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Learning Networks

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The Concept

Learning
as a flow of communication
through a network…

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Learning…

Learning as a network phenomenon…

- Web of user-generated content…
- Social networks and communities (entails a genuinely portable (and *owned*) identity
- Networks of interactions (aggregate, remix, repurpose, feed forward) – syndication
- The *personal* learning centre

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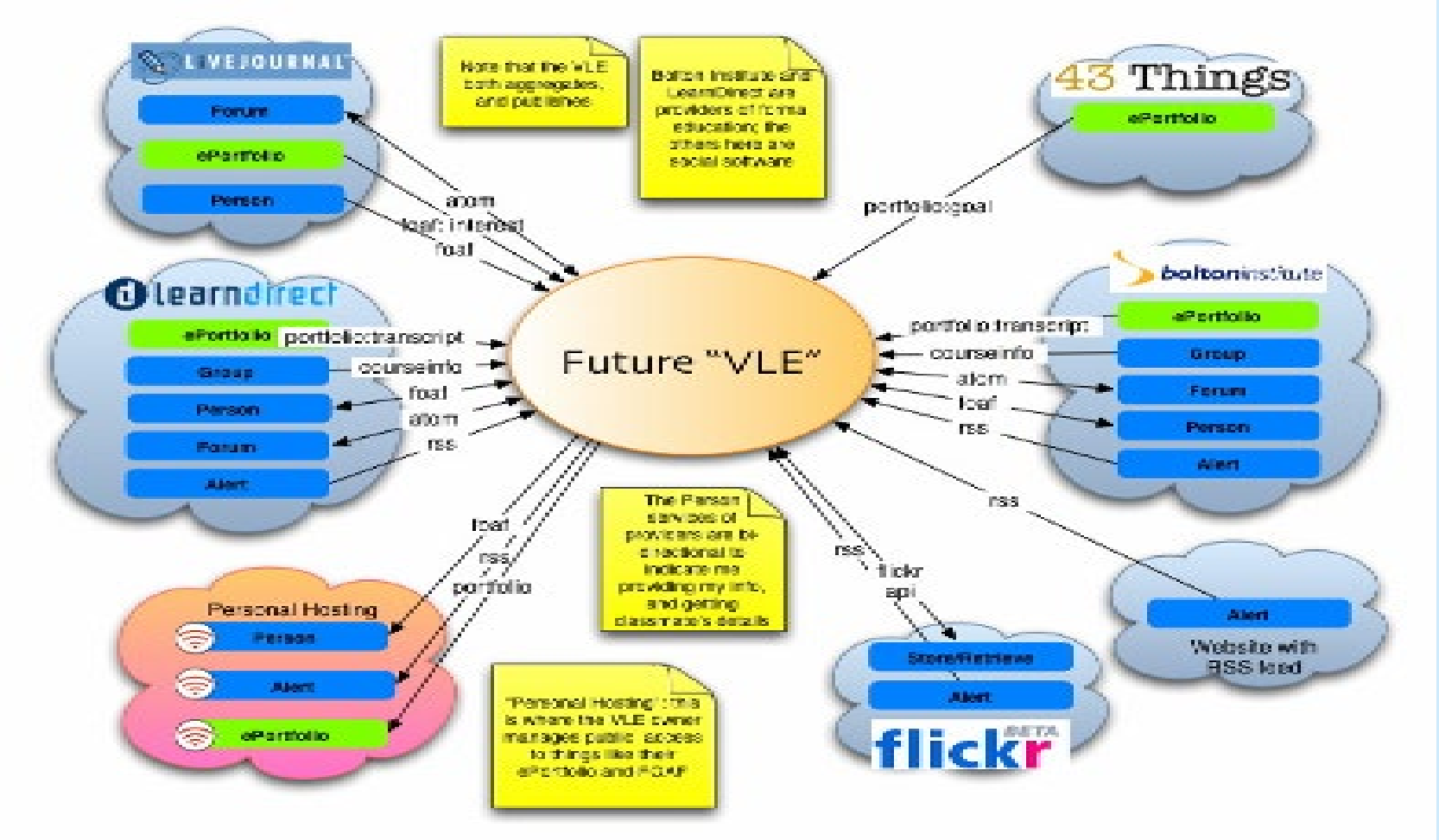
E-Learning 2.0…



