

# Kantara Initiative – Global Leader in Digital Identity

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# Our Vision and Mission

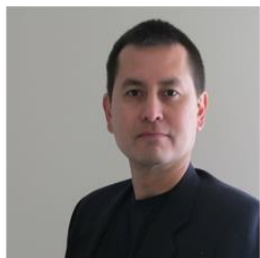
## Vision

**Equitable** and  
transparent  
**exchange** of identity  
and personal data for  
mutual value

## Mission

To grow and fulfil the  
market for  
**trustworthy use of  
identity and  
personal data**

# Who We Are - Our Board of Directors



Andrew Hughes,  
**Ping Identity**



Eric Thompson,  
**Experian**



Patrick Clancey,  
**IDEMIA**



Jordan Burris,  
**Socure**



Andi Hindle,  
**Hindle Consulting**



Peter Davis,  
**Airside Mobile**



Kay Chopard,  
**Executive Director**



Maria Vachino,  
**Calvert Consulting**



Andrew Johnston,  
**Interac**



Mike Engle,  
**1Kosmos**



Alec Laws,  
**IDENTOS**  
(LC rep)



Jim Pasquale  
(LC rep)

# Our 2023 Strategic Objectives



Modernization of **NIST 800-63**



**Growth**, including international expansion  
(UK Certification Body)



**Member engagement**



**Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DEI)** in  
identity verification solutions

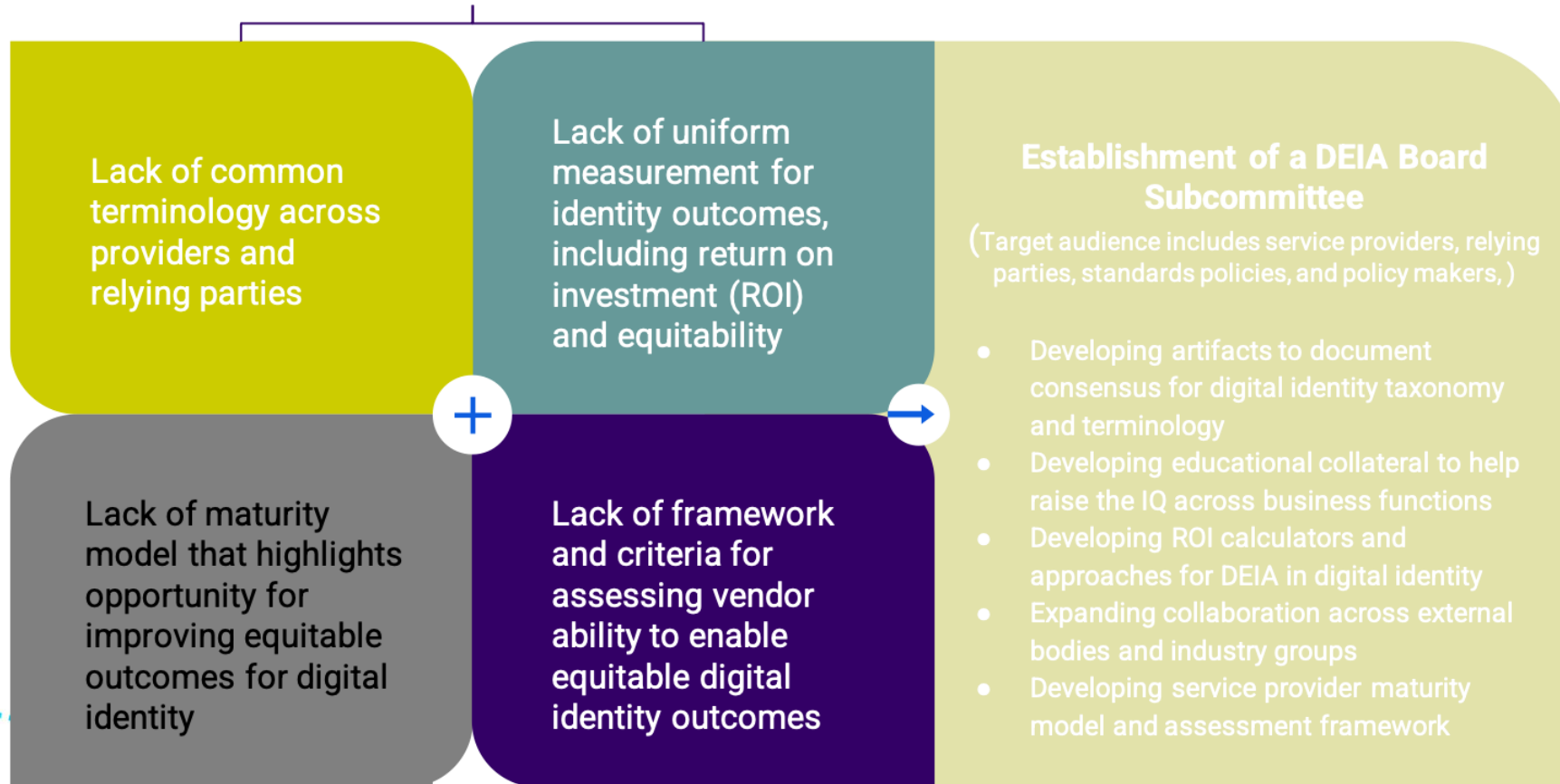
**Our commitment to Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Accessibility (DEIA)** stems from our vision of an equitable exchange.

