



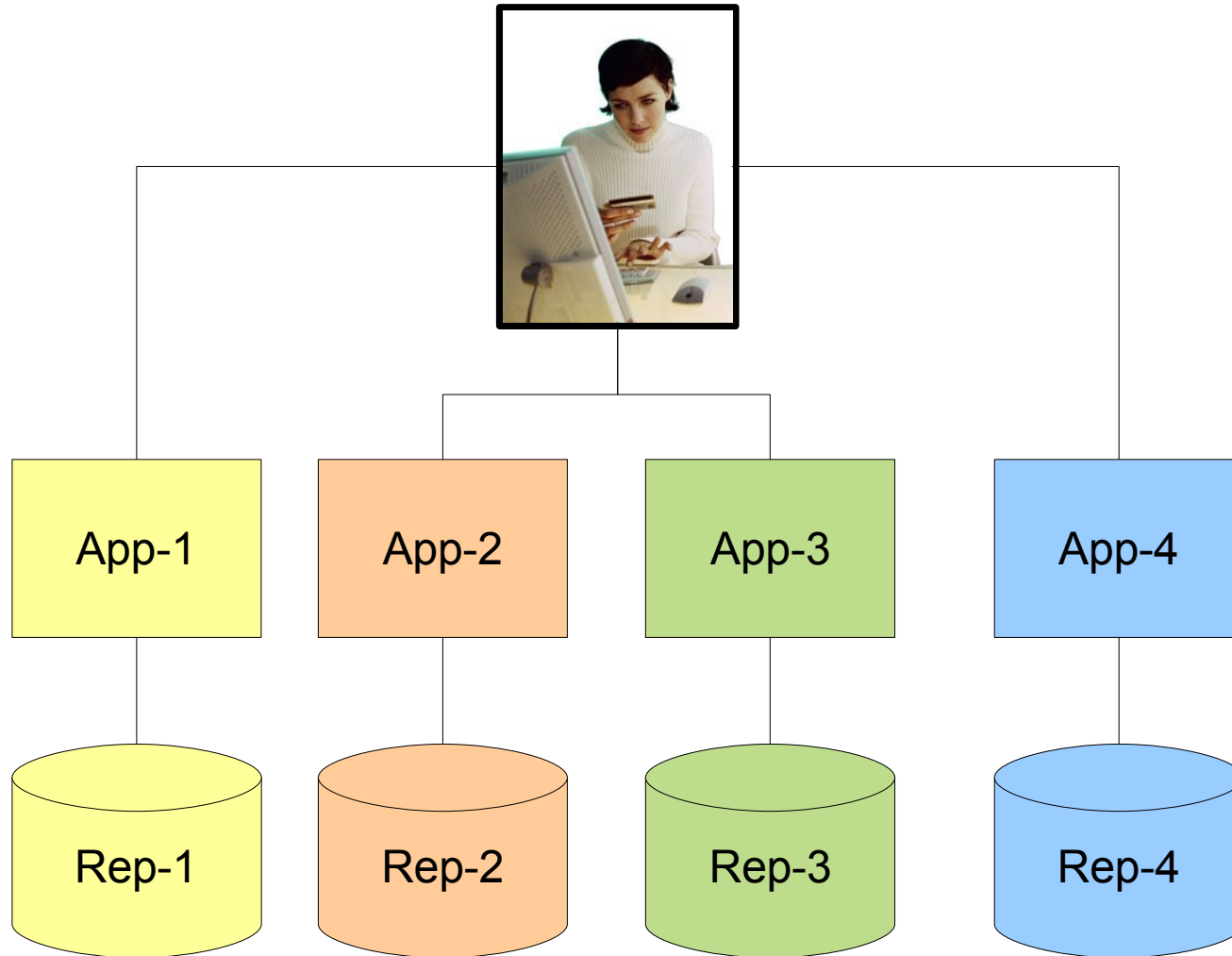
# Identity Jungle

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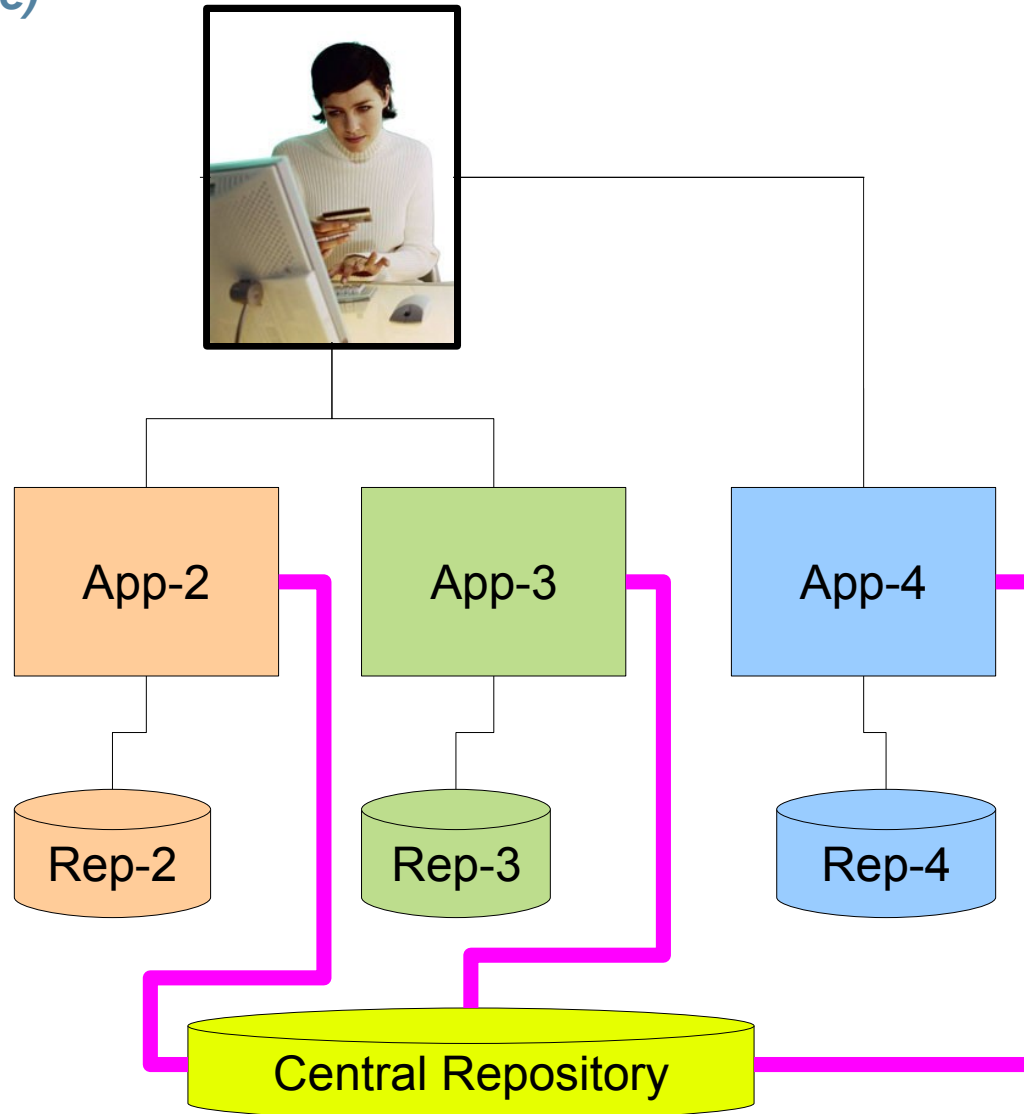
# Identity Legacy

