

Updates of APGridPMA

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General Status



- Chair and Vice Chair (2018.01-2019.12): Reelected at 20th APGridPMA F2F Meeting in Oct. 2017
 - Chair: Eric Yen (ASGCCA, Taiwan)
 - Vice Chair: Eisaku Sakane (HPCI CA, Japan)
 - Next Chair election will take place in next APGridPMA virtual meeting later in 2019 (planned meeting @APAN48 in Malaysia was cancelled)
- Routine Gathering
 - Spring: Together with ISGC in Taiwan
 - Fall: Collocated with e-Science or Networking events
 - Virtual meeting will be arranged upon request or whenever there is any issue in-between F2F meetings
- Self Auditing Report: Once a year for each member CA
- Regional Catch-All CA: ASGCCA, now supporting users through local RAs in ID, IN, MN, LK, NZ, PH, TH, VN

СА	ccTLD	Last Self Audit	#valid Cert	IPv6	Production eduGAIN SPs
AIST CA	JP				
APAC CA	AU				
ASGC CA	TW	Mar. 2018	165, 286, 14	Y	
AusCert	AU			Y	AAF
CNIC CA	CN	Aug. 2015	21		
SDG CA	CN	Aug. 2015	2		
HKU CA	CN	April 2019	3, 26, 1	Y	HKAF/JUCC
HPCI CA	JP	April 2019	227, 273	Y	GakuNin/NII
IGCA	IN	Mar. 2018	134, 23		INFED/INFLIBNET
IHEP CA	CN	April 2019	67, 41, 16	Y	
KEK CA	JP	April 2019	167, 145	Y	
KISTI CA	KR	Mar. 2018	<i>33, 28, 3</i>	Y	KAFE/KISTI
MYIFAM	MY	April 2019	5	Y	SIFULAN/SIFULAN
NCHC CA	TW				
NECTEC CA	ТН	March, 2014	4, 13		
NAREGI CA	JP				
PRAGMA- UCSD	US				

From IGTF Communication Challenge

- Yihua Zheng @cstnet.cn is the new CA manger of CNIC CA and SDG CA hosting by Chinese Academy of Sciences
- Yihua also responded to the IGTF communication challenge in late Oct. 2019

Research & Application Support



- Flexible authentication and cross-institute AAI
 - Integration with local SSO (SAML, X.509, OpenID, Username/password, etc) and move towards token-based authZ
- Regional activities
 - APAN IAM: 9 production eduGAIN federations in operation in Asia
 - Attribute and Metadata Sharing/Aggregation: HPCI CA
 - Sharing of experiences from deployment, integration and case study
 - Will be included in the future APGridPMA meetings
 - Based on requirements and workflow of user communities
 - Experiences learned from large-scale international HEP and astronomy communities: LHC, Belle, AMS, KAGRA, etc.
 - Extending to regional collaborations on multiple disciplines, such as life science, astronomy, disaster mitigation, ecological/biodiversity monitoring, e-Culture, etc.
- Policy framework and architecture guideline: IGTF, FIM4R, AARC, WISE, Sirtfi, Snctfi,
- Issues (partly)
 - User attributes and group information translation between service providers
 - Infrastructure for multiple VOs; federation of multiple single-VO infrastructure;
 - Credential delegation from local SP to the cloud/e-infrastructure
 - Procedures to allow users to increase the LoA
 - Becoming an SP of new AAI with enabled access of SAML/eduGAIN ..., and the attribute sharing mechanism
 - What are the missing software tools

Future Meetings



- TAGPMA28 @Internet2 TechEx 2019: 9-12 Dec. 2019 New Orleans, LA, USA
- EUGridPMA 48: January 2020
- 25th APGridPMA: 8 March 2020, Academia Sinica, Taiwan, collocated with ISGC2020
 - Security Workshop: 9 March 2020
- HEPiX Spring 2020: 2-6 March, Academia Sinica, Taiwan