At the heart of this is the idea of equity – the trust that everyone can access what they need. We only achieve this by understanding and accounting for diversity, because it is the diversity of our experiences and perspectives that defines identity.

The attributes and artifacts we use in solutions to establish identity are physical reflections of who we are, so until we design for inclusion, these solutions will continue to be incomplete.

# Moving Forward in 2023

## Gaps Identified





# What We Do: Collaboration & Accreditation



## Working Groups

Tackling issues and opportunities in emerging markets



## Partners & Liaisons

Thought leadership. Insight into Standards in Development.



## Workshops Conferences

Collaborative presentations, panels, and workshops focused on key issues



## Assurance Program

Assess identity solutions against NIST SP 800-63 rev.3 Class of Approval

# Identity Assurance (IA-WG)

## The IAWG has 3 areas of focus:

- Manage the Kantara Identity Assurance Assessment scheme and assessment criteria
- Engage standards bodies to share industry experience and alignment
- Produce recommendations on industry practices for identity verification, authentication and federation as well as review and comment on numerous industry published guidelines (including but not limited to NIST SP-800.63)

## IAWG participants include

- Individuals and companies from all areas of industry, government and academia
- ID Verification service providers
- Authentication and Federation service providers
- Identity system assessors and auditors

### 2023 IAWG Leadership:

Chair, Andrew Hughes, Ping Identity

Vice-Chair, Denny Prvu, RBC

Secretary, Lynzie Adams, Kantara

#identiverse



# User Managed Access(UMA-WG)

We meet Thursdays @ 1PM ET  
Come join us!

