Wanna secure your webapp?



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Who's on stage?



- ➤ Virginie GALINDO with gemalto, a security company
- xgemalto standardization crew, since 8 years
- ▼Tags: security, mobile, innovation, smart card, trusted execution environment, standard, french, traveler, writer, ...
- My best friends: mobile network operators, banks, governments, public transportation, device makers, ...
- ➤ Chair of the W3C Web Crypto WG



News from Paris!



Paris mayor in 2014 will necessarily be a lady



The little story ...

- Right party decided to make Parisian electors choosing their unique candidate to run the election
 - × Elections were relying on e-voting
- After few hours the electronic vote opened, first security failures were detected
- ➤ When the voted closed the participation rate was 86%.



Primaire UMP à Paris : un vote électronique faillible



ELECTORALE

Post mortem ...

- ➤ User experience was a pain
 - × Visit the site
 - × Load a plug-in
 • Load a
 - ➤ Enter name, birth, phone number
 - ×Pay with credit card
- ➤ Security failures were soooo obvious
 - ➤ Identity could be faked
 - x Same person could vote several time
 - ×No risk management



Crypto could have helped!

- Implementing Security relies on very few valuable things!
- Operations such as user identification, device authentication, service and client authentication, ciphering of exchanges, integrity of messages
 - ➤ In other word : cryptographic operations
- ➤ Included during the service Design
 - Don't even think about improvising security
- This is why we need a standard and robust crypto API in browsers available to webapp



Savers of the web



On Monday night...

- Web Crypto WG meets on irc #crypto
- ★You can spy us http://www.w3.org/2012/webcrypto/
 - × We argue about the best algorithms to reference
 - ➤ We finetune means for creating keys



Serious stuff

- × Use cases
 - ▼ To explain W3C management what we wanna do
- ➤ Web Crypto API
 - × To let web dev generate a random number, create a key and use it
- ➤ Web Crypto Key Discovery
 - ➤ To let web apps retrieving their key and only their key
- ➤ Web Crypto High Level API
 - To make the web dev dream that crypto will be a one click button one day...



Use cases

- Banking transaction
- ▼ Files synchronization and cloud backup
- **×**Code signing
- ➤ Content protection (Who said DRM ?)

(We need to ask the future Paris mayor to sponsor the e-voting use case)



Seriously! Serious, like what?

- Web Crypto APIs are not only a mercury repository
- ★ You can play with it
 - × Polycrypt by BBN
 - × http://polycrypt.net/
- Some people claim to use it already
 - Netflix, in combination with Encrypted Media Extension (Who said DRM ?)
 - * http://www.webmonkey.com/2013/04/netflix-plans-to-ditch-silverlight-for-html5/
 - Inventive Designers, experimental, combined with a smart card
 - <u>http://www.inventivedesigners.com/</u>
- × Product Announcement
 - Mozilla: https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=865789
 - ★ Google: ttps://groups.google.com/a/chromium.org/forum/#!msg/blink-dev/iEz5GOuM4eU/nl6NSQV4YWUJ



Ok, we have interoperable crypto. What is next?

- × A super complex Key is cool!
- ➤ But a Key protected in a tamper resistant, is even more cool!
- SysApp WG will be working on letting web apps accessing secure element
 - ➤ Those little chips that you can attack, it will never unveil their secret actually it may die to preserve it



Thanks!

I am more talkative then the smart card my company sells!

You can ask questions...



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