

Digital Identity - Submissions

1. **The role of better digital identity in a secure, trusted and inclusive Internet**

Comments: 27 years after Pete Steiner's famous cartoon in the New Yorker, we're still struggling to figure out who is a ""dog on the Internet."" Identity provides the attack vector for most major breaches and each year leads to billions of dollars in cybercrime and millions of identity theft victims. As NIST has pointed out, "The processes and technologies to establish and use digital identities offer multiple opportunities for impersonation and other attacks." The event of the last year -- where the impacts of inadequate identity infrastructure have only been exacerbated with the elimination of many in-person transactions -- suggests it would be a good time to revisit the state of online identity, and the roles that both government and the private sector might play in identity solutions that can deliver a more secure, trusted and inclusive Internet.