Demo: data sharing in Dutch health care system

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- PhD in optical networking
- R&D in voice networking, media networking, blockchain networking
- Standardisation: ITU, ETSI, DVB, HbbTV, MPEG, Hyperledger
- One book, more than 150 publications, over 80 patent applications, over 700 standardization contributions, one Guinness world record
- Scientific Lead of Techruption Blockchain PPP, admintech
- Director of TNO Blockchain Lab: https://blockchain.tno.nl/laboratory/
- Economic Advisory Council of Sovrin, upcoming identity blockchain

TNO (https://www.tno.nl/en/)

2600 employee applied R&D institute, founded by law in 1932, strong in digital infrastructures, interoperable data and cyber security



Exploring SSI use cases in Techruption

- SSI: Self-Sovereign Identity
- Techruption: 16+ partner public private R&D partnership in admintech (techruption.org)
- > Use cases:
 - Self-employed: citizen bank chamber of commerce; PoC done
 - Medical Supplies: patient insurer doctor pharmacist; PoC done, pilot in preparation
 - Grant application: company representative, reduce paperwork & fraud; ideation planned
 - > Q&A protocol: automated queries for SSI attestations; research & standards
 - > Form design: user interface to reify attestation exchanges; early exploration













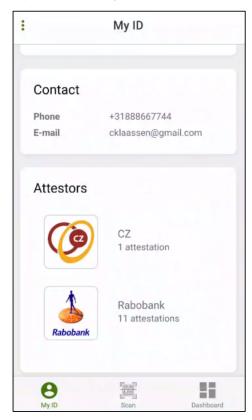






Demo: medicine prescription

> Patient gets recipe from doctor, goes to online pharmacy, pays from health insurance

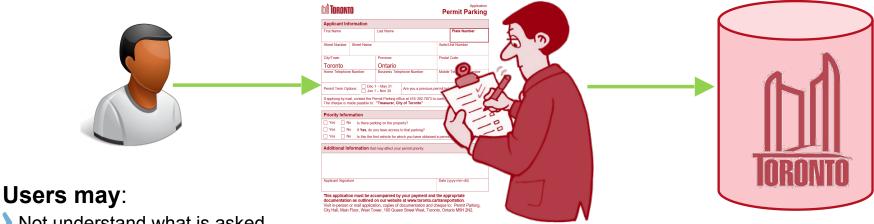








Identity-Data Processing: Costly and Time-Consuming



- Not understand what is asked
- Not know where to get the requested data
- Not know what answers are acceptable

Users may experience that:

- It takes a lot to fill in these (bureaucratic) forms
- It takes a long time for the provider to decide
- Anger, agony, no trust in provider (business)
- They may give up to enter in the transaction

How does a business decide

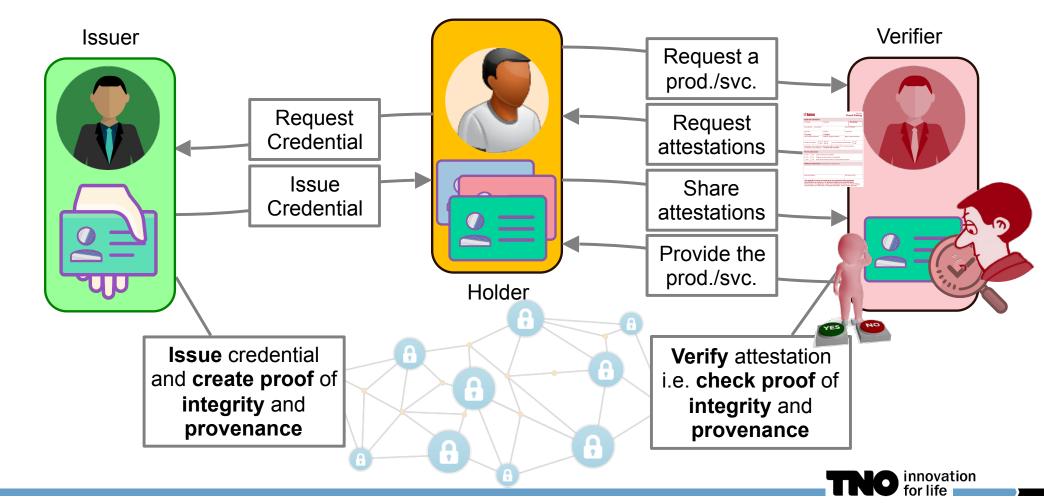
- that the data is correct/acceptable
- with a sufficiently high degree of certainty