<https://tinyurl.com/uma2wg>

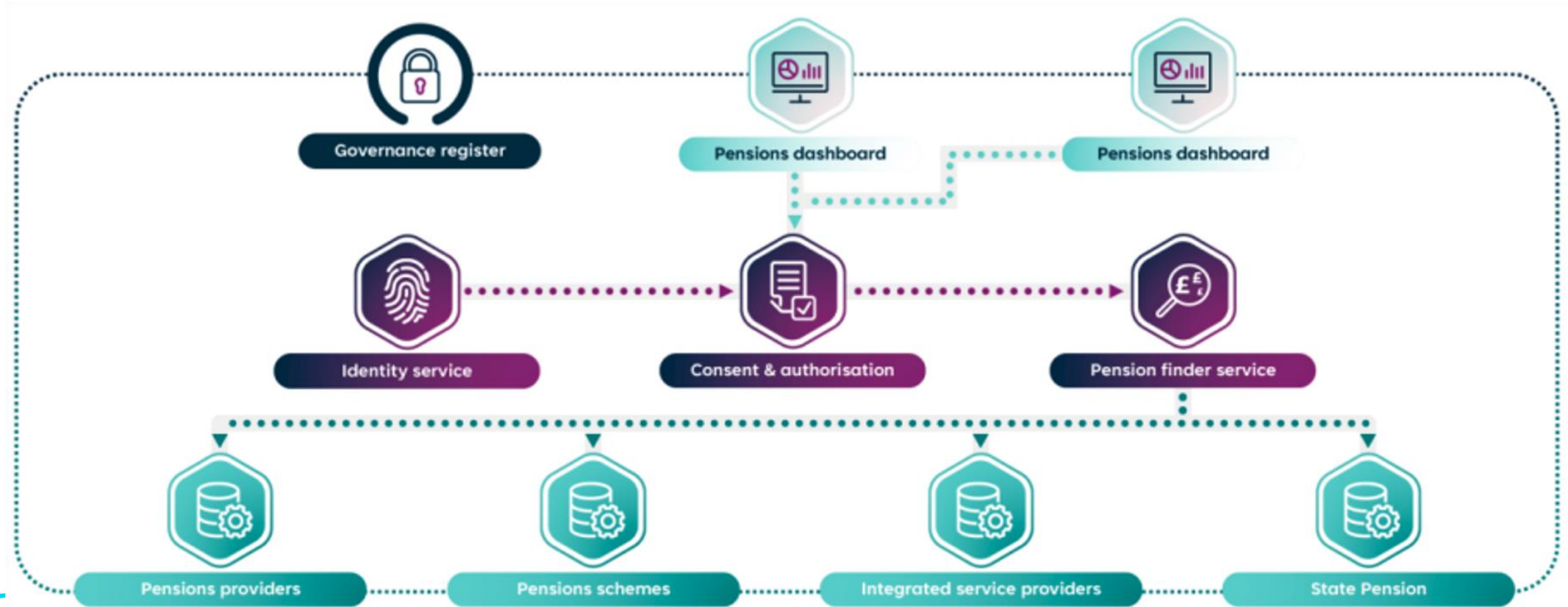
2022 Published Report 'Patient-Centric  
Data Sharing with UMA: the PP2PI Julie  
Adams Healthcare Use Case'

2023 Working on a New Report 'UK  
Pensions Dashboard Program and UMA'



UMA is an award-winning OAuth-based protocol set that helps individuals manage third-party access to their data, content, and service resources across different identity and resource ecosystems.

