Exploring Visualization Techniques to Enhance Privacy Control UX for User-Managed Access

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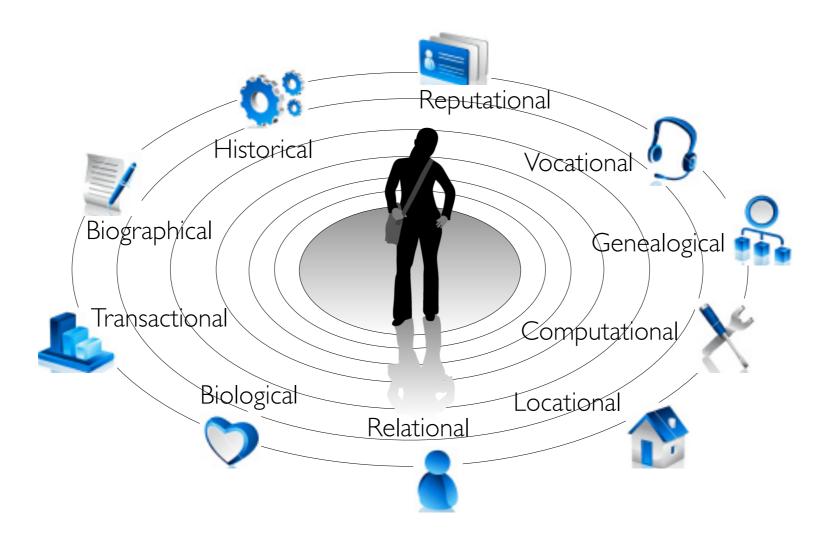
Agenda

- Data sharing and online privacy
- SmartAM Information Ecology
- Enhance privacy control
 - UMA Connection
 - UMA Control bridge
- Future works
- User Experience



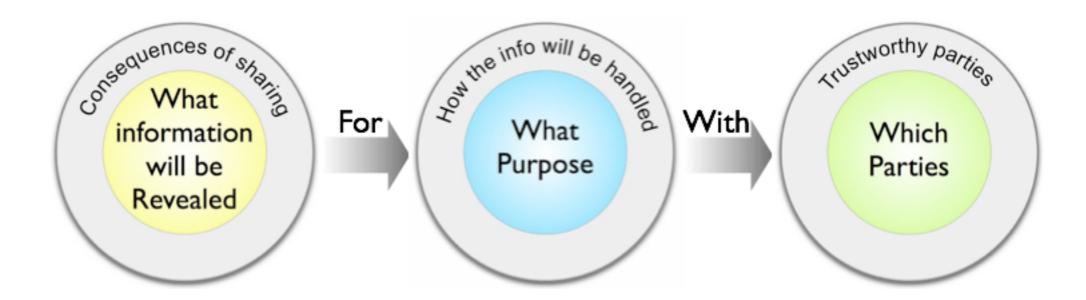
Data sharing

Online Privacy is about sharing

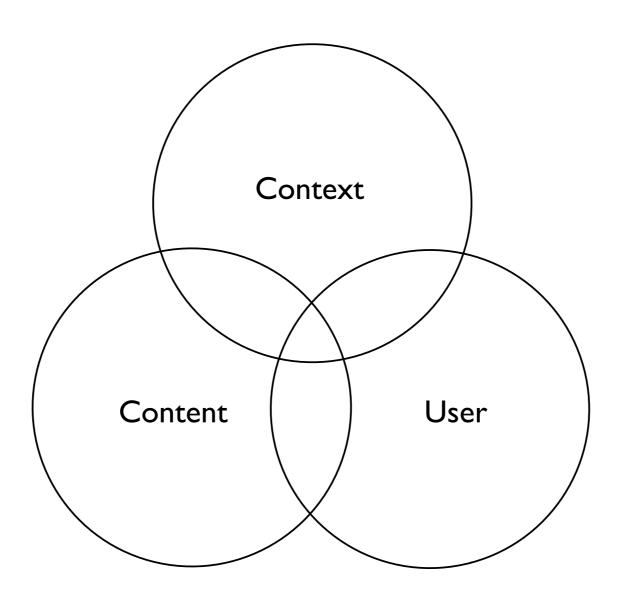




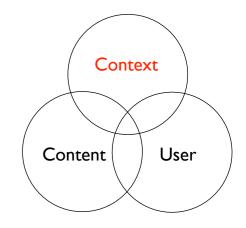
The Paradigm User Data sharing and online Privacy











UMA/SmartAM Context

- Provide an advance system to allow internet user to protect and share online information
- Prevent of lost of user privacy
- Adhere to the international privacy regulations
- Secure online information (access control)