*(let's built my own flavor)*



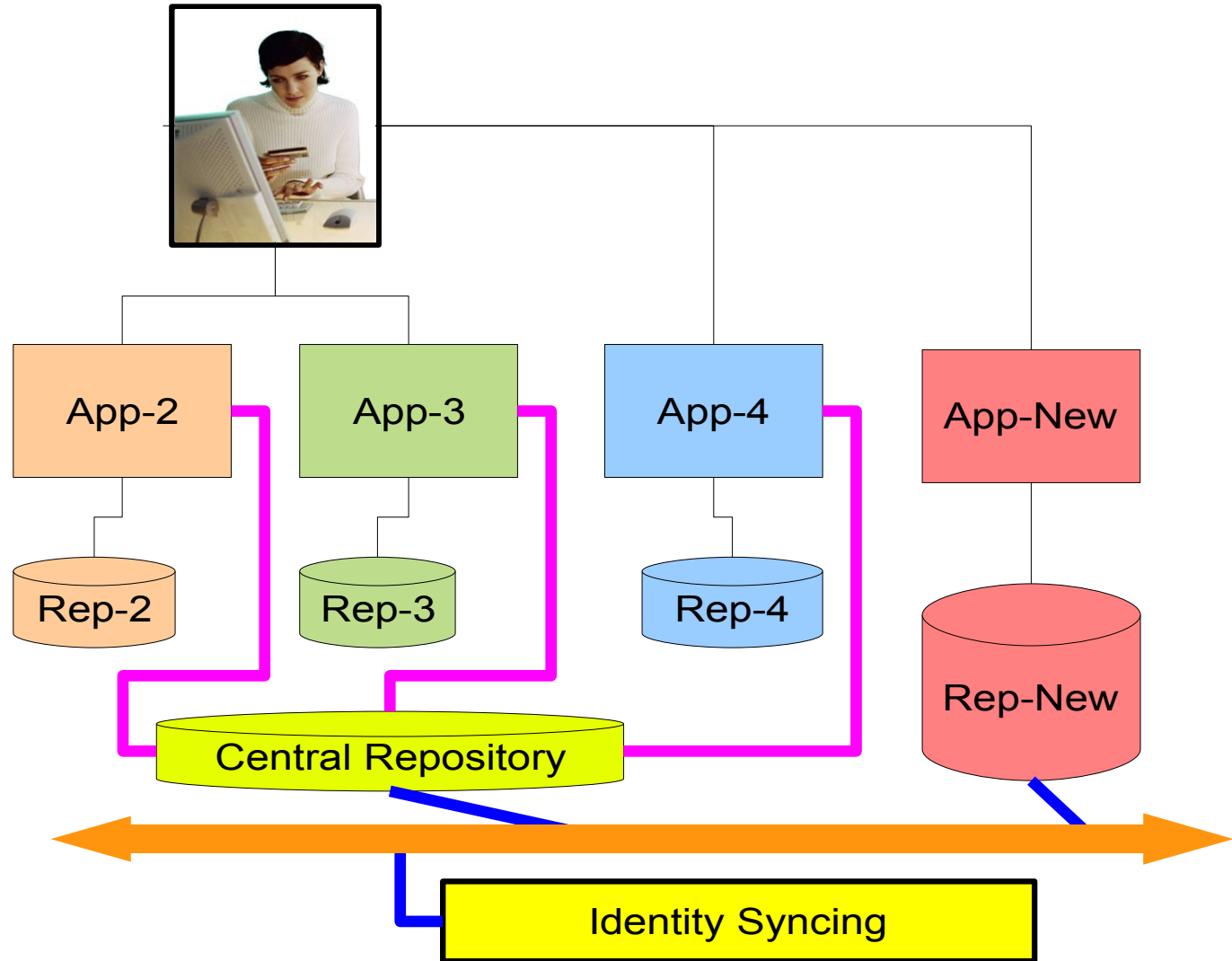
# Unique Central repository

*(almost unique)*



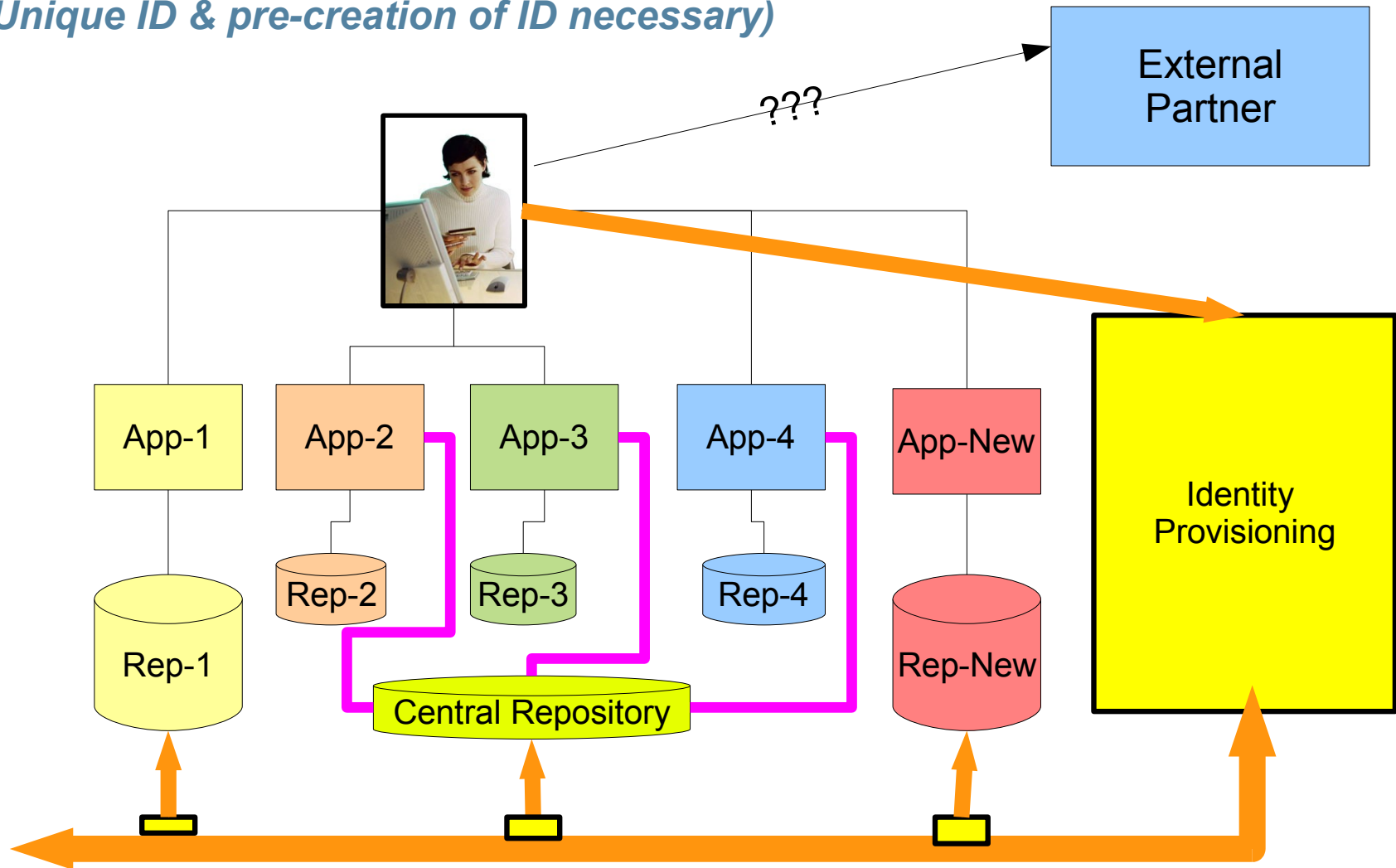
# Identity and Password Syncing

*(adhoc solution, hero period, do it yourself)*