# UK Pensions Dashboard Program



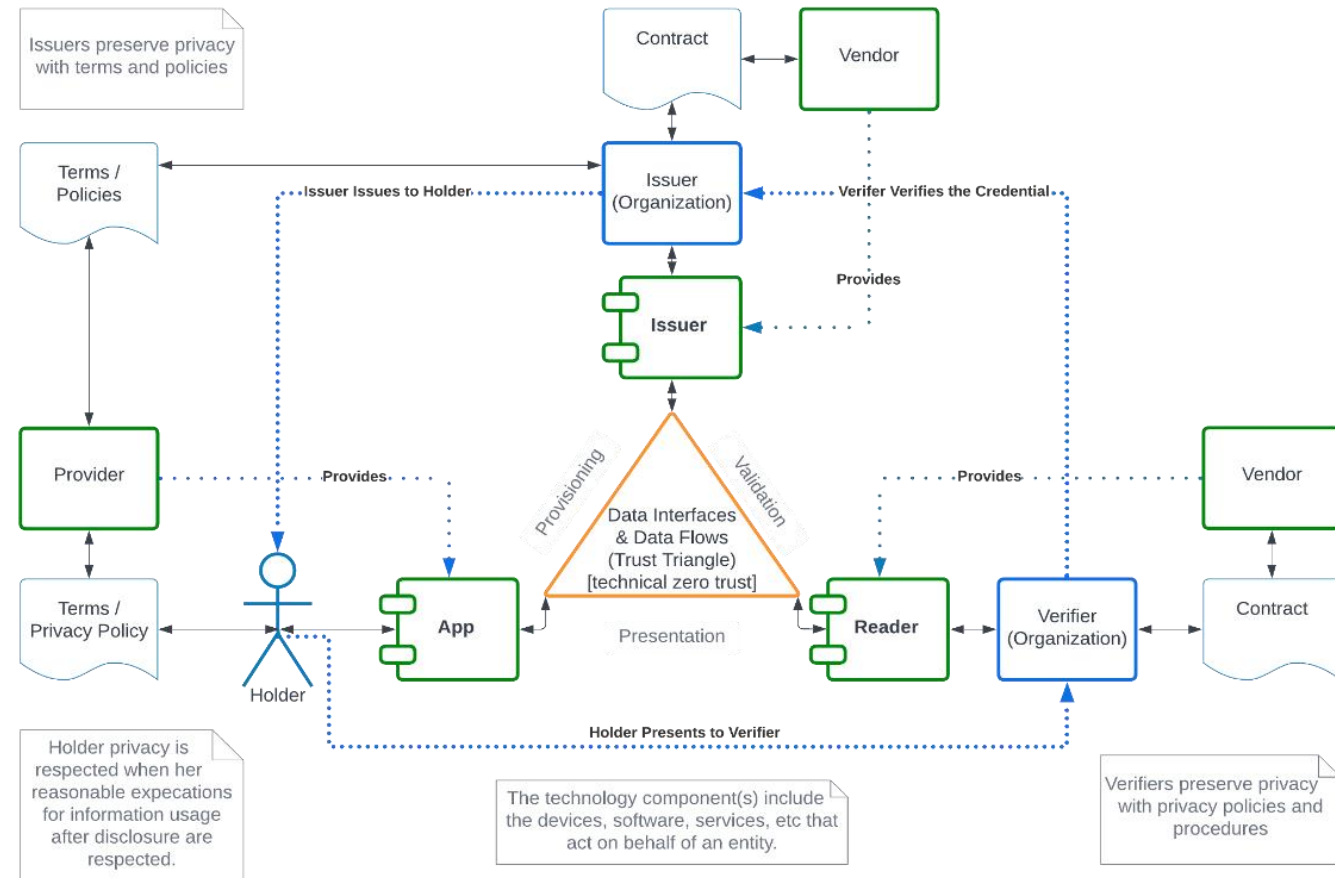
[PDP Progress update report: April 2022](#)

# Resilient Identifiers for Underserved Populations (RIUP-WG)

- RIUP-WG was created in October 2022 combining the prior HIAWG and FIRE WGs. Currently we are recruiting new members and researching grants to facilitate reaching our goals.
- **FOCUS:** facilitating online identities for underserved populations including homeless and others.
- The ubiquity of smartphones in this population and the ability to leverage its features will help engage beneficiaries in many forms of ecommerce and multiple transactions required for healthcare, financial and other services required in years to come.
- Co-Chairs: **Jim Kragh** and **Tom Sullivan, MD**, both long standing Kantara members and prior, NIST supported NSTIC/IDESG members as were **Catherine Schulten (Vice Chair)** and **Noreen Whysel (Secretary)**.
- RIUP will collaborate with other Kantara work-groups and outside entities, e.g. The CARIN Alliance, looking for solutions to the problems affecting the Underserved.
- Pragmatic solutions will prioritize the research on public sector existing programs that have addressed the need for trusted, digital identifier ecosystems, e.g. the San Diego 211 experience, the Washington State MDL and others we can explore to determine how to share the NIST 800-63-4 draft guidelines.