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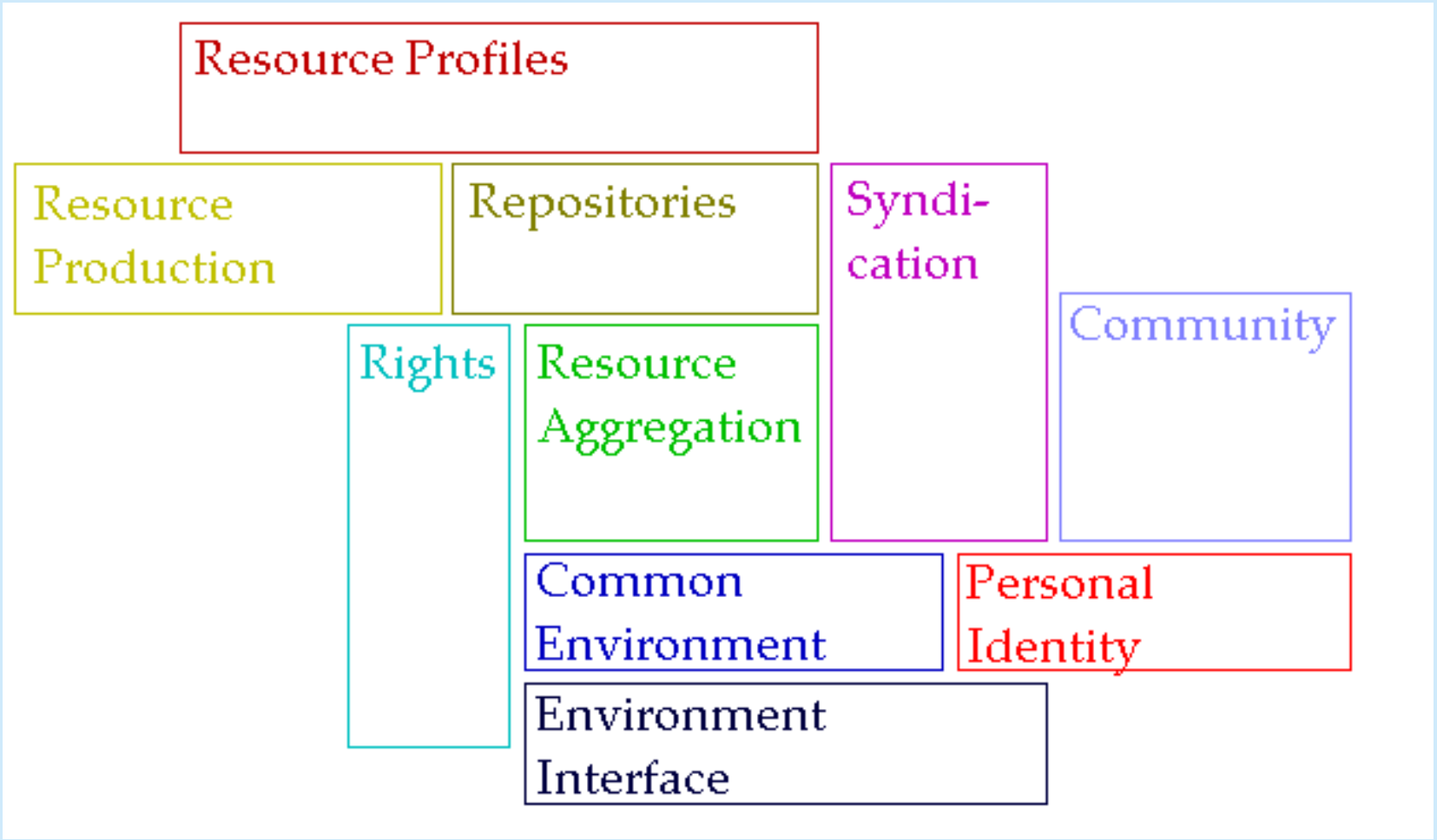
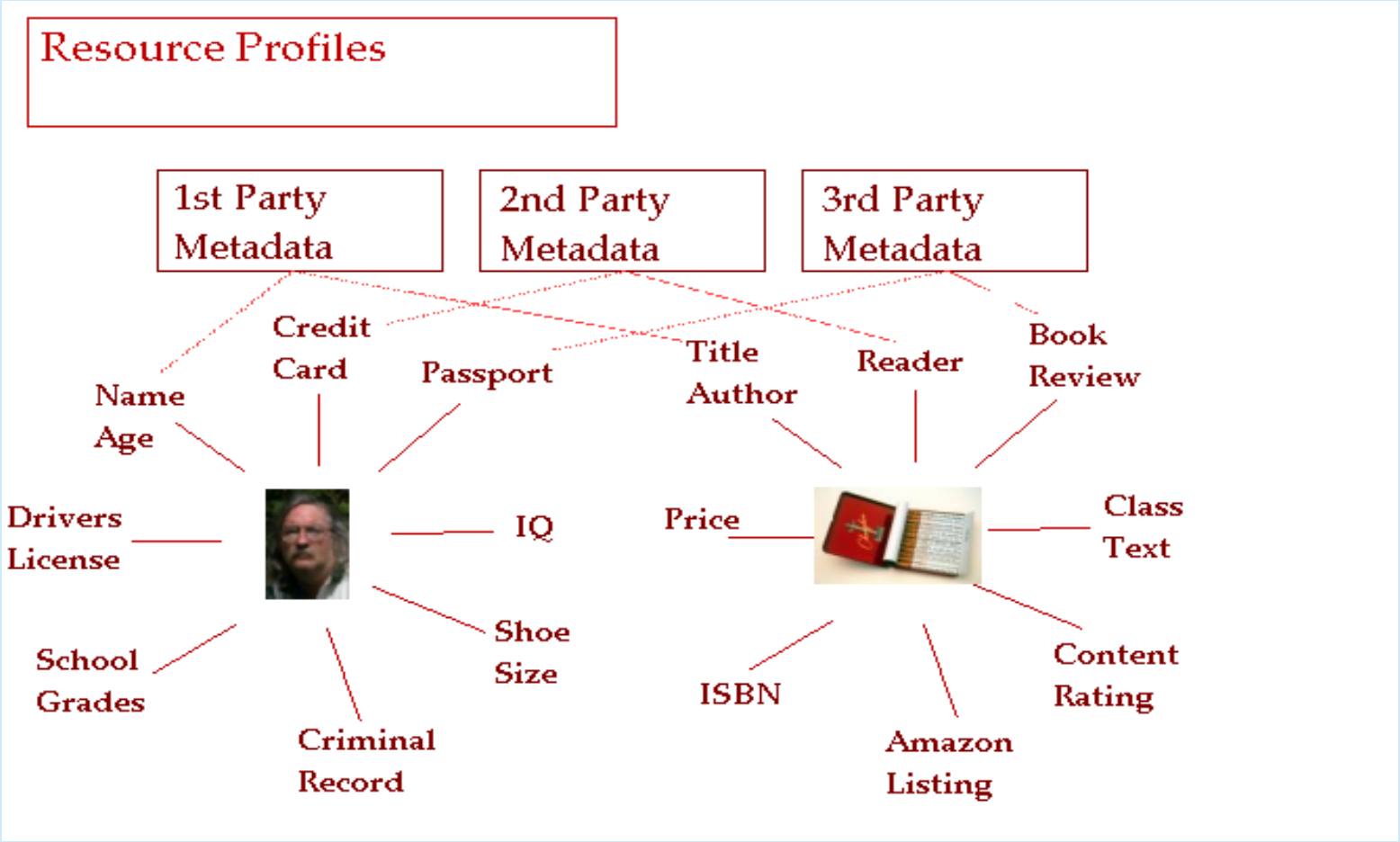
Architecture