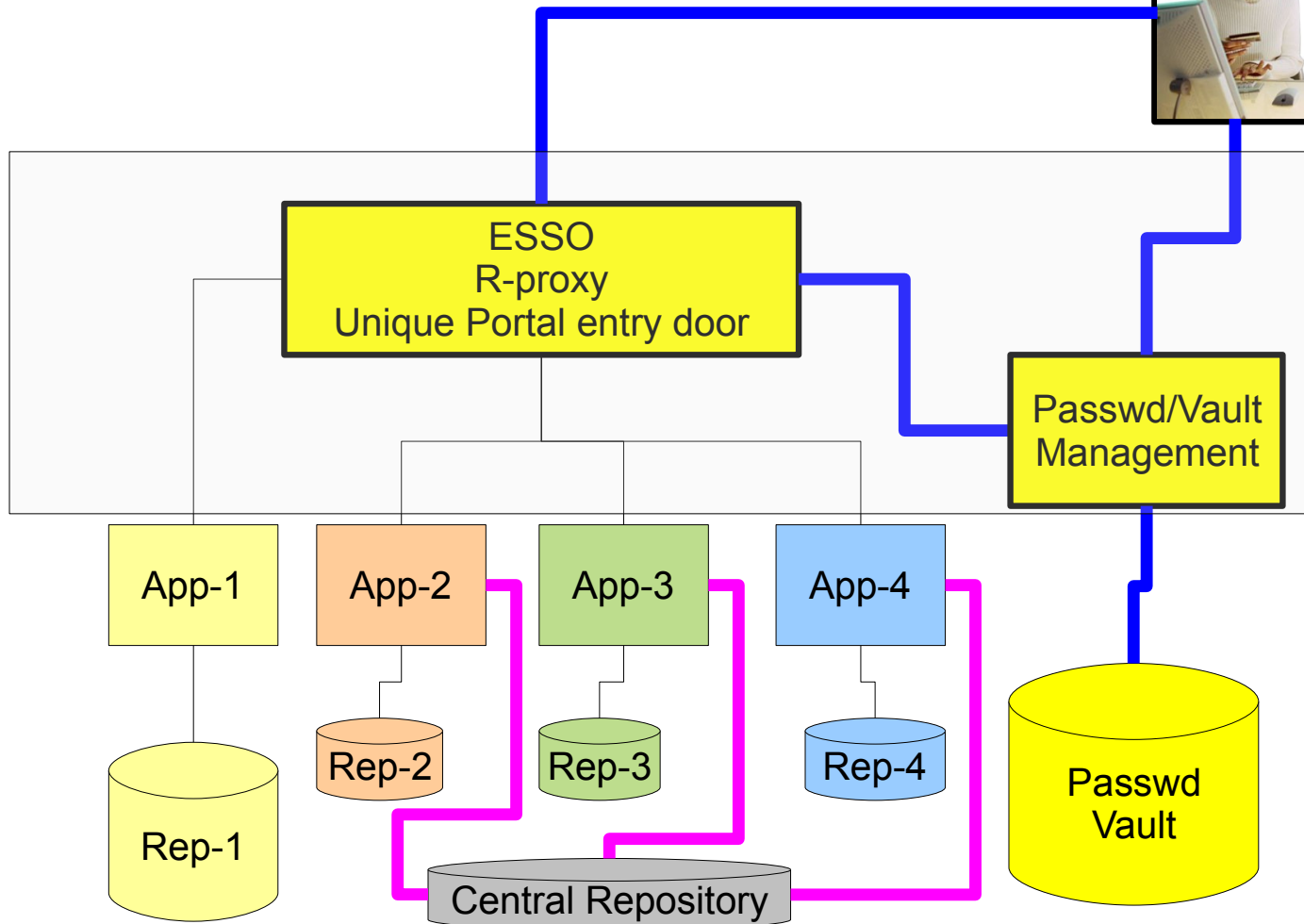
# Identity Full Provisioning

*(Unique ID & pre-creation of ID necessary)*



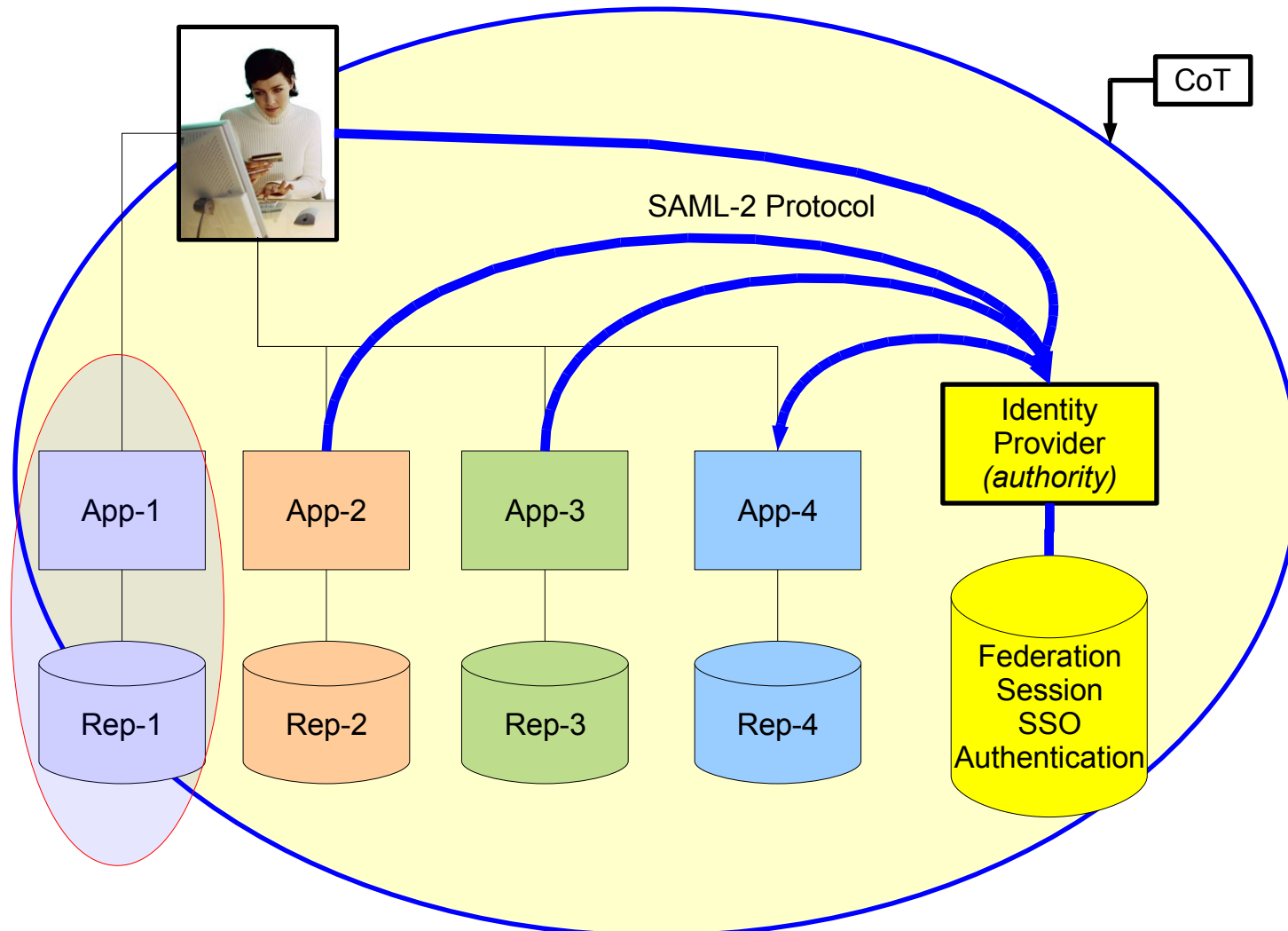
# Portal centric, eSSO, rProxy,

*(do not solve the problem, but hide it)*



# Federation [Liberty-SAML2]

*(no unique-ID, Lazy provisioning, Roaming)*



# Standards why and what ?

## •Portability versus Interoperability

- Posix, Java, PHP,...
- TCP/IP, HTTP, SOAP,...

