

SPARROW

A new kind of Directory

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What is project Sparrow?

- A Directory built on top of SCIM protocol
- An Identity Server supporting OpenIDConnect and OAuth2.0 and a read-only LDAP interface

Goals

- Simplified schema and access control
- Unified service for storage, authentication and SSO
- Better audit log analysis and event management
- Support both HTTP and TCP out of the box (no additional frontends)

SCIM

System for Cross-domain Identity Management

Two IETF standards:

1. Schema [rfc7643](#)
2. Protocol [rfc7644](#)

SCIM

Schema

- Resources
- Resource schemas and Resource types
- Simple and Complex attributes

SCIM-Schema

Resource

```
{  
  "schemas": [  
    "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User"  
  ],  
  "userName": "elecharny",  
  "externalId": "elecharny",  
  "name": {  
    "formatted": "Emmanuel Lecharny",  
    "familyName": "Lecharny",  
    "givenName": "Emmanuel"  
  }  
  ...  
}
```

SCIM-Schema

Resource Schema

```
{
  "id": "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User",
  "name": "User",
  "description": "User Account",
  "attributes": [
    {
      "name": "userName",
      "type": "string",
      "multiValued": false,
      "description": "Unique identifier for the User",
      "required": true,
      "caseExact": false,
      "mutability": "readWrite",
      "returned": "default",
      "uniqueness": "server"
    },
    {
      "name": "name",
      "type": "complex",
      "multiValued": false,
      "description": "The components of the user's real name",
      "required": false,
      "subAttributes": [
        {
          "name": "formatted",
          "type": "string",
          "multiValued": false,
          "description": "The full name",
          "required": false,
          "caseExact": false,
          "mutability": "readWrite",
          "returned": "default",
          "uniqueness": "none"
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

SCIM-Schema

Resource Type Schema

```
{
  "schemas": [
    "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:ResourceType"
  ],
  "id": "User",
  "name": "User",
  "endpoint": "/Users",
  "description": "User Account",
  "schema": "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User",
  "schemaExtensions": [
    {
      "schema": "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:extension:enterprise:2.0:User",
      "required": false
    }
  ],
  "meta": {
    "location": "v2/ResourceTypes/User",
    "resourceType": "ResourceType"
  }
}
```


SCIM-Schema

Resource with Extension

```
{
  "schemas": [
    "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User"
  ],
  "userName": "elecharny",
  "externalId": "elecharny",
  "name": {
    "formatted": "Emmanuel Lecharny",
    "familyName": "Lecharny",
    "givenName": "Emmanuel"
  },
  "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:extension:enterprise:2.0:User": {
    "employeeNumber": "701982",
    "costCenter": "4030",
    "organization": "Apache",
    "division": "Software",
    "manager": {
      "value": "26118915-6090-4610-87e4-49d8ca9f808d",
      "$ref": "../Users/20118915-6090-4610-87e4-49d8ca9f808e",
      "displayName": "John Legend"
    }
  }
}
```

SCIM

Protocol

- Based on REST
- Search Filters

SCIM-Protocol

REST

- All CRUD operations are performed over HTTP(S)
- URI follows the format */<resource-type-endpoint>*

e.g. POST <https://localhost:7090/Users>

```
{
  "schemas": [
    "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User"
  ],
  "userName": "elecharny",
  "externalId": "elecharny",
  "name": {
    "formatted": "Emmanuel Lecharny",
    "familyName": "Lecharny",
    "givenName": "Emmanuel"
  }
}
```

SCIM-Protocol

Search Filters

- Supports 10 operators excluding AND, OR and NOT
- Operators - EQ, NE, CO, SW, EW, GT, LT, GE, LE, PR
- Search can be performed using GET or POST

Examples:

GET <https://localhost:7090/Users?filter=>

1. `userName eq "elecharny"`

2. `userType eq "Contractor" and emails[type eq "work" and value co "example.com"]`

Access Control

- SCIM doesn't have a model for access control
- Sparrow adds custom attributes to Group resource
- Supports "who can do what on a resource"

```
{
  "displayName": "Administrator",
  "id": "00000000-1000-0000-0000-000000000000",
  "permissions": [
    {
      "value": "READ"
    },
    {
      "value": "CREATE"
    },
    {
      "value": "UPDATE"
    },
    {
      "value": "DELETE"
    }
  ],
  "schemas": [
    "urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:Group"
  ]
}
```

Sparrow Java Client

- Simplifies working with SCIM resources
- Creates Java types from SCIM schemas (JSON)
- Extendable authenticator

Sparrow Client API

Examples

Generated User resource class

```
@Resource(schemaId="urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:core:2.0:User", endpoint="/
Users", desc="User Account")
public class User
{
    private String id;
    private String externalId;
    private Meta meta;
    private String userName;
    private Name name;
    private boolean active;
    private String password;
    private List<Email> emails;
    private List<Group> groups;
    private List<X509Certificate> x509Certificates;

    @Extension("urn:ietf:params:scim:schemas:extension:enterprise:2.0:User")
    private EnterpriseUser enterpriseUser;

```

...

Sparrow Client API

Examples

Creating a User resource

```
String apiUrl = "http://localhost:7090/v2";
String oauthUrl = "http://localhost:7090/oauth2";

SparrowAuthenticator authenticator = new SparrowAuthenticator("admin", "example.com", "secret");

SparrowClient client = new SparrowClient(apiUrl, oauthUrl, authenticator);
client.register(User.class, Group.class, Device.class);

User u = new User();
u.setUsername("elecharny");
Name name = new Name();
name.setFamilyName("Lecharny");
name.setFormatted("Emmanuel Lecharny");
name.setGivenName("Emmanuel");
u.setName(name);

Email e = new Email();
e.setValue("elecharny@example.com");
e.setPrimary(true);
e.setType("home");

Response<User> resp = client.addResource(u);
```


Sparrow Client API

Examples

Searching for Users

```
SearchRequest req = new SearchRequest();  
req.setFilter("emails.type eq \"work\"");  
req.setAttributes("username");  
  
SearchResponse<User> resp = client.searchResource(req, User.class);
```

LDAP Interface

- LDAP interface is read-only
- Allows only bind, unbind and search operations
- Supports StartTLS and Password Modify (rfc3062) extended operations
- Creates entries using configurable templates

LDAP Templates

Mapping User resource to User entry

```
{
  "type": "User",
  "objectClasses": [
    "top",
    "person",
    "organizationalPerson",
    "inetOrgPerson",
    "extensibleObject"
  ],
  "dnPrefix": "uid={userName},ou=Users",
  "attributes": [
    {
      "scimAttrPath": "id",
      "ldapAttrName": "entryUUID"
    },
    {
      "scimAttrPath": "userName",
      "ldapAttrName": "uid"
    },
    {
      "scimAttrPath": "name.familyName",
      "ldapAttrName": "sn"
    },
    {
      "scimAttrPath": "addresses",
      "ldapAttrName": "postalAddress",
      "format": "{streetAddress}{locality}{region}{country}{postalCode}"
    },
    {
      "scimAttrPath": "groups",
      "ldapAttrName": "member",
      "format": "cn={display},ou=Groups,{dn}"
    }
  ]
}
```

Sourcecode Repositories

- Sparrow server (Go) - <https://bitbucket.org/keydap/sparrow>
- Sparrow Client (Java) - <https://github.com/keydap/sparrow-client>

Questions?

Thank You