# eduroam configuring on FreeRADIUS 2.x server

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# eduroam key points:

**eduroam**: a confederation of federations for unique authentication of Internet access and or other IT resources at the research and education community world wide and is now available in 69 territories world wide.

**eduroam authentication**: It employs 802.1X standard for access control and functions through a hierarchy of RADIUS proxies.

eduroam In the UK: eduroam is administered on a national level in the UK by JANET.

**ORPS** (Organizational RADIUS Proxy Server): The server or servers that are the main key point of eduroam in the organization. They take any eduroam requests from APs (Access Point) and forward them to the local authentication servers or their home organizations authentication systems through proxy servers for visiting users. They also receive requests for authentication from the other organizations through proxy servers.

**NRPS** (National RADIUS Proxy Server): They are the proxy servers at a national level, which accept and forward any proxied requests are destined in organizations who are looking for authenticating a visiting user by user's home organization.

NRPS analyzes the requests and then forwards them along to either other organizations within its realm or passes them along to the higher-level proxies, but they do not accept authentication requests by themselves.

**IRPS** (International RADIUS Proxy Server): The servers at the top level, which accept proxied requests from any NRPS, and re-directs them to the appropriate NRPS to administer. They do not accept authentication requests.

# Set up an eduroam service

To set up an eduroam ORPS follow the instructions:

1. Make a backup of your original configuration

# 2. File: /etc/raddb/attrs

For adding attributes, edit and add the following lines to the file immediately below the DEFAULT line:

```
User-Name =* ANY,
Operator-Name =* ANY,
Class =* ANY,
Calling-Station-ID =* ANY,
Chargeable-User-Identity =* ANY,
Acct-Status-Type =* ANY,
Acct-Session-ID =* ANY,
```

### 3. File: /etc/raddb/dictionary

Edit and add the following lines to the end of the file:

```
ATTRIBUTE Operator-Name 126 string
ATTRIBUTE Chargeable-User-Identity 89 string
```

#### 4. File /etc/raddb/clients.conf

For adding the NRPS to the configuration edit the above file and add the following lines to it:

```
# This is eduroam federation proxy server who accept items fromclient
<IP address>

client Fed_1_Proxy {
    ipaddr = X.Y.Z.W #Federation IP
    secret = abcdef #Federation Secret
    shortname = eduroam-nrps #Fed Short Name
    virtual_server = eduroam
```

#### 5. File /etc/raddb/proxy.conf

Edit and uncomment the DEFAULT realm and modify it as follows:

```
realm "~.+$" {
   authhost = X.Y.Z.W:1812 #Federation IP
   accthost = X.Y.Z.W:1813 #Federation IP
   secret = abcdef #Federation Secret
   nostrip
}
```

Note: Consider using a secret other than the default testing123 in standard servers.

# 6. File /etc/raddb/policy.conf

To enable Chargeable-User-Identity (CUI) generation and requesting edit the above file, search for the following lines.

**Note:** In the steps below, replace <realm> with your local domain in FQDN format, e.g. university.ac.uk. The 1 prefix is required as per Section 4.1 of RFC 5580.

**Note:** replace <hashkey> with text of your choice. It will be used as a salt for CUI generation on this server.

**Note:** Do not use a 32-character hex-string, otherwise CUI generation will fail. This is a bug, which is fixed in FreeRADIUS 3.0.

```
# The following policies are for the Chargeable-User-Identity
# (CUI) configuration.
#
cui_hash_key = "<hashkey>"
cui_require_operator_name = 1
```

· Replace the cui authorize section with the following:

```
cui_authorize {
    update request {
        Chargeable-User-Identity = '\\000'
        Operator-Name = "1<realm>"
    }
```

Insert a new item called cui\_preproxy as below:

```
# The proxy indicates that it needs to do CUI by sending a CUI
attribute
    # containing one zero byte
#
cui_preproxy {
    if ("%{Packet-Type}" == Access-Request) {
        update proxy-request {
            Chargeable-User-Identity = '\\000'
            Operator-Name = "1<realm>"
        }
    }
}
```