Rethinking Learning Resources…



Resource Profiles



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Resource Production

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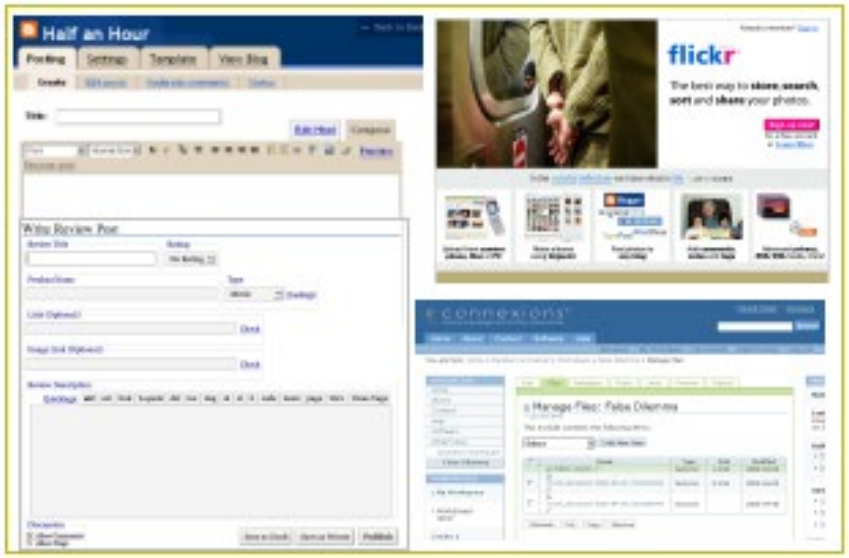

1st PartyMetadata
(RSS, DC, LOM)

Resource
(XML, XHTML)