Providers may experience

- High cost and long processing times
- The dilemma: Pay the Price or Run the Risk
- User dissatisfaction reduced conversion rates

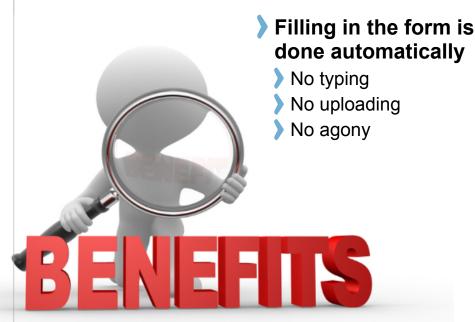


"Self Sovereign Identities"



SSI User Benefits:

- No need to understand everything that the form requires to fill in;
- Collecting data is much easier (and faster)
 - Obtain data electronically → fast
 - No need to (physically) go places



SSI Business Benefits:

- > They get quality Identity data, i.e.
 - meaning exactly what they intend;
 - attested to by a party they trust;
- Easy validation of Identity data:
 - Check proof of integrity, provenance
- Check validity (expiration/revocation)
- Higher customer satisfaction (citizen trust) and
- Higher conversion rates because users do not give up filling in forms, and it's faster
- Reduction of IT-links between business systems because information can be provided by users (attestations)
- ▶ GDPR compliance contributions e.g. if form meta-data specifies the purpose(s) for which the data is being used.
- New Business opportunities fuelled by the possibility to issue attestations

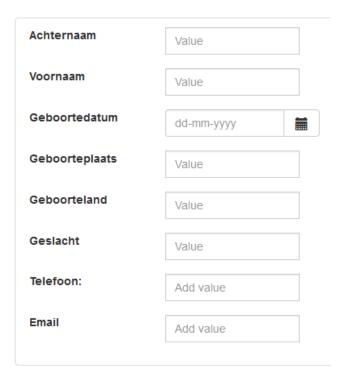


GPs will be able to spend 20% more (quality) time CZ (health insurer) expects. With their patients.



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- Significant reduction of unjust declarations saves CZ millions of Euro's.
- Higher satisfaction of patients
 - Reduced waiting times for declarations and obtaining permission for treatments
 - Less physical visits to specialists for getting attestations
- New business opportunities arise
 - E.g. online medicine distribution
- > Status: Prototype systems by which issuing of 'de pil' (or something else) can be demonstrated.
- > We are preparing a pilot (to start in Jan 2019)

Technology: We Are Getting There

Dutch Blockchain Coalition connect and create

Research of DBC/ING shows that







are the current technologies that best matches the SSI principles (as formulated by Christopher Allen).

https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/matching-identity-management-solutions-self-sovereign-tommy-koens/

Note that IRMA is not blockchain-based, whereas Sovrin and uPort are.



Going Far? Go Together! Come and join: SSI-Lab.NL



Self-Sovereign Integration Lab (for experimenting) Natural Learning
No Limitations
No Liability

- > Technological Challenges:
 - > Technical interoperability between solutions
 - Do we (really) need blockchain?
 - Specifications of protocols and functionalities
- Process challenges:
- Defining forms requires more precise specifications and business alignment.
- Cross-domain business interoperability:
 - Which parties will attest what?
 - > Legal implications?



Endorse the eSSI-Lab proposal!

- Horizon 2020 ICT 24 RIA i-b)
 - > "Strengthening internet trustworthiness with electronic identities" (link)
- 🕽 7 M€ cascaded funding: <u>you can earn money here</u> 😌
- Partners
 - > TNO (NL): project coordinator, scientific lead
 - Fundingbox (ES): cascaded funding coordination
 - > GRNET (GR): continuous integration
 - > Blumorpho (FR): business acceleration
- **Looking for endorsement letters**, interest to
 - Submit proposals to the cascaded funding calls of SSI-LAB
 - Distribute cascaded funding calls of SSI-LAB in own network
 - Make existing SSI components available to SSI-LAB











