

# INCOMMON

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The InCommon Federation is the U.S. education and research identity federation, providing a common framework for trusted shared management of access to online resources. Through InCommon, Identity Providers can give their users single sign-on convenience and privacy protection, while online Service Providers control access to their protected resources.

Catapult AMS is the only Athlete Management System member of InCommon.

InCommon supports Web-based distributed authentication and authorization services. Members of InCommon, including Universities and Colleges, enjoy the benefits and additional controls utilising a single authentication framework that covers Catapult AMS.

This means an organisation can make their own access decisions and user privacy controls are decided on a case by case basis for each resource, providing higher security and more granular control.

A full list of InCommon members can be found [here](#).