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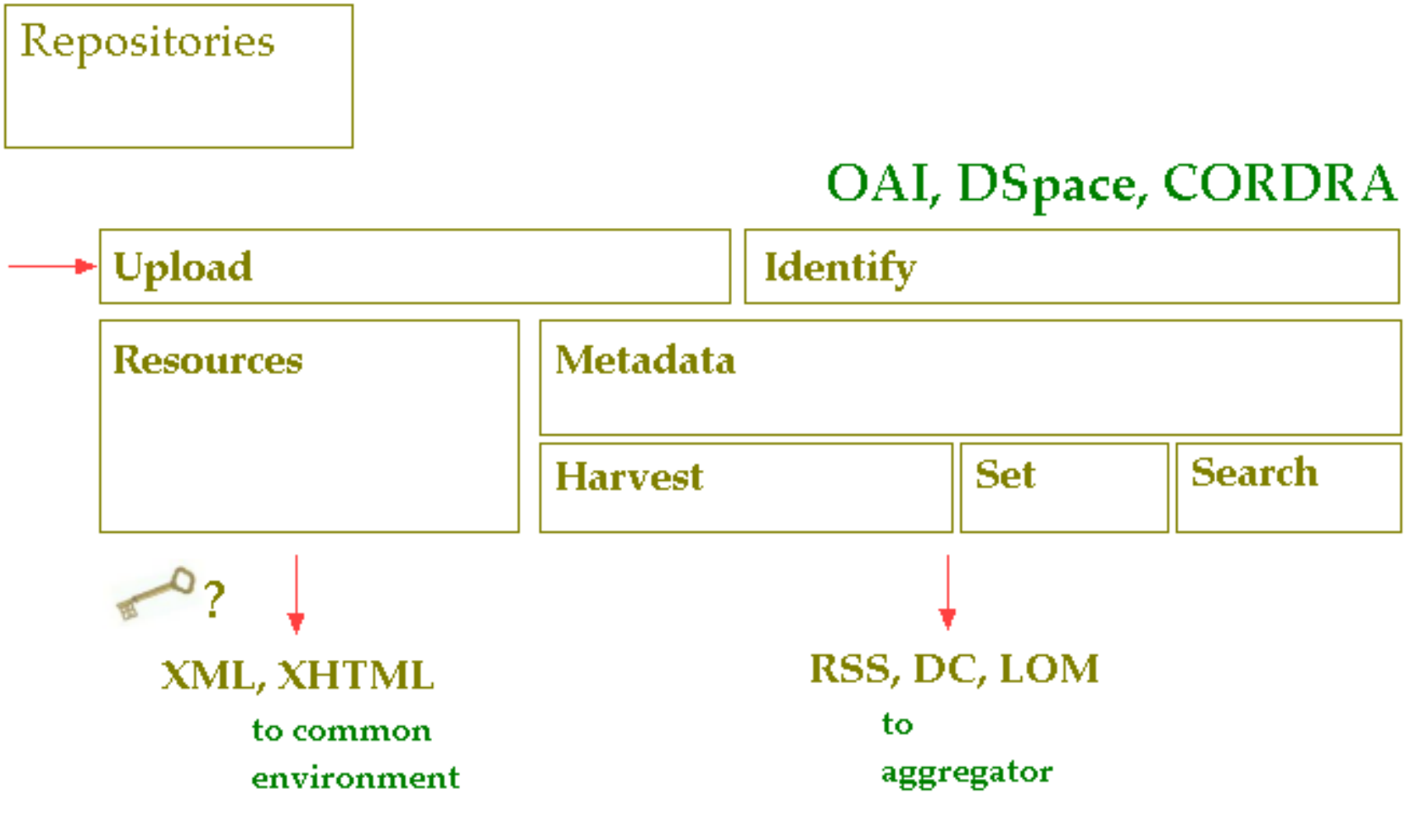
Repositories