• Replace the **cui\_postauth** section with the following:

```
cui postauth {
          if (FreeRadius-Proxied-To == 127.0.0.1) {
               if (outer.request:Chargeable-User-Identity &&
                  (outer.request:Operator-Name
!("${policy.cui_require_operator_name}"))) {
                    update outer.reply {
                         Chargeable-User-
Identity:="%{md5:${policy.cui hash key}%{User-
Name}%{outer.request:Operator-Name:-}}"
          else
               if (!("%{control:Proxy-To-Realm}") && \
                   Chargeable-User-Identity && \
                   !(reply:Chargeable-User-Identity) && \
                   (Operator-Name
!("${policy.cui require operator name}")) ) {
                    update reply {
                         Chargeable-User-
Identity="%{md5:${policy.cui hash key}%{User-Name}%{%{Operator-Name}:-
}}"
          update reply {
               User-Name-="%{reply:User-Name}"
```

### 6. File /etc/raddb/eap.conf

Edit and change all instances of copy\_request\_to\_tunnel and use\_tunneled\_reply to yes, otherwise CUI generation occurs on the anonymised outer request (i.e. all users from the same home institution will have the same CUI).

### 7. Modify user authentication

In order to uniform the usernames in eduroam networks and avoid to send any unrelated usernames to NRPS and for organization users to get used to **eduroam**, a RADIUS policy has been enforced that requires any usernames used for authentication to be in the <code><user>@<realm></code> format, where <code><realm></code> is in FQDN format. Because **eduroam** functions by checking realms, enforcing such a policy will ensure that there are no problems when your users roam onto an **eduroam** network elsewhere in the world.

The University of Bristol publishes an **eduroam** realm check script, which can be found under Section 11.8 in the Implementing eduroam Roadmap document at JANET.

Download eduroam-realm-checks.conf from the University of Bristol and copy it to the /etc/raddb/directory.

#### 8. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/default

Edit and modify the above file as:

• In the **authorize** section, add the following lines at the top of the section:

```
# Add a request for CUI + add operator name
#
cui_authorize
# Implement the eduroam username-realm filter
#
$INCLUDE eduroam-realm-checks.conf
```

• In the **post-auth** section, add the following lines at the top of the section:

```
# Get a CUI cui postauth
```

• In the **pre-proxy** section, add the following lines at the bottom of the section:

```
# Request the Chargeable-User-Identity attribute from the
upstream/home server
    cui_preproxy
```

In the post-proxy section, uncomment the line containing

```
attr filter.post-proxy
```

### 9. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/inner-tunnel

Edit and modify it as:

• In the **post-auth** section, add the following lines at the top of the section:

```
# Get a CUI
cui postauth
```

# 10. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/eduroam

pre proxy log

Create and modify it as follows:

```
server eduroam {
     authorize {
          auth log
          cui authorize
          wimax
          suffix
          eap {
               ok = return
          files
     authenticate {
             Comment out the PAP Auth-Type once your eduroam setup is
working
          Auth-Type PAP {
               pap
             eduroam only supplies EAP authentication
          eap
     post-auth {
          cui postauth
          reply log
          # authentication failed. eduroam requires you to log these
          Post-Auth-Type REJECT {
               attr filter.access reject
               reply log
     pre-proxy {
          if ("%{Packet-Type}" == Access-Request) {
               attr filter.pre-proxy
          cui preproxy
```

```
post-proxy {
        post_proxy_log
        attr_filter.post-proxy
        # if you don't proxy LEAP, comment the following line out
        eap
}
```

#### 11. File /etc/raddb/sites-enabled/eduroam

Create a soft copy from /etc/raddb/sites-available/eduroam to enable the **eduroam** virtual server.

# 12. Enable more extensive logging

**eduroam** requires you to log authentication attempts for both visitors and for requests coming from the **eduroam** NRPS. Additionally, JANET and **eduroam** also publish usage statistics with a system called F-TICKS. To enable F-TICKS and other logging mechanisms, do the following:

### 13. File /etc/raddb/modules/eduroam logging

Create and modify it as follows:

**Note:** In the steps below, replace <realm> with your local domain in FQDN format, e.g. university.ac.uk. The 1 prefix is required as per Section 4.1 of RFC 5580:

```
linelog
         f ticks
                           filename
                                         syslog
                                                       format
                                     =
        reference
                           "f ticks.%{%{reply:Packet-Type}:-format}"
        f ticks
                                        Access-Accept
TICKS/eduroam/1.0#REALM=%{Realm}#VISCOUNTRY=UK#VISINST=1<realm>#CSI=
%{%{Calling-Station-Id}:-UnknownCSID}#RESULT=OK#"
Reject
                                                                  "F-
TICKS/eduroam/1.0#REALM=%{Realm}#VISCOUNTRY=UK#VISINST=1<realm>#CSI=
%{%{Calling-Station-Id}:-UnknownCSID}#RESULT=FAIL#"
linelog eduroam log
                              filename = syslog
                                                        format
      reference
                       "eduroam log.%{%{reply:Packet-Type}:-format}"
                                      Access-Accept
                                                            "eduroam-
       eduroam log
auth#ORG=%{request:Realm}#USER=%{User-Name}#CSI=%{%{Calling-Station-
Id}:-Unknown Caller Id}#NAS=%{%{Called-Station-Id}:-Unknown Access
Point}#CUI=%{%{reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}:-
Unknown}#MSG=%{%{EAP-Message}:-No
                                                Message}#RESULT=OK#"
                                       EAP
                    Access-Reject
                                                            "eduroam-
auth#ORG=%{request:Realm}#USER=%{User-Name}#CSI=%{%{Calling-Station-
Id:-Unknown Caller Id: #NAS=%{%{Called-Station-Id}:-Unknown Access
```

```
Point}#CUI=%{%{reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}:-
Unknown}#MSG=%{%{reply:Reply-Message}:-No
                                                                Failure
Reason } # RESULT = FAIL # "
linelog inner auth log {
                                 filename = syslog
                                                           format
                = "inner auth log.%{%{reply:Packet-Type}:-format}"
      reference
       inner auth log
                                          Access-Accept
auth#VISINST=%{request:Operator-Name}#USER=%{User-
Name \ #CSI = % { % { Calling - Station - Id } : - Unknown
                                                                 Caller
Id}#NAS=%{%{Called-Station-Id}:-Unknown
                                                                 Access
Point}#CUI=%{%{%{reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}:-
%{outer.reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}}:-Local
                                                      User \#RESULT=OK#"
                               "user-auth#VISINST=%{request:Operator-
           Access-Reject
                          =
Name}#USER=%{User-Name}#CSI=%{%{Calling-Station-Id}:-Unknown
                                                                 Caller
Id}#NAS=%{%{Called-Station-Id}:-Unknown
                                                                 Access
Point}#CUI=%{%{%{reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}:-
%{outer.reply:Chargeable-User-Identity}}:-Local
                                                    User}#RESULT=FAIL#"
    } }
```

#### 14. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/default

Edit and modify it:

- In the post-auth section, uncomment reply\_log and insert these lines blow it:
   f\_ticks
   eduroam log
- In the **post-auth Post-Auth-Type REJECT** section, insert reply\_log f\_ticks eduroam log
- 15. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/eduroam

Edit and modify it as:

- In the **post-auth** section, insert this line below reply log: eduroam log
- In the **post-auth Post-Auth-Type REJECT** section, insert this line below reply\_log : eduroam log
- 16. File /etc/raddb/sites-available/inner-tunnel

Edit and modify it:

- In the **post-auth** section, insert this line below the commented-out reply\_log line: inner auth log
- In the **post-auth Post-Auth-Type REJECT** section, insert below the sql line: inner auth log

Each of these logs generates a single line entry into the syslog, i.e. /var/log/messages, while

reply\_log, pre\_proxy\_log, post\_proxy\_log, auth\_log, etc. generate a more detailed log of the RADIUS traffic in /var/log/radius/radacct/<client IP>.

#### 17. Modify the firewall rules

The ORPS proxy cannot respond to requests from the NRPS for authentication without the following ports being open in firewall of the organization:

- 1812/UDP
- 1813/UDP
- 1814/UDP

<sup>\*</sup> This document has been regenerated based on "Configuring an eduroam FreeRADIUS 2.x server (superceded)" by Stefan Paetow.