# Privacy Enhancing Mobile Credentials (PEMC-WG)

- Work is progressing on the [Early Implementors Report](#).
  - Hope to put it to a vote in Q2.
- WG Charter has been updated.



# Advanced Notice and Consent Receipt (ANCR-WG)

*“Advancing human data control by recording notice transparency”*

## ISO 27560

Consent Record Information Structure  
Liaison Comments

**Federal Trade Commission ANPR**  
[Commercial Surveillance and Data Security WG](#)  
[Comments](#)

## 2 Factor Notice

- Notice of Risk
- Proof of Notice



## ANCR WG in 2023

- [Open Notice Record \(Specification\)](#)
- [Transparency Performance Indicators](#)
- [PII Notice Controller Credential](#)

## Building Community Through Collaboration

[W3C Consent Community Group](#)

[ToIP Controller Credential](#)

IEEE [Digital Privacy Initiative Cybersecurity for Next Generation Connectivity](#)

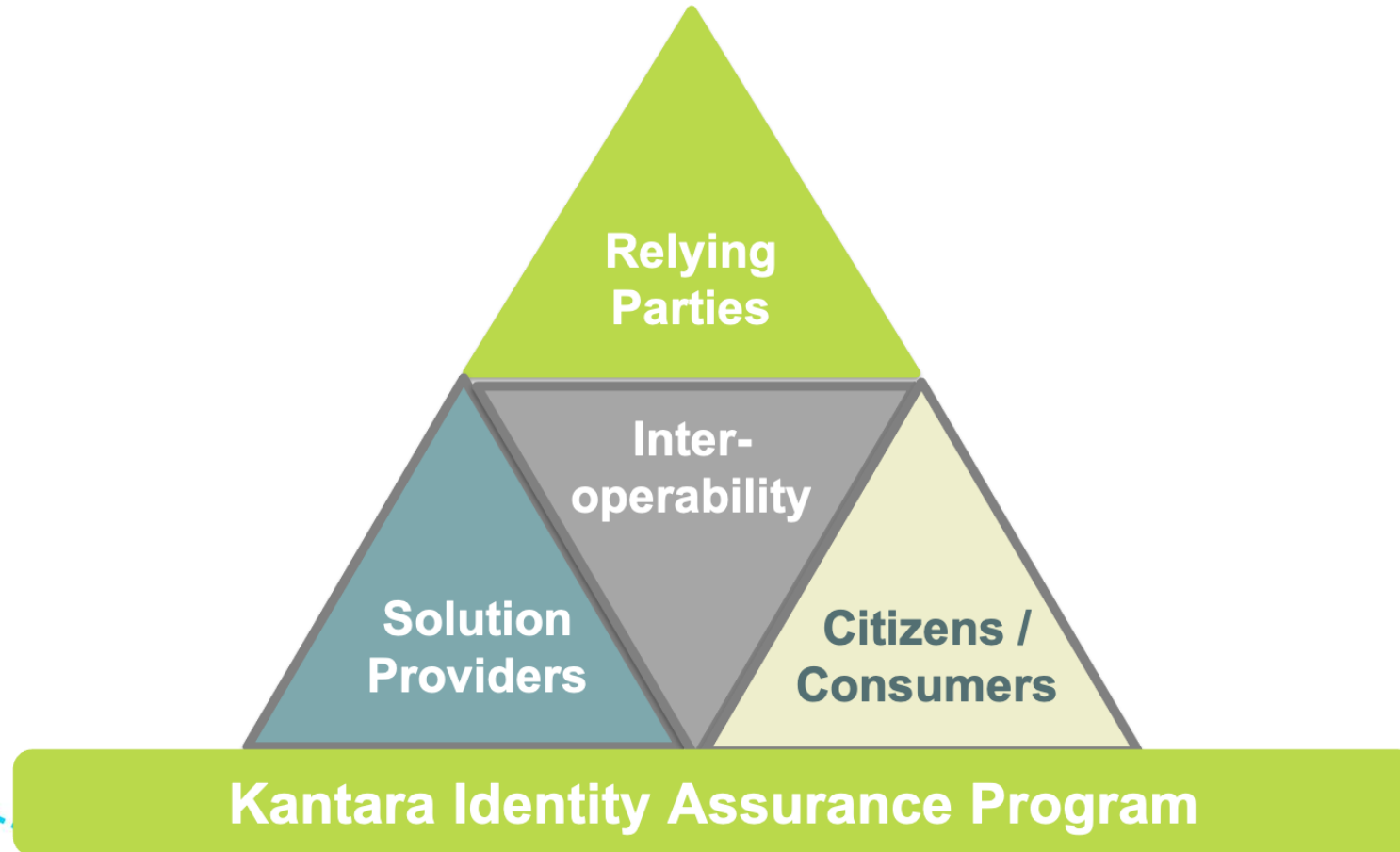
Other Kantara WGs UMA, PEMC, IAG, RIUP and their