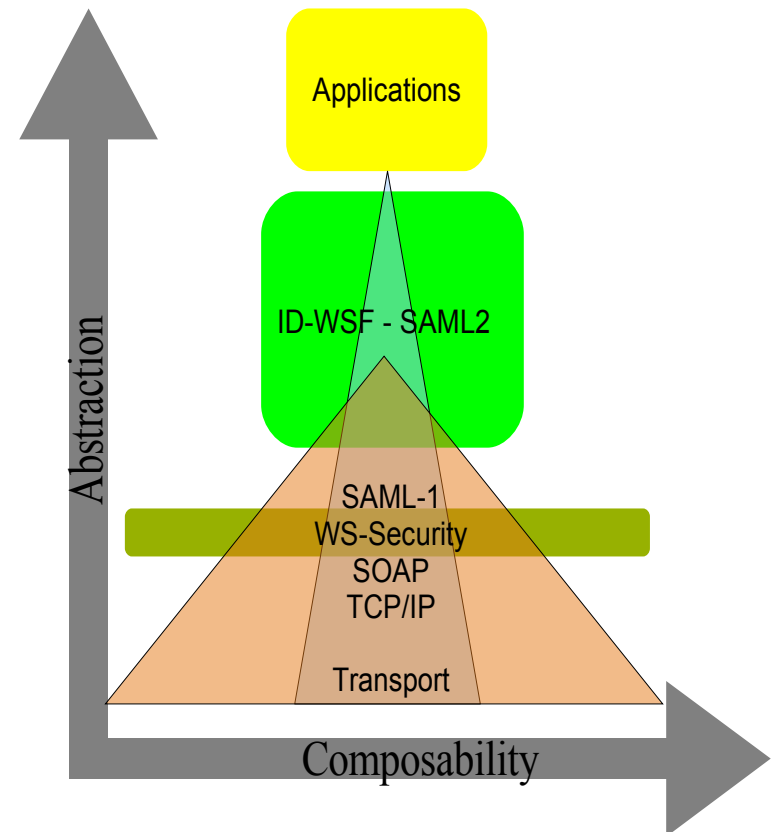
## •Cost of adoption

- legacy applications
- end-user adoption

## •Level Services provided

- transport: end to end, point to point, stream, broadcast
- security: encoding, authorization, authentication, legal compliance
- infrastructure: user schema, group management, discovery mechanism
- Compliance to legislation

•etc.

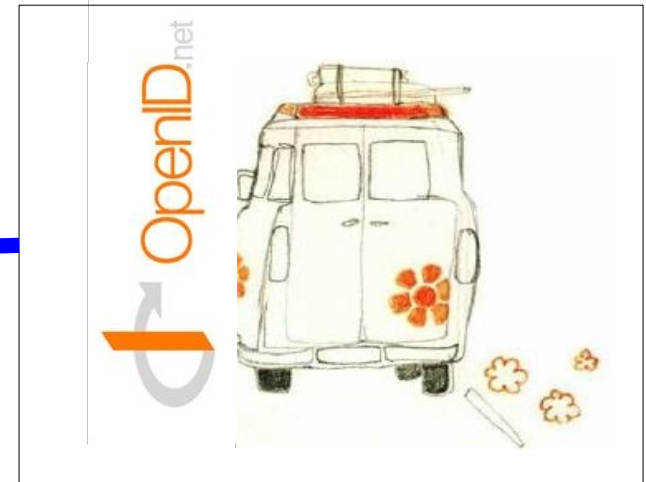




# Should we even know about this ?



# User Centric versus User Control



TCP/IP Brain interface



Cardspace / ID selectors



# How much user centric ?

- **Dick Hart & Kim Cameron**

- Protocol passed through end user terminal
- Because SP/RP must trust user terminal, no contract in between IDP and SP/RP is required.
- Self defined or when needed ID can be signed/store by a trusted authority

