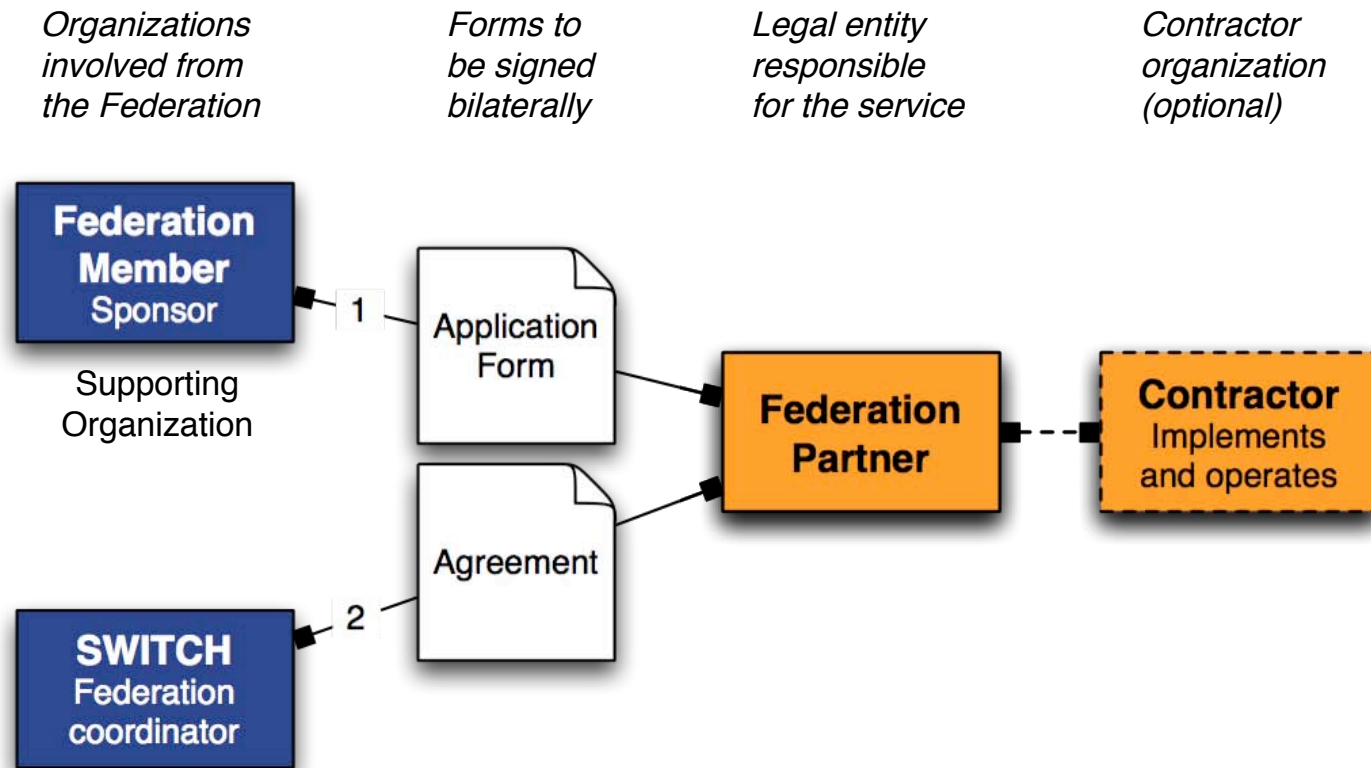# AAI Federation Partners

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Motivation

- How to become a Federation Partner?

