

ID Federation Trust Framework Newsletter

Welcome!

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Questions?

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Federation 101: Trust Framework—

Alternatively called operating agreements, this document contains business, legal, and technical rules which define and govern use of federation technology to accomplish our mission.

Initial Core Team:

Agency/Assoc.

- ACT
- BB&T
- The Council
- Slocum Agency

Carrier

- EMC Ins.
- Hanover Ins.
- The Hartford
- Progressive Ins.

Vendor

- Applied Systems
- Vertafore
- LexisNexis

Upcoming Events:

Oct

- IIW Conference—16th

Nov

- ACORD IF—2-4th
- Issue 2—end of Nov

Dec

- In Person—13
- Issue 3—end of Dec
- Establish Entity non-profit

Jan

- Issue 4—end of Jan
- V1.0 Trust Framework

Our **mission** is to provide our industry with common legal and technical standards which will **remove** the need for multiple passwords while **increasing security** and the **ease of doing business** with one another.

Industry Collaboration

Why

Security and identity management are some of the top concerns within our industry. Our team is building a trust framework to solve for this painpoint in our industry.

How

Trust Frameworks accomplish the mission by allowing interoperability via common agreements.

“...it greatly simplifies processes, saving hundreds of hours per day for vendors, carriers, support staff, and most importantly, users.”

-Gray Nester, SVP BB&T

If interested in becoming a member of the trust framework and finding more information about budget figures for your organization please contact us. Funding will be tiered based upon both organization's size as well as role within the trust framework.

Our Core Team

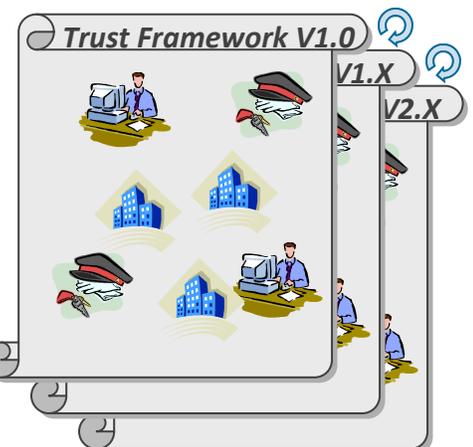


Our team is dedicated to industry adoption:

- **Business**—Ensure profitability and economic efficiencies with business models and use cases.
- **Legal**—Develop proper policies for protection, indemnification, and governing principles.
- **Technical**—Provide requirements and best practices to follow for common implementation and interoperability.

What makes a Trust Framework?

An important part of the team's work is to craft a trust framework that leverages existing organizational agreements and business processes. Building on that foundation, the current focus of this effort is on authentication and common agreements that will facilitate interoperability and identity federation. The team has identified business use cases and key audiences involved that will be covered by V1.0 of the trust framework. Future iterations will extend covered use cases and involved entities.



Want to get involved?

- Be sure to submit the “Join the Conversation” form:
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The initial core team was limited to ensure quick, agile development, but we look to expand after January 2012.