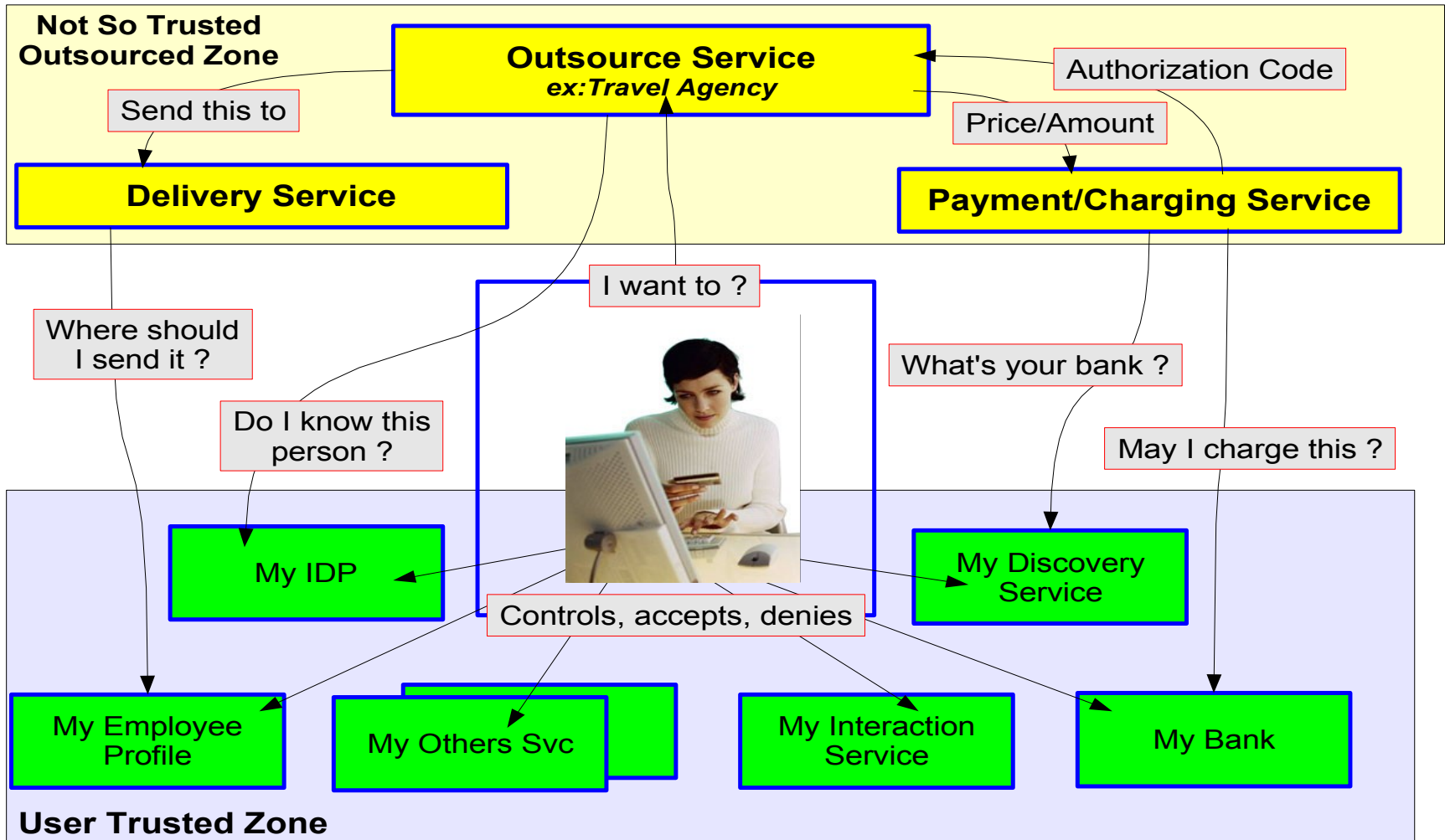
- **Open-ID**

- “Nobody should own this” (*Brad Fitzpatrick*)
- User as full freedom of choosing its ID and IDP
- User can delegate or handle its own authority

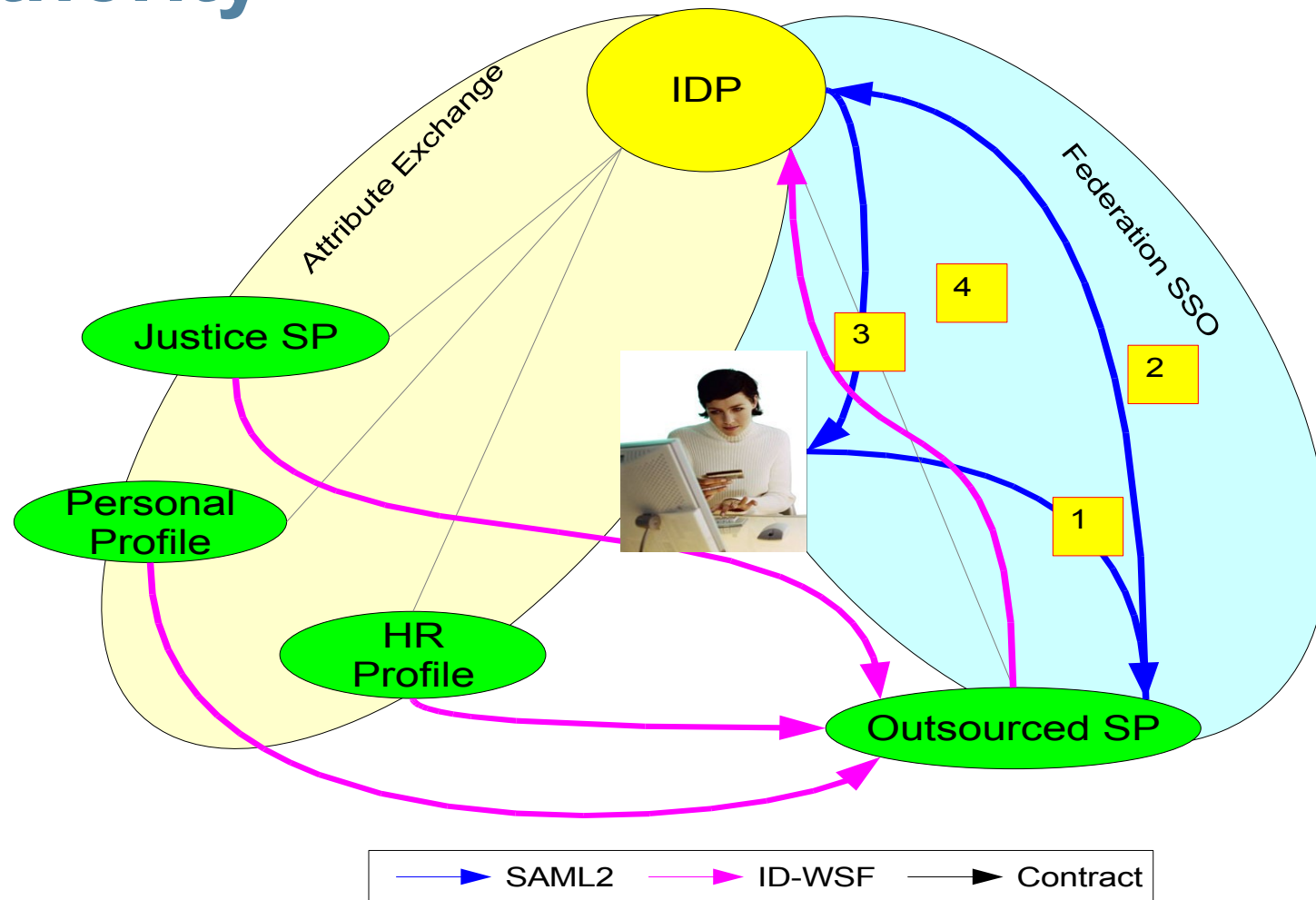
- **Liberty-SAML2**

- Protocol with built-in privacy
- User as to consent, when ever needed
- Relation based on a contractual trust