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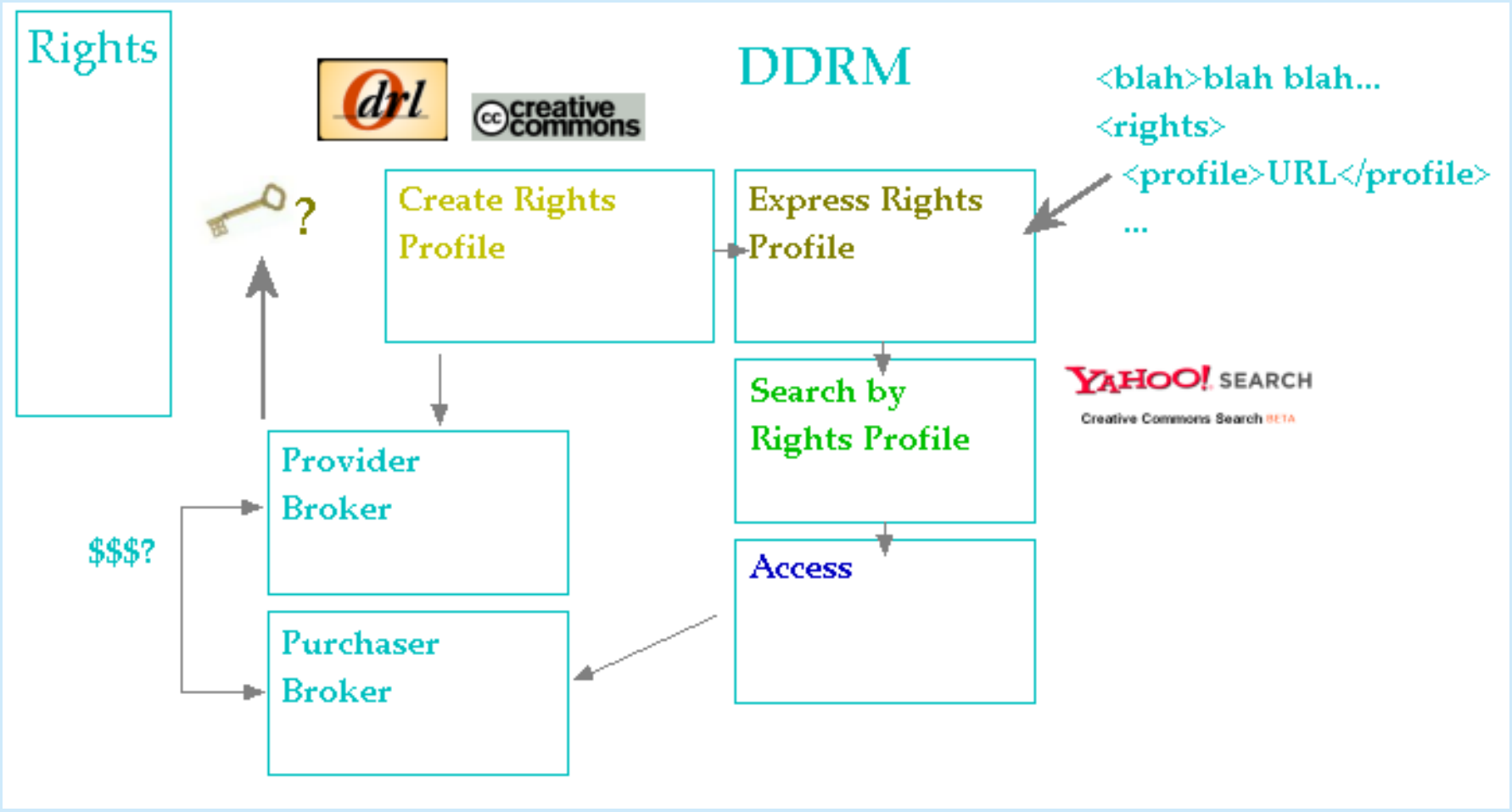
Rights