UMA/SmartAM Content

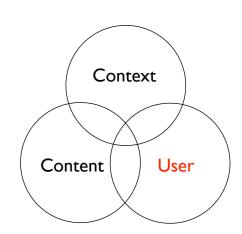
Context

Content User

- Authorizing User information
- Authorizing User's Web resource info
- Authorization Policies
- Requesting Parties Information
- Analytics information (who, when, what)



UMA/SmartAM User



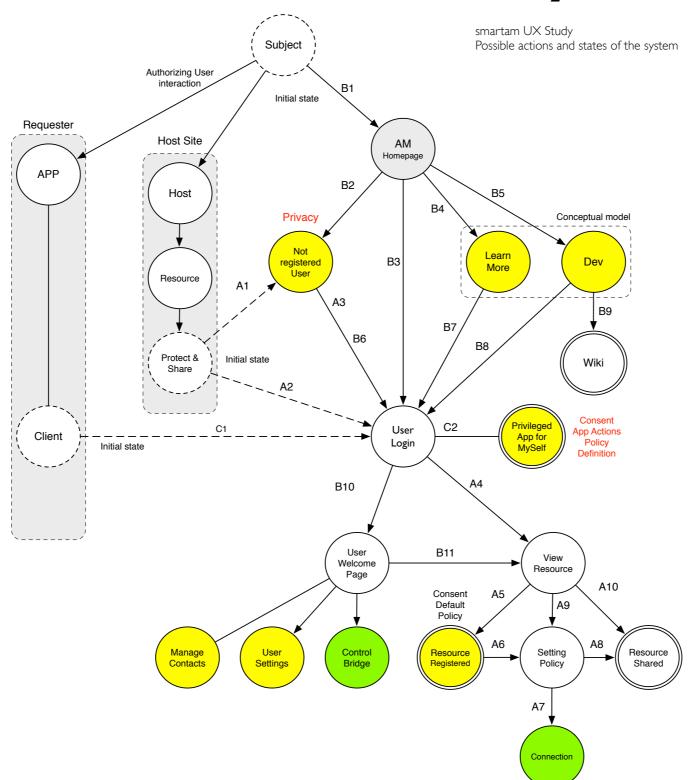
- Internet User/Social networking user
- Company
- Developer
- Government
- Curios!!

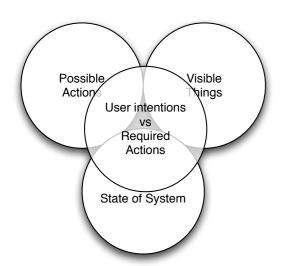


SmartAM UX



SmartAM states system







Understand the nature of data sharing policy in distributed environment

- UMA model centralizes the authorization policies for all the Authorizing User's distributed web resource (protected resource).
- The externalization of the policies introduces a new level of complexity because the user must (mentally) map the authorization structure for each resource, in more sophisticate one.
- This new layer must be able to abstracting the existent, although it must be able to enhance the control on the information that will be shared.
- Increasing of Protected resources and requesting parties could be mentally difficult for the user to maintain control in practice on the information.



Risks

- Lost of Privacy
- Exploit of online personal Information
- Security breach



Enhance Privacy Control through visualization

- As result a context authorization policy and a governor system is definitely desirable.
- We introduce two new design concepts:
 - VMA ← Connection
 - ► UMA Control_{tm} bridge
- A visualization tool is necessary to facilitate the creation of the sharing policy and the control of the privacy.

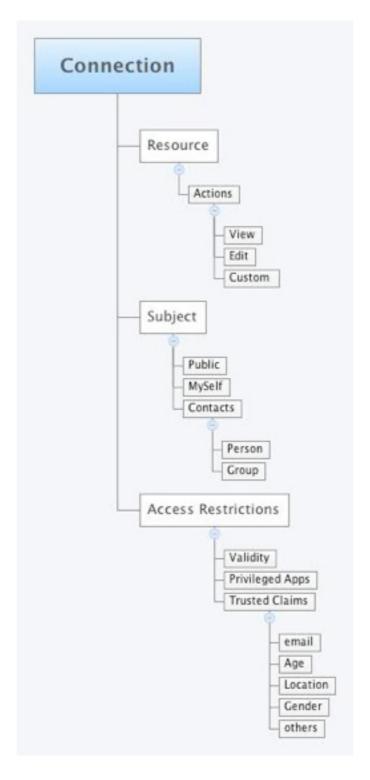


UMA Connection

- An UMA Connection defines a context of the data sharing policy.
 - It's a set of objects, including Contacts, authorized Apps and allowed actions on a specific resource.
 - It can include access restrictions (i.e. period validity) and/or Trusted Claims request to restrict access based on subject's information.
- An UMA Connection is fundamental to enhance user control for what <u>purpose the information</u> will be revealed.
- UMA Connection uses a <u>visualization approach</u> which helps user to define an appropriate context.
- An Authorizing User can create a Connection for him-self or for others.
- A Connection doesn't incapsulate other connections.