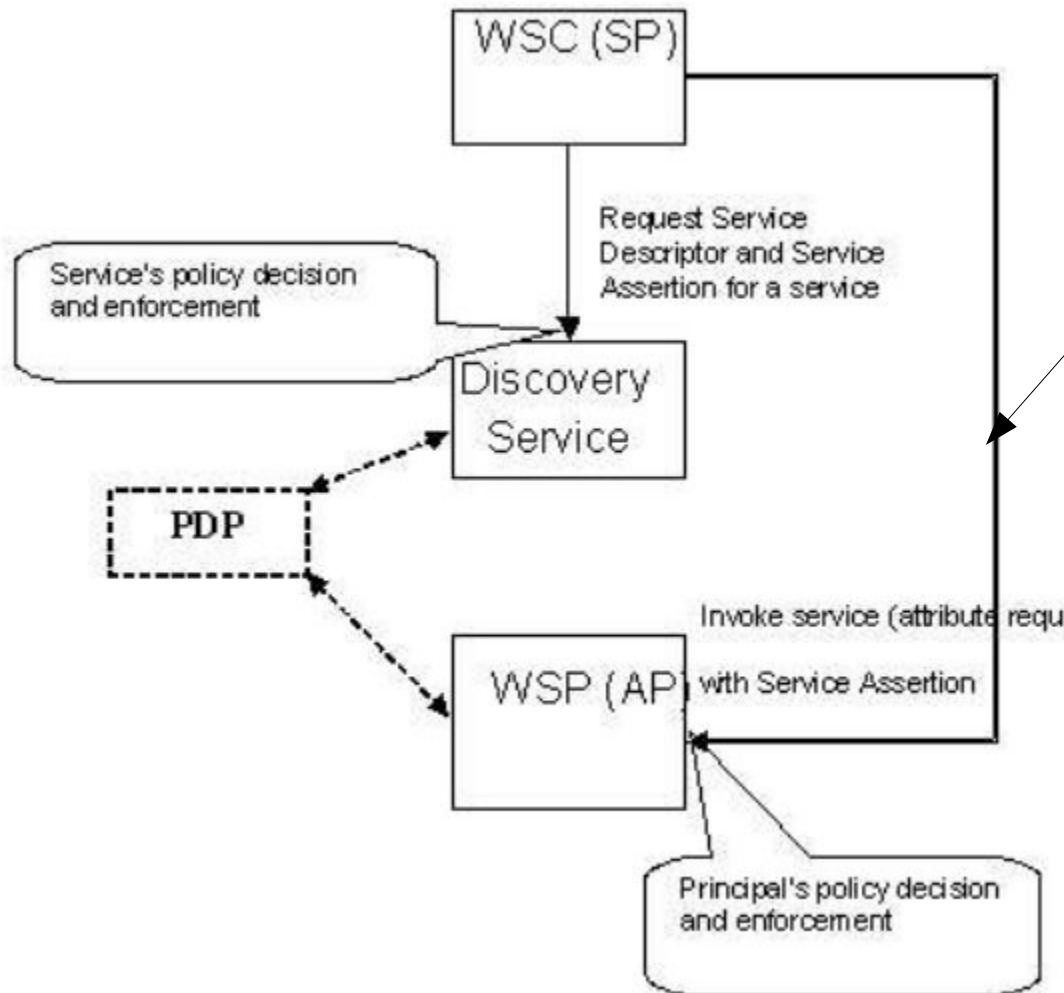
# What's about after authentication



# How to retrieve attributes bypassing the authentication authority



# Attributes Exchange (ID-WSF)

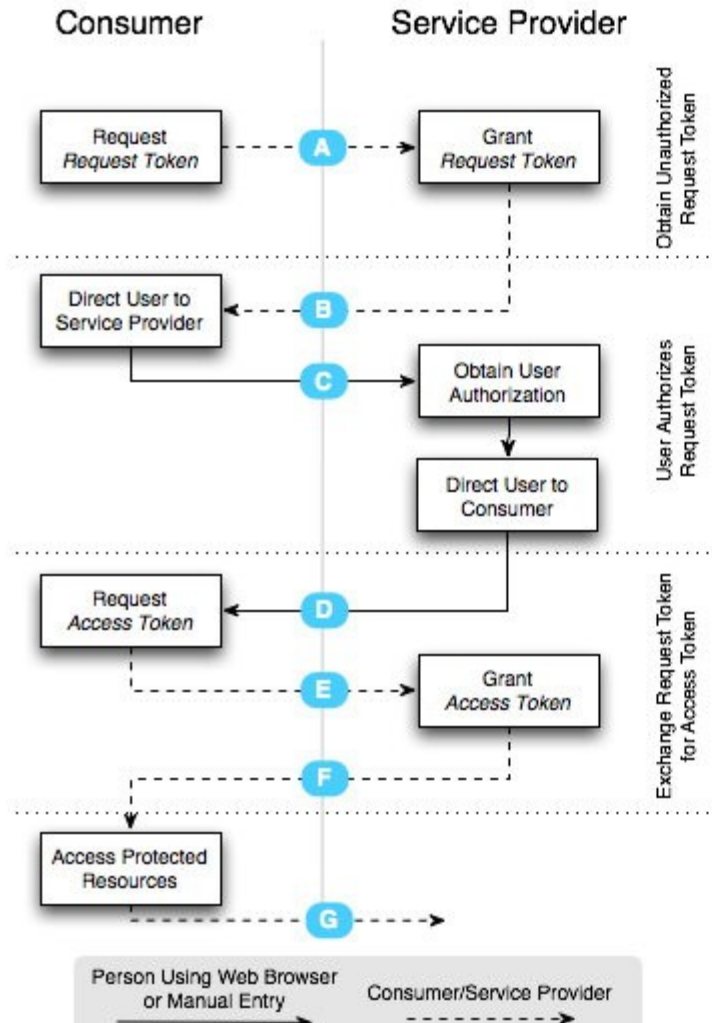


Informations provided to invoke the attribute provider

- EndPoint (where is the service)
- NameID (define target user within the service)
- Security Token (authority vision on the transaction)

# oAuth (web authentication token)

## OAuth Authentication Flow



### A Consumer Requests Request Token

Request includes  
 oauth\_consumer\_key,  
 oauth\_signature\_method,  
 oauth\_signature,  
 oauth\_timestamp,  
 oauth\_nonce,  
 oauth\_version (optional).

