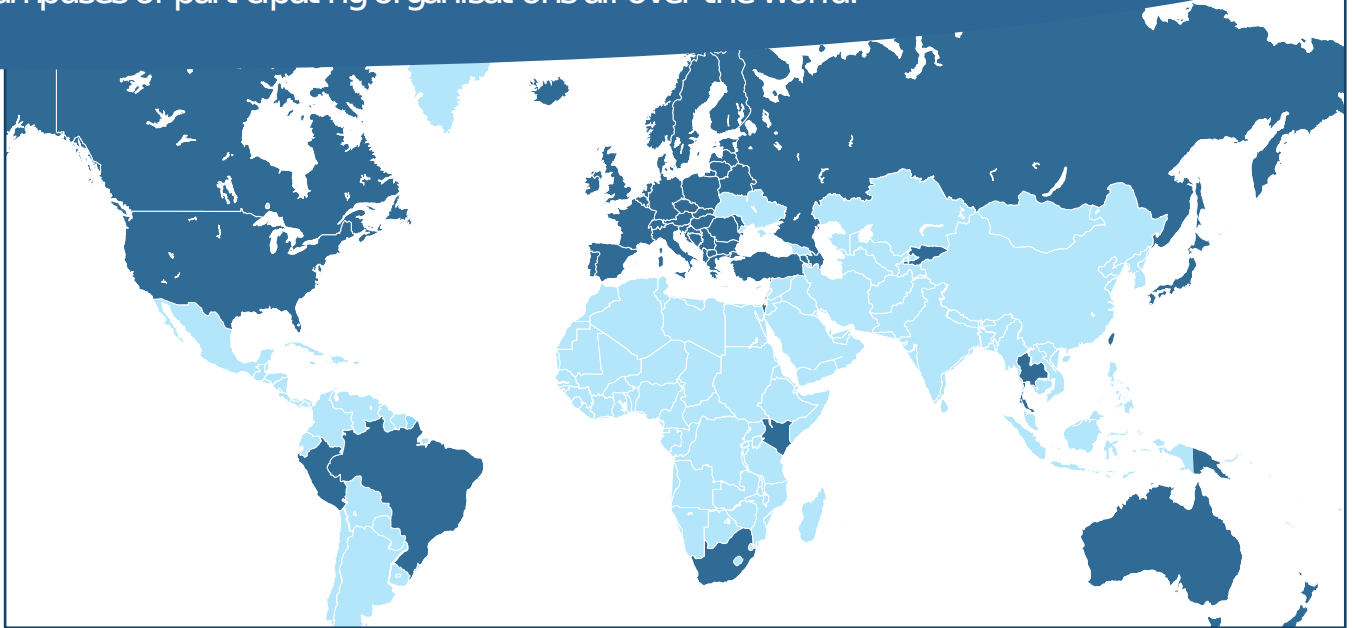


Simple, secure and fast network access for students, researchers and staff



eduroam is a global wireless service that enables students, researchers and staff to obtain secure and fast Internet connectivity across campuses of participating organisations all over the world.



Maps are available on the eduroam website, www.eduroam, showing every institution in Europe where eduroam is available and linking to information about eduroam in Canada, Japan, the USA, Australia, New Zealand, Hong Kong and other countries.

Benefits for institutions

The cost of implementing and maintaining eduroam is modest. The service results in significant cost savings through reduced IT department workload:

- eduroam provides a single solution that accommodates all the mobile connectivity requirements of an institution, supporting local users connecting to the local network, visitors connecting to the local network and local users connecting to other participating networks.
- eduroam removes the need to supply temporary accounts to visiting users, so reducing the administrative and support burden imposed by the ever-growing movement of students and researchers between institutions and countries.

With eduroam, your campus becomes a more attractive venue for meetings and conferences, as it allows participants to access the network without assistance, and without tying up your facilities.

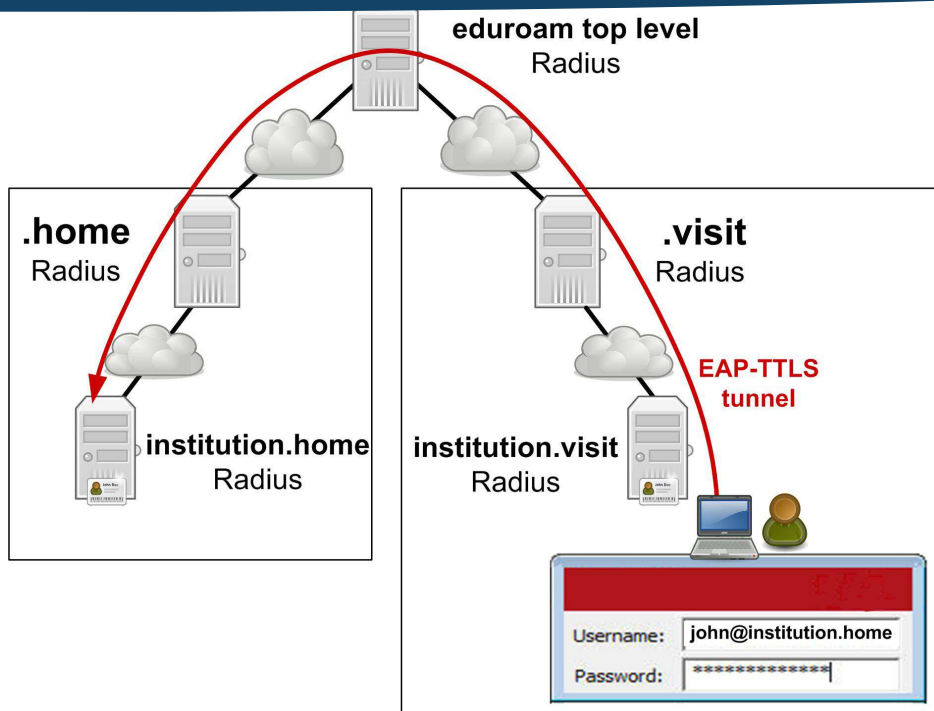
eduroam® supports research and education by providing

- high-speed, roaming broadband in over 50 countries
- access at thousands of locations, with only one setup
- secure and privacy-preserving technology
- reciprocal service that is free-of-charge to users
- leadership in pioneering global roaming services and technology

eduroam was pioneered by the European research and education networking community. It is available for all research and education institutions to deploy.

By connecting to eduroam you provide your researchers, staff and students with access to thousands of participating hotspots world-wide.

How eduroam works



eduroam set up in three easy steps:

1. Set up a RADIUS server connected to your institutional identity server (LDAP)
2. Connect your access points to your RADIUS server
3. Federate your RADIUS server

- eduroam is based on 802.1X and a linked hierarchy of RADIUS servers containing users' data (usernames / passwords).
- The RADIUS hierarchy forwards the users' credentials securely to the users' home institution, where they are verified and validated.
- To protect the privacy of the traffic from the user's device over the wireless network, the latest up-to-date data encryption standards are used.

The user's home institution is responsible for maintaining and monitoring user information, even when the user is at a guest campus. Thus, this data is not shared with other connected institutions.

Participating institutions must have operating RADIUS infrastructure and agree to the terms of use.

Technical, training and promotional support is available, for further support, contact: eduroam@sci.am

For information on participating institutions and Roaming Operators, please see the eduroam map online. For more information about eduroam in Armenia see www.eduroam.am.

GÉANT and eduroam in Europe

The eduroam service is coordinated within Armenia by ASNET-AM and across Europe by a team from the GÉANT project, which is funded by the European Commission.

eduroam is available at participating universities, research centres and libraries in more than 45 countries worldwide.

