

Norwegian middleware (mostly Feide) GNOMIS 25.09.2006 Ingrid Melve, FEIDE manager and UNINETT CTO

Overview

- Feide organization
- Campus IdM for higher education
- IdM for schools
- Login service (Sun AM/FM)
 - Government security portal
 - Open source, vendor support
 - ◆ SAML
- Information model: norEdu + provisioning
- Contracts and trust model
- Deployed services



Feide organization 2006

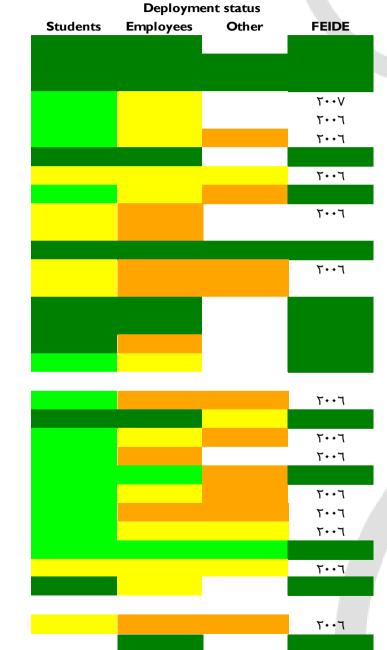
- 7 man years (4 women, 4 men) for central Feide
- 6-8 man years for Feide in schools, 1,5 for Feide on campus in higher education
- Steering committee with 5 members
 - Appointed by Uninett board
- Advisory concil appointed by KD (Ministry of Education)
- Formal meetings with Abelia and IKT-Norge (vendors)
- User groups: technology and/or region-based





Campus status









Campus IdM for higher education

- The great cleanup process is mostly finished
- Change of HR system ahead (SAP coming) implies changes for employees
- Daily IdM routines are getting better, still work to do on
 - Interfaces from student registries
 - Integration BAS/CIdMS with applications
 - «Others» categori (10-30% of users)
 - Security, risk assessments, documentation, privacy, policy



IdM for schools

- Political decision february 2006: all schools should have federated IdM available by 2008
- Pilots started 2005, first operational 2006
- Regional support for secondary schools (Vgs), 8 regions operational by fall 2007
- Special support team: Uninett ABC
- Share
 - Login service
 - Trust model
 - Information model (mostly)

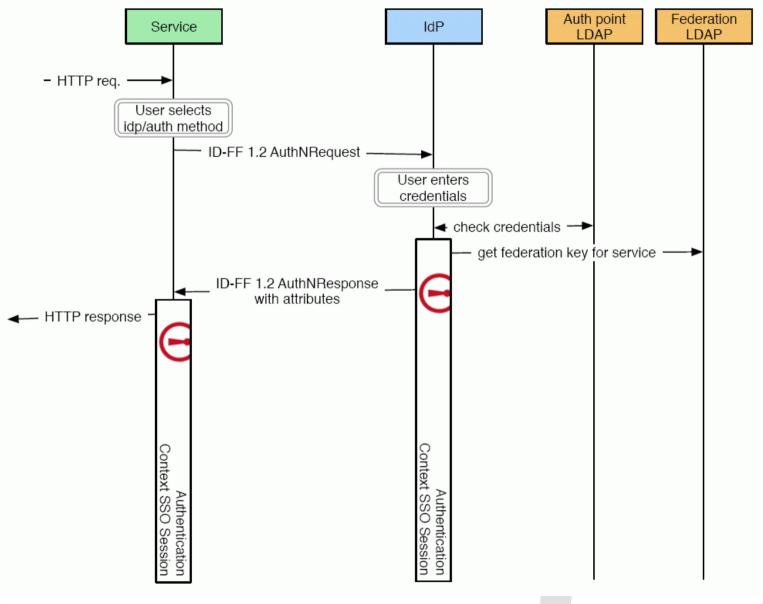


Login service (Sun AM/FM)

- Collaboration with Sun
 - Access Manager, demo 20.06, pre-prod
 18.9, operational medio November
 - Federation Manager, ready? package
- Open source, vendor support
- Underlaying standards
 - ID-FF1.2 + homegrown attribute support + multi-LDAP
 - SAML2.0 + homegrown multi-LDAP



MoriaAM, new login





Login: Liberty Alliance and SAML

- More effort on gathering LA-compliant Norwegian players
 - Workshop October 17, start user group
- Plan to support multi-vendor environment
 - First test: Shibboleth (worked OK)
 - Next test: NAM from Novell (TBD)
- Want to deploy services in collaboration with other players, most importantly MyID



Liberty Alliance

- ID-FF (Federation Framework)
 - Single sign-on and single log off
 - Supports sessions and federated identities
 - Based on HTTP, XML, SAML
 - Communication for user, login and service
- ID-WSF (Web Service Framework)
 - Communication between service (on behalf of user)
- ID-SIS (Service Interface Specifications)



Liberty Alliance rammeverk

Identity Federation Framework (ID-FF) Enables Identity federation and management	Personal Profile Employee Profile Business Profile Business Profile Contact Book Calendar Presence Alert Wallet Payment Notification Availability Geolocation Gaming SMS/MMS Messaging	•
through features such as identity/account linkage, simplified sign on, and simple session management	Identity Web Services Framework (ID-WSF) Provides the framework for building interoperable identity-based web services.	■ Inv
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♦ ID-FF