Communities

NIST IAM Roadmap calls for transparency measures

# We Enable Trust and Interoperability

by accrediting ID solutions to a consistent standard that conforms to industry best practice.







# Kantara Identity Assurance Framework

- Kantara Initiative is a Trust Framework Provider since 2010, which accredits Assessors and Approves Service Providers based on the agreed Service Assessment Criteria.
- Approval is based on independent third-party assessments, performed by Kantara-Accredited Assessors, of the subject services, to determine those services' conformity to the applicable criteria.

Kantara is the only organization that provides Third Party Assessment against the primary NIST standards for digital identity.





# Kantara Identity Assurance Framework



Accredited  
Assessors

CSPs

Kantara Assurance  
Review Board

KI Exec Dir.

IAWG

Documented  
Policies, Processes,  
Procedures, Pro  
formae, etc.

SAC /  
Classes of  
Approval

Identity Assurance  
Certification Scheme (IAF)

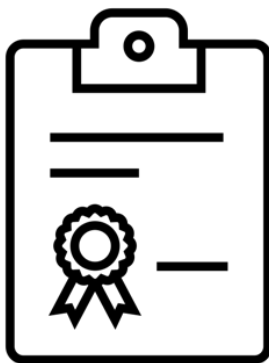
Operational body subject to  
NDA and COI recusal policy.  
Subject-matter experts from  
Academia & Standards  
Organizations.

Kantara  
Membership





# Kantara Approval for NIST 800-63-3



**Third-Party Assessment**  
*performed by Kantara  
Accredited Assessors (after  
initial application is accepted)*



**Evaluation and Approval by  
Assurance Review Board**  
*Initial Application and  
Application for Approval*



**Kantara Trust Marks**  
*3-year cycle  
1 Full Assessment + 2 Annual  
Conformity Reviews*

Learn More: Email [secretariat@kantarainitiative.org](mailto:secretariat@kantarainitiative.org)



# Kantara Approval to UK Digital Identity and Attributes Trust Framework

for Right to Work, Right to Rent and DBS for identity services, attributes services and orchestration providers