- Duties of the supporting organization

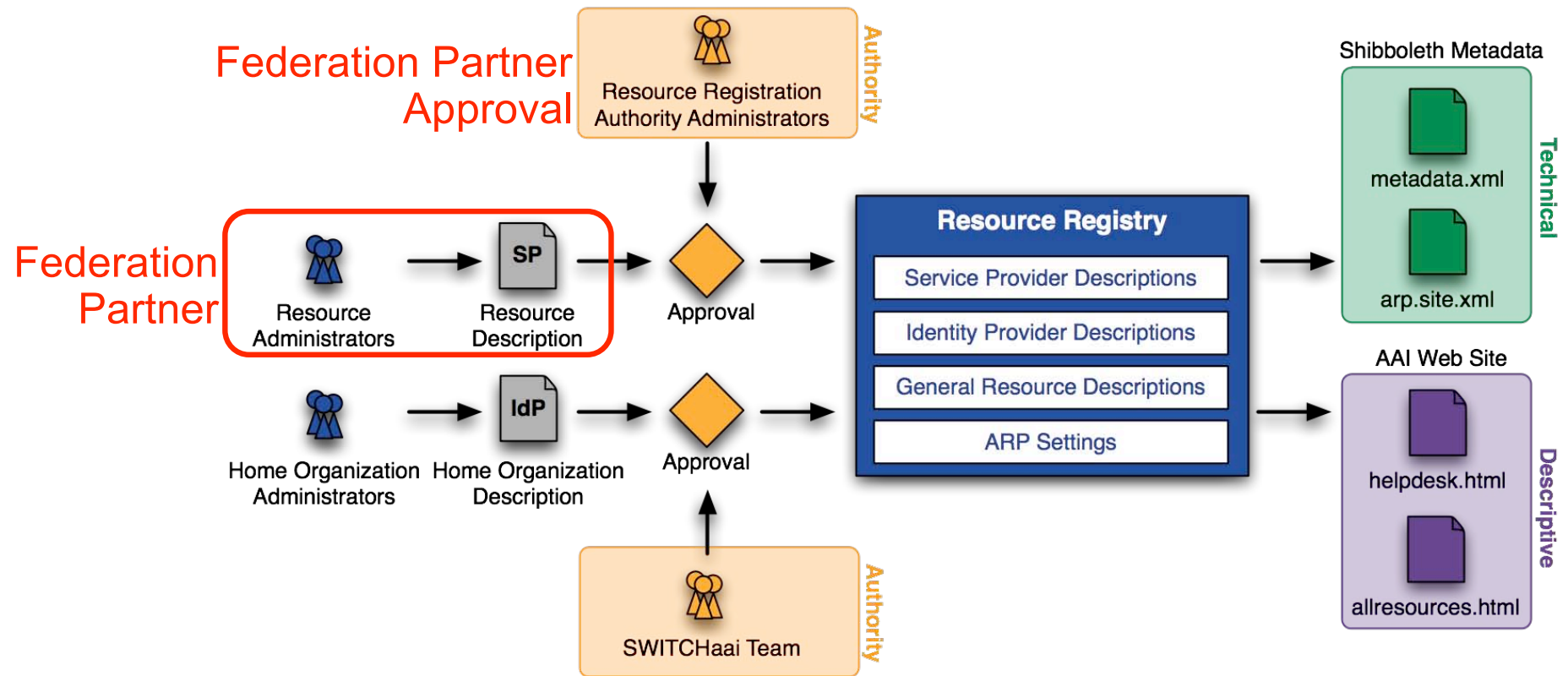- Duties of all IdP administrators concerning new SPs

How to become Federation Partner?

http://www.switch.ch/aai/join/partners.html

Duties of the Supporting Organization

- RRA Admin responsible to approve Federation Partner SPs
  - Check attribute requirements
  - Check intended audience

Duties of all IdP admins regarding new SPs

- Review Attribute Requirements of new SPs
  - Questions?
    → Ask the SP admin or RRA admin
  - Define 'Specific Attribute Release Policy'

- Consider **uApprove**
  - It implements user consent *(formerly known as ArpViewer)*
  - Supports blacklist configuration for
    - SPs
    - attributes

http://www.switch.ch/aai/uApprove

IdP admin can opt-out new SP

- New SP added to the federation
  - SP admin defines intended audience
  - IdP admin gets notified on newly added SP
    - IdP admins can opt-out

- Why not opt-in?
  - Scales badly
    - SP admin has to convince IdP admins to opt-in
    - Causes additional work load at IdP admins
  - Less reliable service for end users