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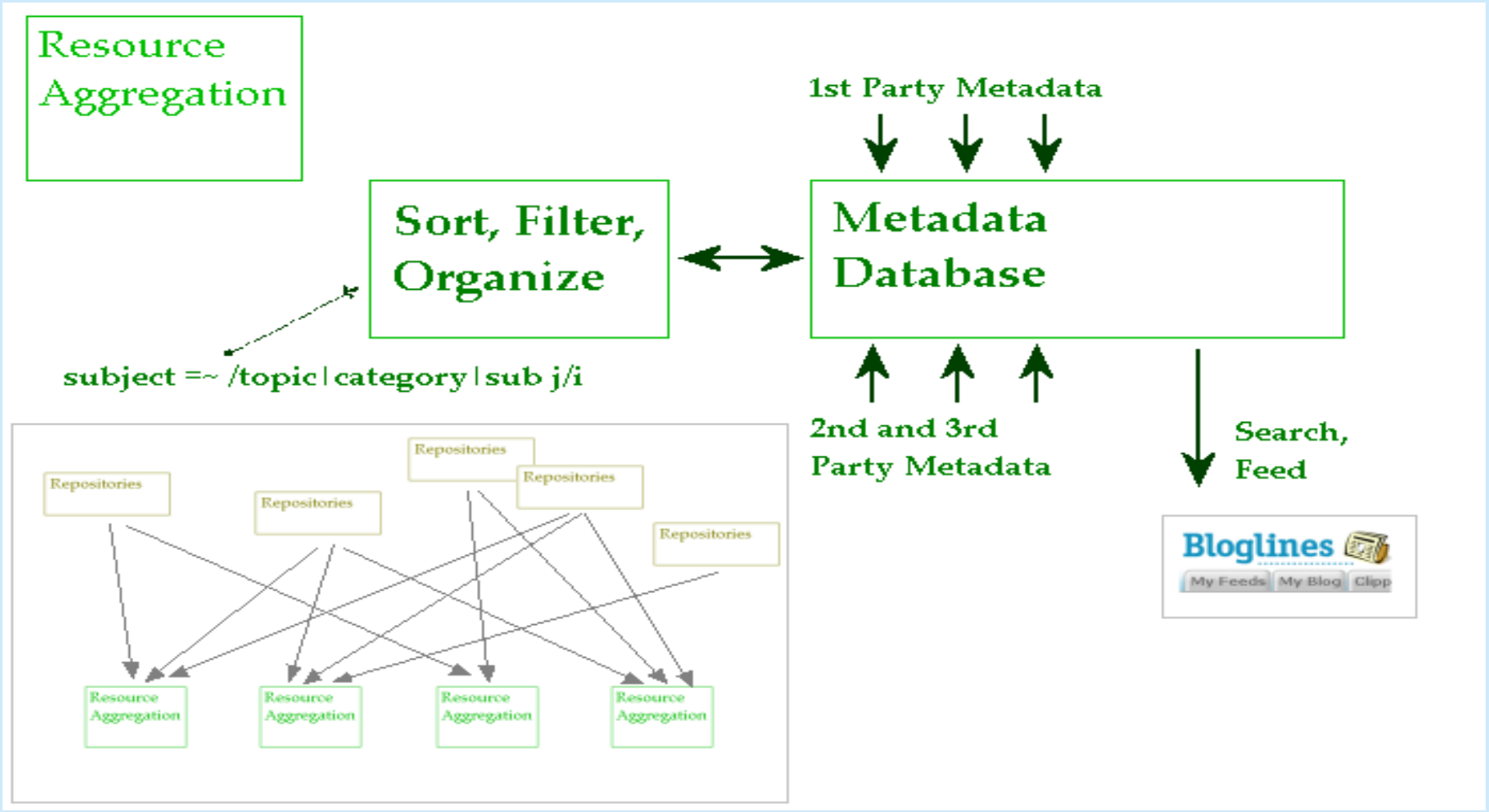
Resource Aggregation



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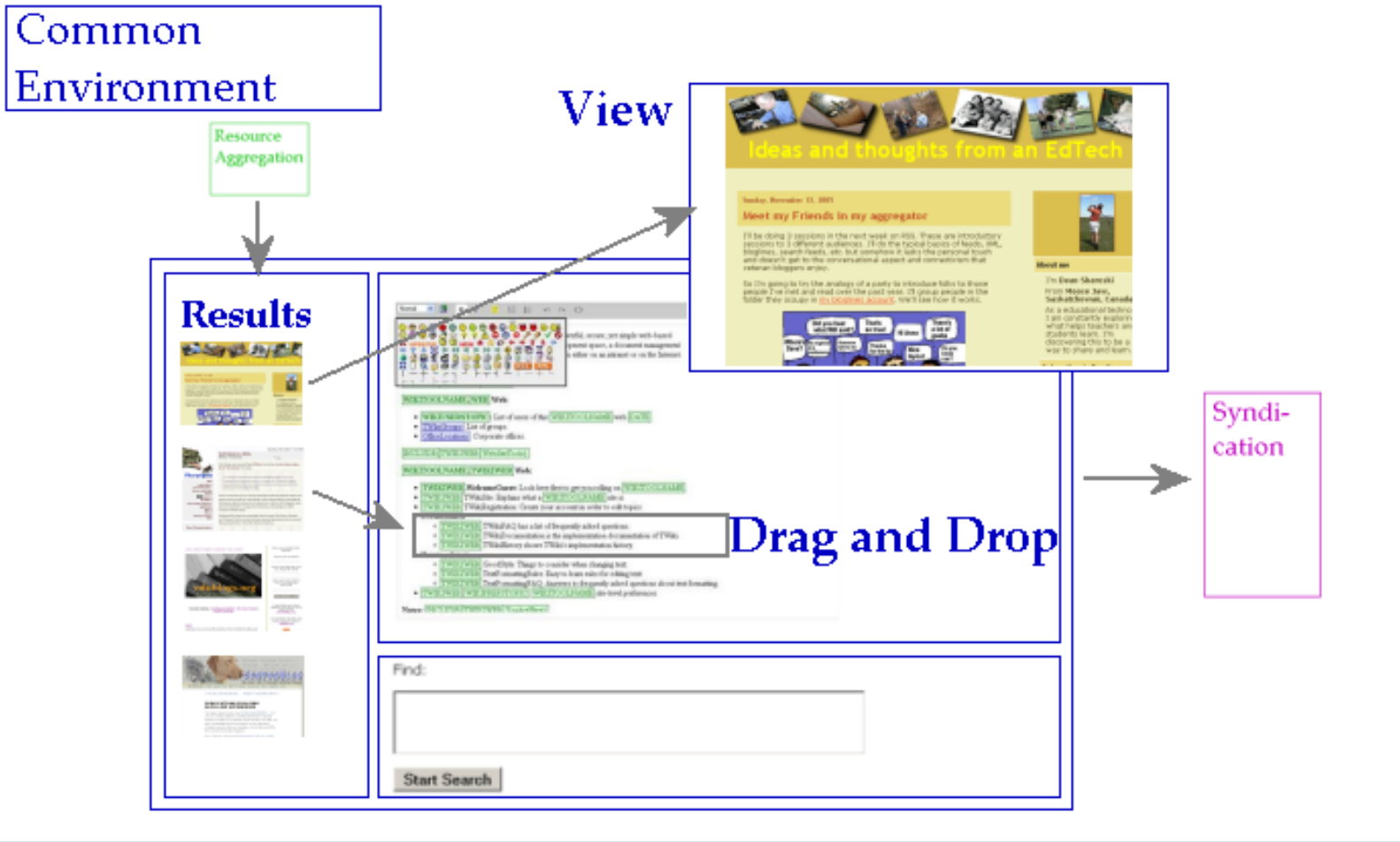
Common Environment



