAI login interface. At the top left is the NFDI4Ing logo. A dark blue header bar contains the text "NFDI4Ing Community AAI". Below this, the heading "Willkommen" is followed by the instruction: "Sie wurden von einem Dienst hierher weitergeleitet, um sich zu authentifizieren:". The service name "Coscine" is displayed. A dropdown menu for "Heimatorganisation auswählen" shows "RWTH Aachen University" selected. There is a checkbox labeled "Heimatorganisation merken" which is checked. Below these are two buttons: "Fortfahren" and a smaller blue button with a logo. At the bottom, under the heading "Login mit anderen Identitätsanbietern:", there are two buttons: "Helmholtz ID" and "ORCID iD".

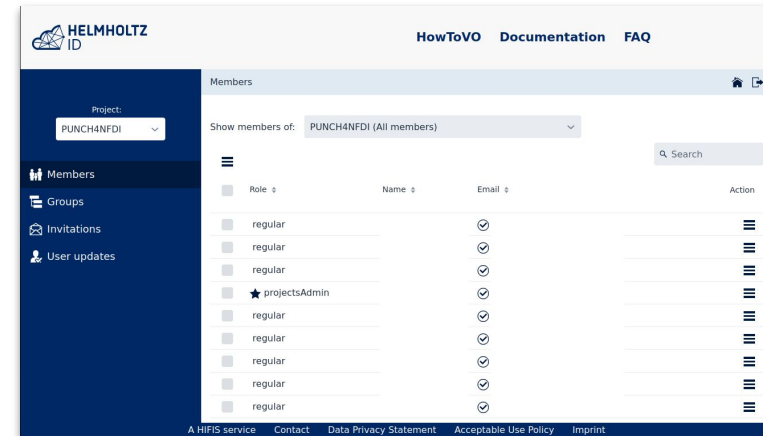
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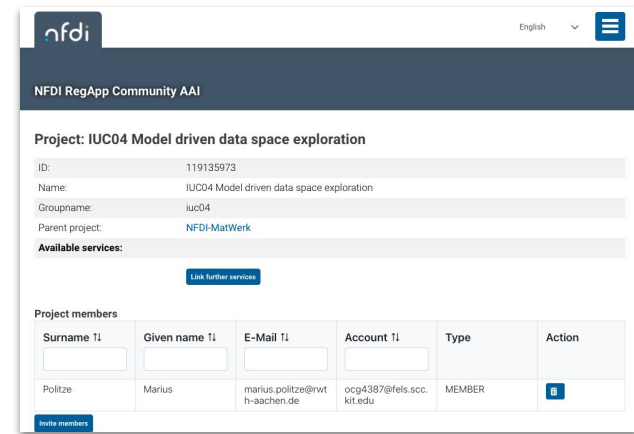
Management of groups within the community

- Communities are called **Virtual Organisation (VO)**
- Namespace per community/consortium under **urn:geant:dfn.de:nfdi.de**
- UI for management/invitation of the community members
- Subgroups to structure the community
- Permission management via roles/subgroups
- Contact the Community AAI Operators for a VO request

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The screenshot shows the 'Members' management page for the 'PUNCH4NFDI' project. The interface includes a sidebar with navigation options: Members, Groups, Invitations, and User updates. The main content area displays a table of members with columns for Role, Name, Email, and Action. The table lists several 'regular' members and one 'projectsAdmin' member, all with checkmarks in the Email column and menu icons in the Action column. A search bar is located at the top right of the table.



The screenshot shows the 'NFDI RegApp Community AAI' project details page for the project 'IUC04 Model driven data space exploration'. The page displays the following information:

- Project:** IUC04 Model driven data space exploration
- ID:** 119135973
- Name:** IUC04 Model driven data space exploration
- Groupname:** iuc04
- Parent project:** NFDI-MatWerk
- Available services:** (Link further services)

Below the project details, there is a table for 'Project members' with columns: Surname, Given name, E-Mail, Account, Type, and Action. The table lists one member: Marius Politze, with email marius.politze@rwth-aachen.de and account ocg4387@fels.scc.kit.edu, with a 'MEMBER' type and an 'Invite' button in the Action column.

