Wiley Online Library

Federated Access via Shibboleth/OpenAthens

Wiley Online Library supports Shibboleth and OpenAthens federated access management services to facilitate institutions’ end-user authentication. Users may log in from Wiley Online Library’s WAYF (“where are you from”) discovery widget on the Institutional Login page, or institutions may set up WAYFless links on their own OPACs or websites which will authenticate users and take them directly to licensed content on Wiley Online Library.

**Wiley Online Library’s WAYF discovery widget**

Users can log in via a federated access management service by going to the Institutional Login page (http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/login-options) and selecting the Institution to which they belong. Users will be directed to their Institution’s single sign on login page, where they can enter their credentials and be returned to Wiley Online Library, obtaining access to their Institution’s licensed content.

**WAYFless URLs**

Institutions can insert WAYFless links on their websites which will authenticate users and direct them directly to content on Wiley Online Library. These links provide a straightforward journey for the user whereby they already have the permissions necessary to access licensed content.

The WAYFless URL syntax is:

http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/shibboleth/wayfless?eid={entityID}&page={target}

where:

- **entityID** = the Identity Provider's encoded Entity ID

- **target** = the encoded URL of a Wiley Online Library page
  example: http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com

Sample URL using the above values: