Dear readers,

IT security can be a very exciting topic, without a question, nonetheless did you ever expect it to be truly thrilling entertainment? With the CISO Chronicles we found an IdM thriller, which approaches the topic from a completely new angle.

Moreover, you will find out more about by now omnipresent multi-factor authentication, and let us relief your fears of OpenLDAP 2.5. Also, you can also learn about the potential of "wallets" as described by Gluu.

Last but not least, we welcome a new team member! DAASI International continues to grow, as even though IAM has always been impotant, it currently also is very much in-style.

Enjoy reading,

Jennifer Vosseler
Head of Marketing at DAASI International

News

Data Security with MFA

In our news post we not only explain why MFA is so important nowadays, we also give tips about effectively implementing it and what to look out for when rolling out new factors.

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Don't Fear OpenLDAP 2.5

Migration, yes or no? Many seem to hesitate to do the upgrade, CTO Markus Widmer summarised all important information to eliminate possible concerns about the newer versions.

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Welcome, Werner Schledorn!

Since June Werner works with our department hosting and support. We are very happy to have him on board. To learn more about the DAASI International team, visit our website.

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Events

July Edition of "Members & Products"

On 14 July, the OSB Alliance will host another edition of their event series Members & Products to introduce interesting open source companies and their solutions. Insofar there was no other announcement, the event is set to take place monthly. (German only)

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Partner Network

Evolveum Joins InCommon-Catalysts Programme

The developers of midPoint have cooperated with Internet2 for a while, and now are also InCommon Catalysts. As such they want to facilitate access to midPoint for academic and research institutions. Additionally, they will use community input to adjust their roadmap to meet the needs of academia.

More Information

Gluu with Blog Series about Decentralised Identities

In a new blog series Gluu CEO Mike Schwartz looks at decentralised identities and the technologies surrounding this topic. In part 1 he looks at the difference between federated and decentralised identities, while part 2, which is also already online, takes a closer look at the topic of „wallets".

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Digital Humanities

Digital (Working) Culture

The consortium NFDI4Culture recently published an article about the changing working culture in the humanities, especially how other developments such as the digitisation of humanities influences and changes the community. (German only)

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Industry

50 Million for Open Source and Digital Sovereignty

When demands for more support of open source and digital sovereignty continued to grow louder, the German Parliament pledged to increase the foreseen budget on these topics further.

(German only)

More Information

Event Recommendation: Bits & Bäume 2022

The Bits & Bäume (Bits & Trees) is a conference that first took place in 2018. Its focus is on digitisation and sustainability. This year the conference will take place from 30 September to 2 October at the TU Berlin.

(German only)

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Working Group FIM4L about Important Talks

The LIBER working group FIM4L works together with Elsevier on best practices for federated identity management. They especially focus on data protection, the concept of agile identity management, as well as more control for user over their own identity.

More Information

The CISO Chronicles – an IdM Thriller

The Identity Defined Security Alliance recently started their own thriller series, the CISO Chronicles. The subjects of interest are the usual suspects, when looking at problems and risks in IT security. It security in a rather unusual format.

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Did you know?

If you can regularly answer this question in the caption of this part of the newsletter with "yes" then you most likely are a trivia buff, and probably also enjoy a trivia quiz every once in a while. With the Open Trivia Database users can create their own quiz using some of their over 4,000 verified trivia questions and answers. The questions cover everything, from ancient history to zoo animals, even with different difficulties. With the button "Add New Questions" everyone can add more questions of their own – the database, in a sense, operates just like any open source software project. Moreover, the website also includes an option to generate an API URL to include questions in any project. By the way, the API is also licensed under the Creative Commons. Have fun playing!

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