Community AAI ↔ Consortia Map

Current IAM integration status in NFDI

Covering 20/26 NFDI consortia (~76.9 %)

(currently third round of incubators)

Different requirement profiles

- consulting and standard onboarding
- development of new features
- discussion of policies

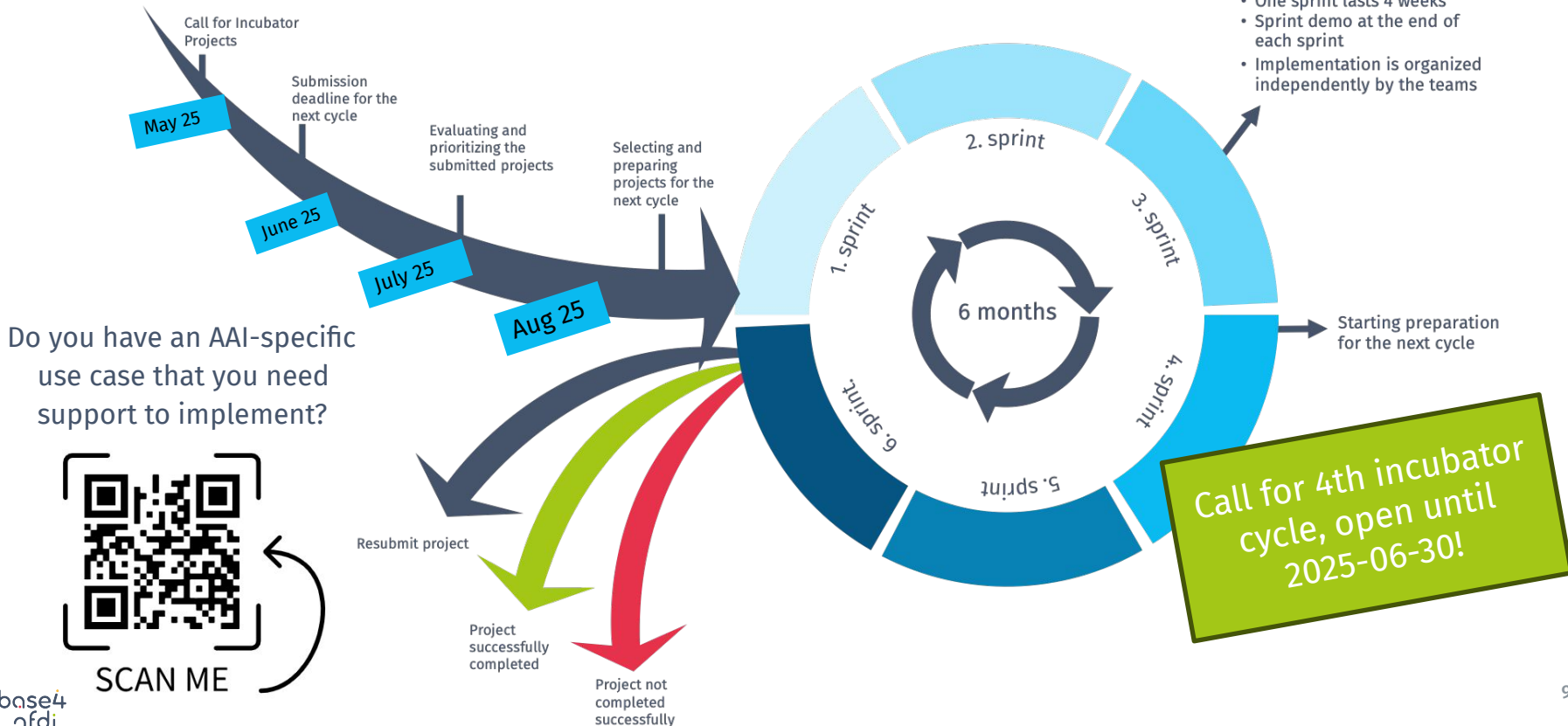
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DataPLANT					x
FAIRagro					x
FAIRmat				x	
GHGA					x
KonsortSWD					
MaRDI		x			
NFDI4Biodiversity	x				
NFDI4BIOIMAGE					
NFDI4Cat			x		
NFDI4Chem			x		
NFDI4Culture		x			
NFDI4DataScience			x		
NFDI4Earth	x				
NFDI4Energy			x		
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NFDI4ING			x		
NFDI4Memory					
NFDI4Microbiota					
NFDI4Objects		x			
NFDI-MatWerk			x		
NFDIxCS	x				
PUNCH4NFDI				x	
Text+	x				

Get Involved: Incubator Process

Shape and adopt the service

Sprint phases:

- One sprint lasts 4 weeks
- Sprint demo at the end of each sprint
- Implementation is organized independently by the teams



Quiz: How are communities called in the CAAI context?

- A) Virtual Reality
- B) Organisational Units
- C) Virtual Organisations



Thank you!
Questions?



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