

user-attr-displayname

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Overview

displayName is a user attribute defined in [RFC2798](#) (LDAP inetOrgPerson Object Class). From [RFC2798](#) description: "preferred name of a person to be used when displaying entries."

OID	2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.241
LDAP Syntax	Directory String
# of Values	single value
References	eduPerson , RFC2798

Use in the InCommon Federation

displayName satisfies the [REFEDS Research & Scholarship \(R&S\) entity category](#)'s requirement for person name.

SAML Response Example

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol"
  xmlns:saml="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion"
  ID="..." Version="2.0" IssueInstant="2020-07-17T01:01:48Z"
  Destination="..." InResponseTo="...">
  ...
  <saml:Assertion ...>
    ...
    <saml:AttributeStatement>
      <saml:Attribute xmlns:x500="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:profiles:
attribute:X500"
        NameFormat="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:attrname-
format:uri"
        Name="urn:oid:2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.241"
        FriendlyName="displayName"
        x500:Encoding="LDAP">
        <saml:AttributeValue xsi:type="xsd:string">Samual El-Kabany</saml:
AttributeValue>
      </saml:Attribute>
    ...
  </saml:AttributeStatement>
</saml:Assertion>
</samlp:Response>
```

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