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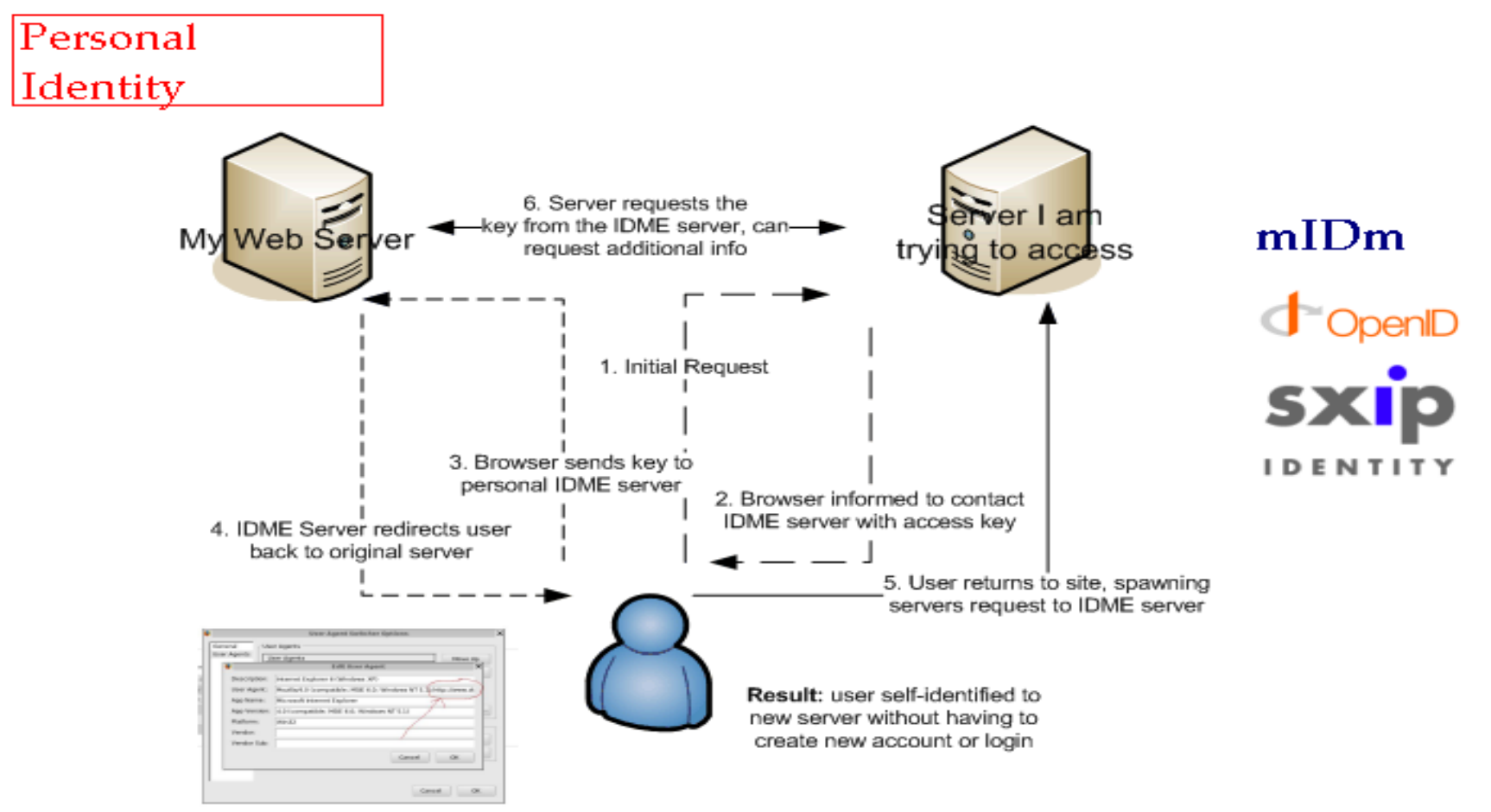
Personal Identity



Environment Interface

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Common Environment

XSLT +

Workflow... games... simulations... appliances... courses...