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* Replace Moria2 WSDL

- \star SSO and SLO
- Investigate
 - ◆ ID-WSF
 - * Personal Profile
 - * Employee Profile
 - Maybe ID-SIS



Components

- IdP (Identity Provider)
 - Moria, with multiple AP
 - I Feide: Ein IdP og fleire
 SP danner føderasjon
- AP (Authentication Point)
 - ID-bank, local LDAP

- SP (Service Provider)
 - service/application

- May contact multiple
 IdPs, implies
 membership in
 multiple federations
- Web client (end user)



Federated identity

- Each service provider has one key per user
 - One-time or permanent key
 - Service may change key
 - User may change key (without changing identity)
- Identity Provider (IdP) knows all keys within federation
- «To federate» is for two parties to agree on a key for a user



Login: Crossfederations

- Government security portal support implemented, PKI portal cancelled due to financial/commercial issues
- Interim solution 2007: MyID based on SAML2.0 (SunAM)
- MyID will act as IdP for Feide, Feide as SP for MyID

- EduGAIN
 - Demonstrated first
 login with Switch
- Nordic work
 - Watch Mikael's demo
 - Integration of
 Shibboleth and Sun
 software (AM/FM)



Information model: attribute definitions

- Final draft of norEdu* 1.4 with modifications
- Feide usage notes added to all relevant attributes in norEdu* 1.4
- norEdu definitions are part of Feide contract
- Work started on school requirements
 - Parents (legal guardians), pupils, teachers
 - Organizational structure
 - Advise on Feide usage
 - Data inspectorate (started with age 15+)



Information model: standard for provisioning

- Starting work on Norwegian standard for CIdMS-related provisioning 10.10.2006
- Several components exist:
 - IMS Enterprise Services, multiple use cases
 - ESU for describing course related XML
 - ABC enterprise (CIdMS) from student registry
 - Specific XML solution
- Aim to have XML description by mid-2007





Contracts and trust model

- Revamped contract text based on operational experiences
 - Rewritten everyting
- Added hooks for cross-federation
- Tried to align with HAKA and Swich-AAI
 - Different architecture
 - Differences due to politics and culture
- Minor adjustments in trust model due to SSO



Deployed services (new 2006)

- University colleges (SP: Trofast): ePhorte (casework/archive)
- Higher ed (SP: Inmeta): Student software license (in test)
- UiO: Elections
- NTNU: Course subscriptions, DNS update requests
- Uninett: Sympa, wiki, portal
- Feide: Customer portal

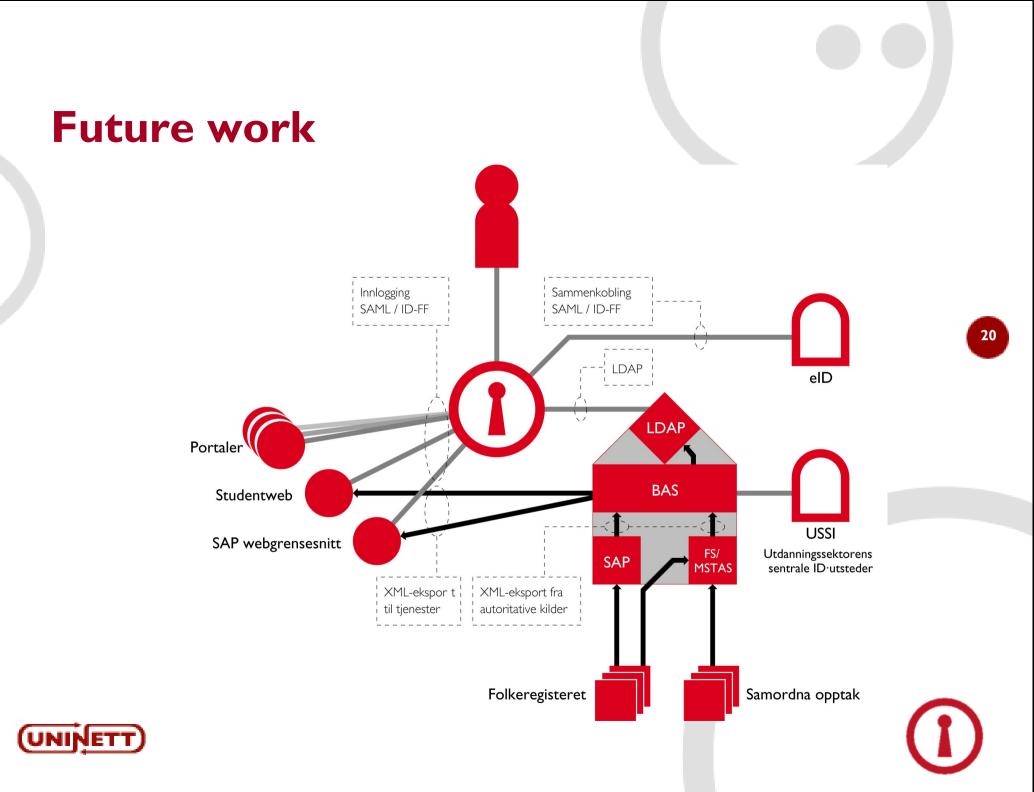


Service Providers (2003-2005)

- Mitt BIBSYS
- Frida
- Local portals
- StudentWeb
- Vortex webdav
- Innsyn (who am I)
- SAP testing (SAP HR/EP)
- Lasso
- Infodesign course

- FAS-portal serveroversikt
- National library research services
- Electronic invoice
- E-learning: BrainBank





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