**Third-Party Audits**  
*performed by Kantara  
Accredited Auditors*



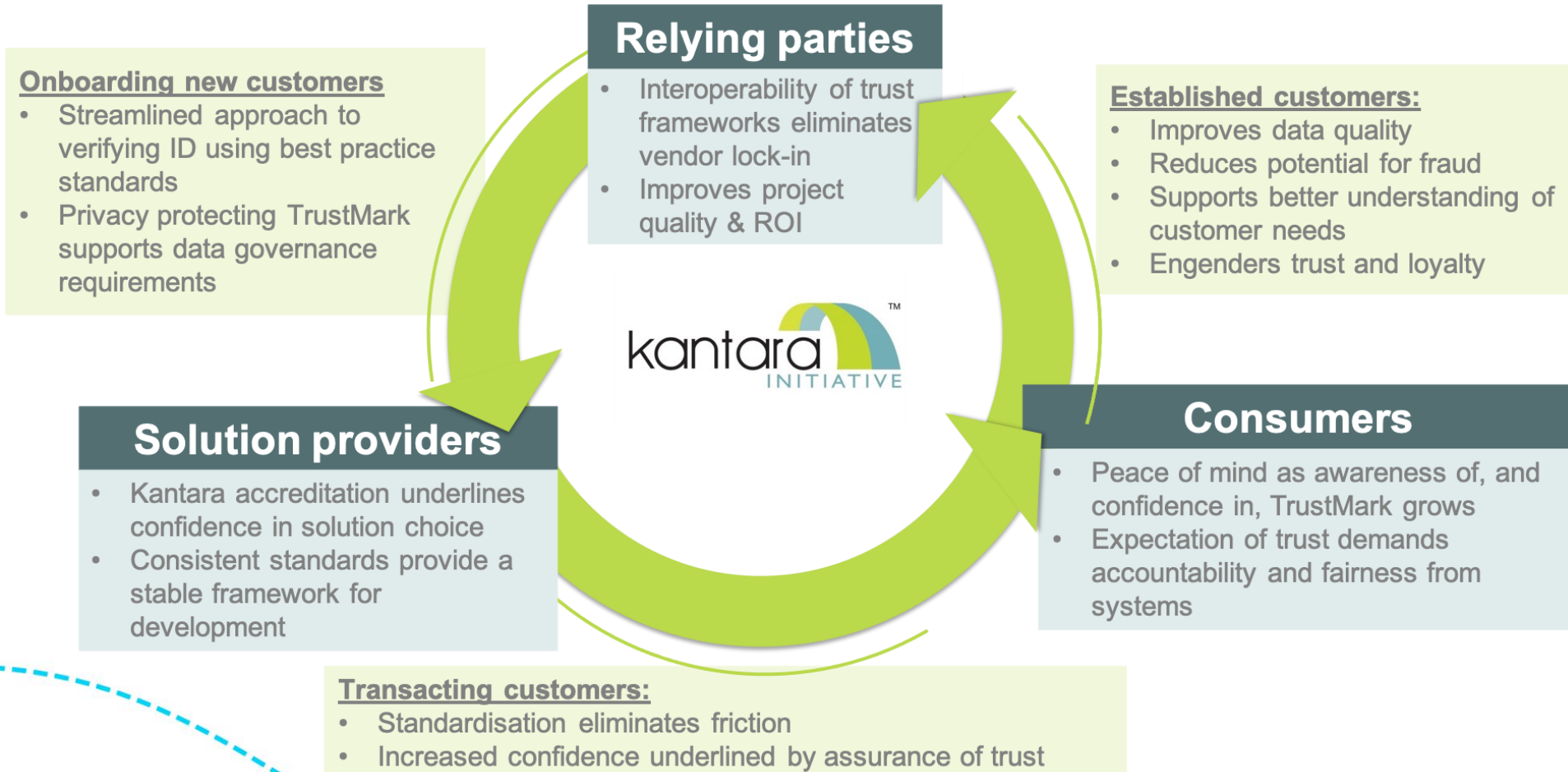
**Evaluation and Approval by  
Trust Certification Board**



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# We Create Value for All Stakeholders



# We need your help with Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Accessibility (DEIA)



DEIA survey is live!

[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KI\\_DEIA](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KI_DEIA)

- We launched the survey to develop a baseline understanding of why, and where, organizations are investing in DEI-related identity capabilities.
- **All responses are anonymous.** Only the consolidated results will be shared.
- We need to hear from YOU about how your organizations is approaching this important topic.

If you completed the 2022 survey, we invite you to participate again!



# THANK YOU!

## Join Us!

Visit us in the Expo Hall –  
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