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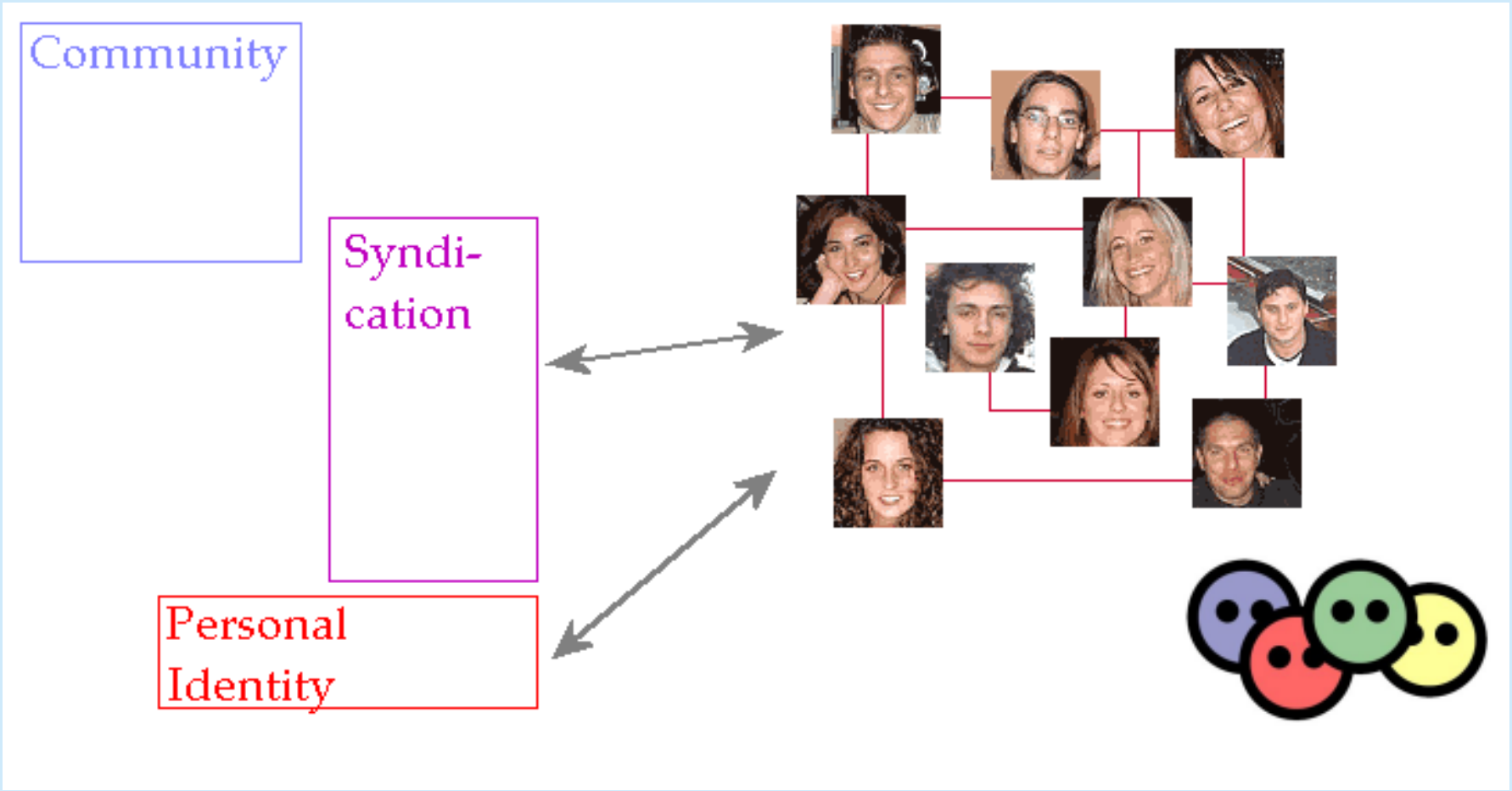
Syndication

Syndi-cation

evaluation, usage, comment, tagging → Resource Aggregation

RSS, Atom, CNXML, XML... → Repositories

Community



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