Federation Architectures

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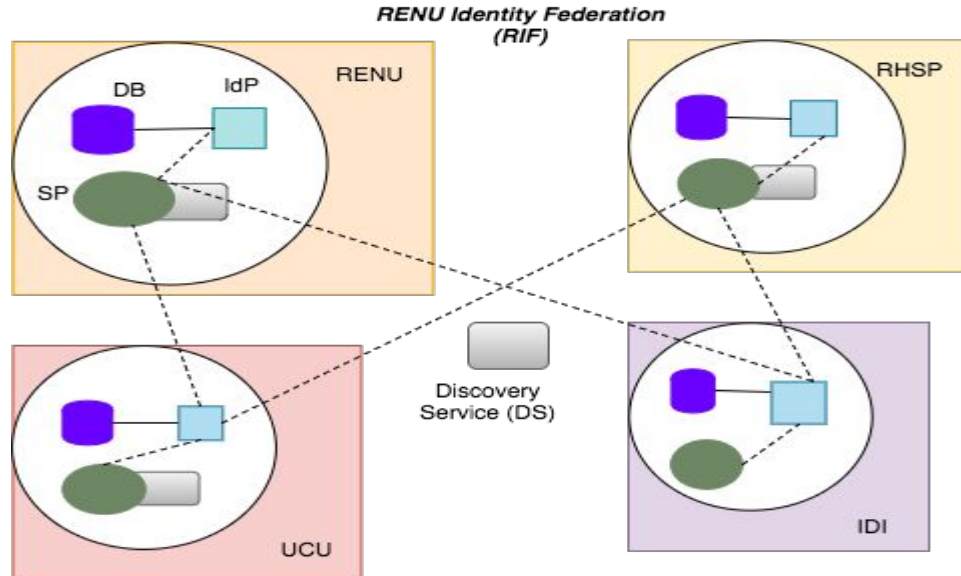
RIF - Why full mesh?

- Operated by most federations
  - More of a standard? - As a new federation, would opt for most popular architecture
- Easy to implement
  - Support, tools & documentation vastly available
- Workload distribution - to the institutions
- No single points of failure - no need for a hub
- Hub infrastructure costs.. RIF's workforce is part of the main RENU operations
- Number of institutions - manageable with this implementation
- Usability - intuitiveness with branding information
- Learning opportunity? - Trainings approach