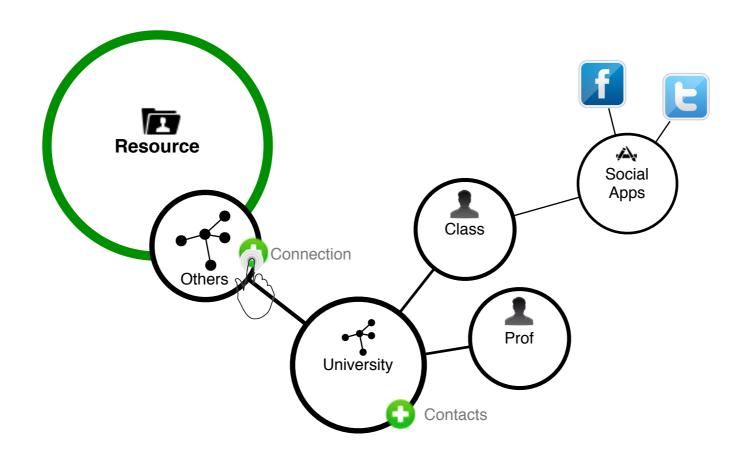


Structure of UMA Connection





Visualizing UMA Connection







UMA Control bridge

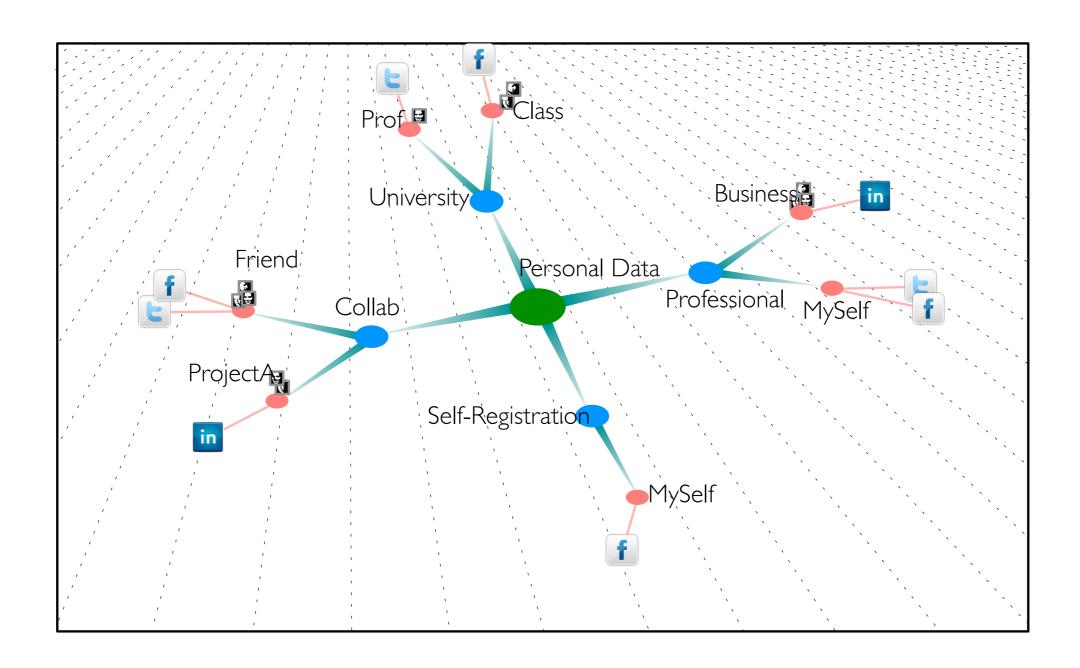
UMA Control bridge

- Is designed to adhere to the user-centric identity paradigm.
- Provides a primary user interface for control Resources, Connections, Apps and requesters.
- Provides a dashboard with main statistic information about connection, shared data, etc.
- Incorporates a single view of these main controls, including a notification bar for new access request.
- Provides 3-steps actions to get access to specific view, excluding optional view.





Maintain control on Information that will be revealed





Future works

- Graph Algorithm
- Super Connection (Basket of Resources)
- Visualization techniques (HTML5)



User eXperience

UMA Connection (part 2)
UMA Control bridge (part 3)



Thanks