### B Service Provider Grants Request Token

Response includes  
 oauth\_token,  
 oauth\_token\_secret.

### C Consumer Directs User to Service Provider

Request includes  
 oauth\_token (optional),  
 oauth\_callback (optional).

### D Service Provider Directs User to Consumer

Request includes  
 oauth\_token (optional).

### E Consumer Requests Access Token

Request includes  
 oauth\_consumer\_key,  
 oauth\_token,  
 oauth\_signature\_method,  
 oauth\_signature,  
 oauth\_timestamp,  
 oauth\_nonce,  
 oauth\_version (optional).

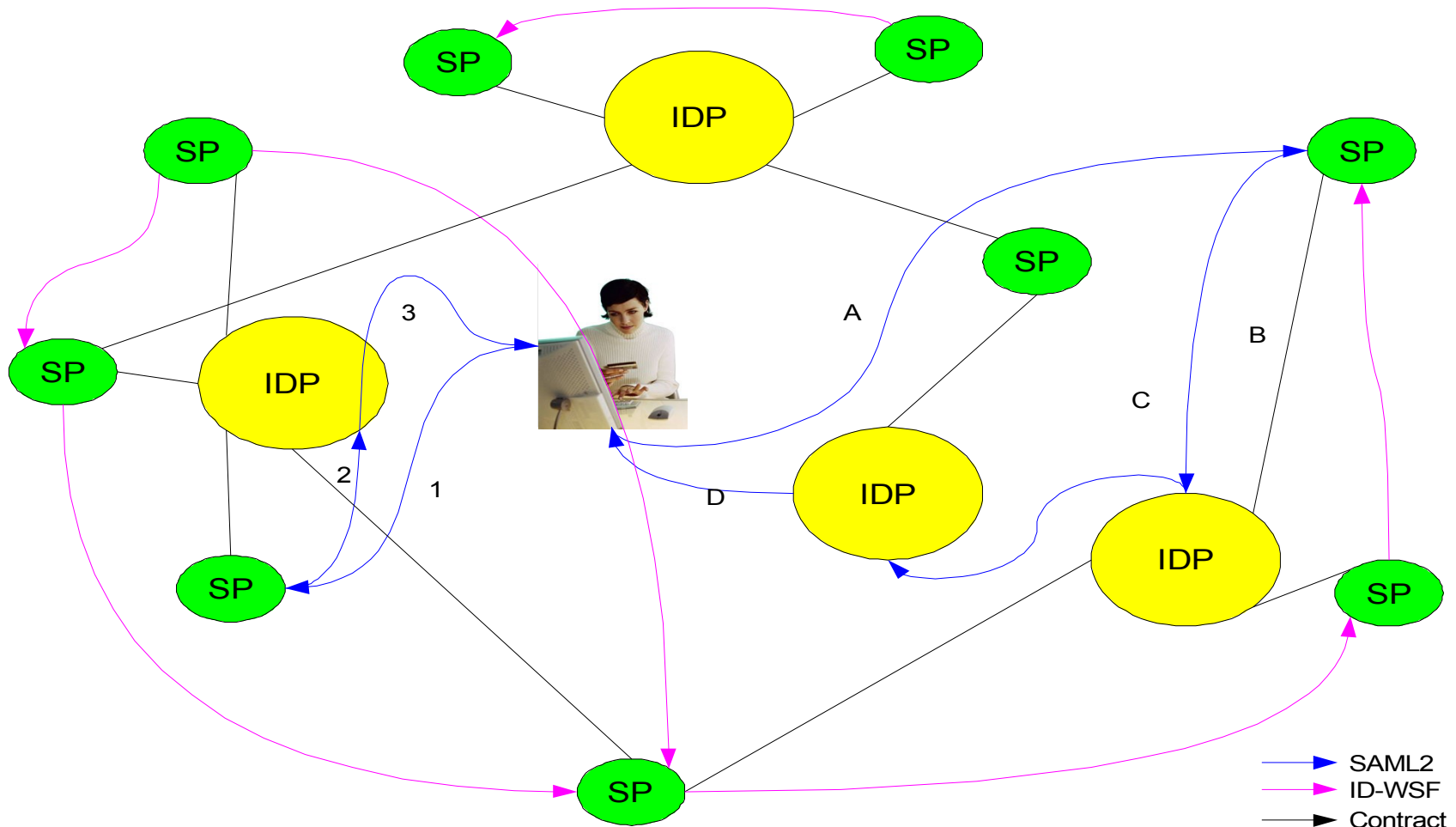
### F Service Provider Grants Access Token

Response includes  
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### G Consumer Accesses Protected Resources

Request includes  
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 oauth\_signature\_method,  
 oauth\_signature,  
 oauth\_timestamp,  
 oauth\_nonce,  
 oauth\_version (optional).

# Web-2.0 Federated Architecture





# My 0.1€ predictions

- Authentication
  - SAML2 enterprise, governments, telcos, ...
  - Open-ID2 for blogs, photos sharing services, ...
  - Inforcard for password less authentication GUI
- Attributes exchanges
  - Authentication attributes will continue to be the most common practice
  - ID-WSF2 in government or where ever privacy is enforce by regulation.
  - Oauth for cheap services (with OpenID).
- Convergence
  - Protocol will1st be bridged (ex: ID-WSF on REST, IDP supporting SAML2 & OpenID, ....)

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