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Welcome to the 2nd AAI Info Day

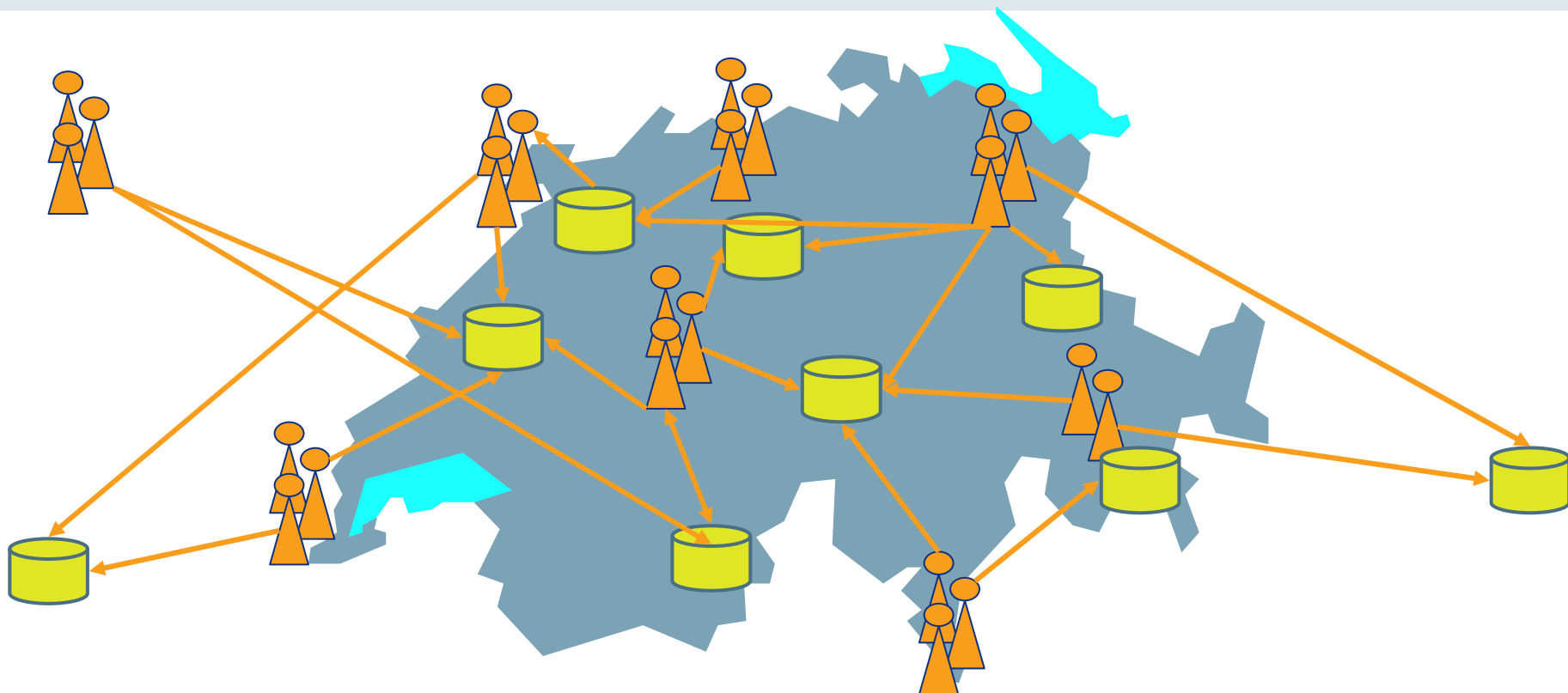
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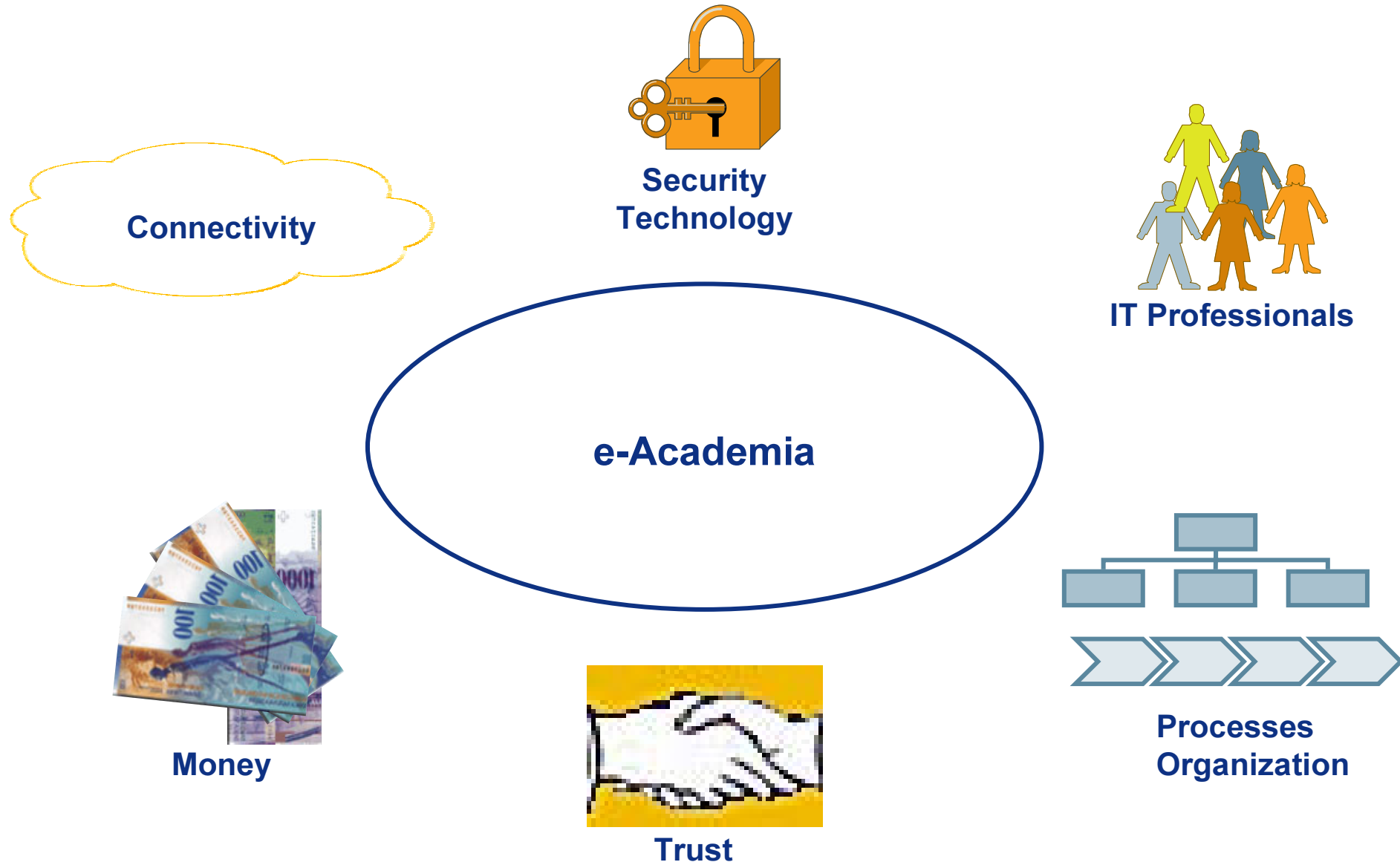


Vision of e-Academia

“We want a virtual community across our institutions in which all persons associated with the Swiss Higher Education System are able to gain access to its electronic resources, independent of the accrediting organization and independent of the place where they happen to be working.”



Building Blocks



Role of SWITCH

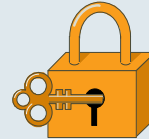
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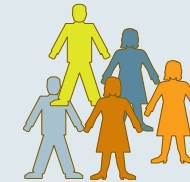
Connectivity

Provides IP-Connectivity

Wire & Wire-less



Investigations in new security technologies like Shibboleth



Consulting & Project Mgmt

Technology Experts



Funding of pilot projects

Applying for subsidies



Built on the mutual trust between Swiss academic institutions



Provides value added network services which suites the needs of the academic community

