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Discovering Authenticated Endpoints (in TAP)

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In general: To allow services to advertise, through the registry and through VOSI capabilities, endpoints (URLs) that support authentication.

For TAP: Allow clients to discover TAP /table endpoints, and /sync and /async endpoints that support different types of authentication.



History (in the context of TAP)

- TAP 1.0: Lookup service by StdID, append /sync or /async
 - Problem: some auth types require different endpoints (URLs)
- Split TAP StdID into the individual 'features': sync and async
 - Looks good!
 - Problem: old registry lookup recommendation fails
- UWS Registry Extension: tag interfaces with UWS
 - Looks good!
 - Problem?





Speaker	Title	Time
Simon O'Toole	Access Control in the All-Sky Virtual Observatory	15'
Jesus Salgado	GAIA TAP (TAP+ protocol)	15'
Pat Dowler	TAP-1.1 & endpoints authentication	15'
Mark Taylor	TAP-1.1 authentication in TOPCAT/STILTS (include Markus D. topics)	25'
	discussion (overflow option to splinter)	20'

