Shibboleth Tutorial

How to access licensed products from providers who are already operating productively in the SWITCHaai federation.

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General Information

Shibboleth login

For logging in via Shibboleth, go to the welcome page of a product or provider and look for terms such as “Login”, “Institution(al) Login”, “Shibboleth”, “AAI” or “Athens”. Athens is another access management system for institutions, and sometimes you might find information about Shibboleth login under the same heading. In the Shibboleth login menu, you will be asked first for your country or federation and in a second step for your home organization. After selecting your home organization, you can log in with your habitual user name and password.

If you are experiencing problems with logging in via Shibboleth, this might be due to cookies which are stored in your web browser. These problems can usually be solved by closing your internet browser and trying it again, or by clearing your browser cookies.

Separate registration for individual Identity Providers (IdP)

Some providers ask every license administrator to register his or her home organization before access via Shibboleth is possible for this institution. Please try out if you can log in via Shibboleth for the following products. If not, you have to proceed as follows:

**EBSCOhost:** The license administrator has to fill in all the necessary information in EBSCO Admin for adding a new Identity Provider (IdP). You will find a description of this procedure on the EBSCO Support site. The Shibboleth Entitlement required is “urn:mace:dir:entitlement:common-lib-terms”. As for Shibboleth Affiliation, you do not have to fill in this field.

**Elsevier (ScienceDirect and Scopus):** For adding a new Identity Provider (IdP), the license administrator has to send an e-mail with the entityId of the IdP and the full name of the organization to Ale de Vries (ale@elsevier.com), Elsevier’s product manager in charge.

**Thomson Reuters (Web of Knowledge):** For adding a new Identity Provider (IdP), the license administrator has to complete a Shibboleth Setup Request Form. Please fill in the fields as follows:

- **IdP Name or IdP entityId:** entityId of your institution
- **Attribute 1 / Name:** urn:mace:switch.ch:attribute-def:swissEduPersonHomeOrganization
- **Attribute 1 / Scope:** leave empty and check the box beside this field
- **Attribute 1 / Value:** uniXXXX.ch

Leave the rest of the form empty, you do not need a test account.
Providers

Brepols Journals Online

Go to [http://brepols.metapress.com](http://brepols.metapress.com) and click on the button “Institutional Login”.

Select your country and institution and click on the button „Log In“. You will be directed to the user authentication site of your home organization, where you can log in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to Brepols Journals Online.
EBSCOhost

Go to [http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?authtype=shib](http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?authtype=shib) and select “Swiss Higher Education” from the drop-down menu “Select your region or group”.

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infoclio.ch

Go to [http://www.infoclio.ch/](http://www.infoclio.ch/) and click on the button “Login”.

Choose your home institution from the drop-down menu and click on the button „Anmelden“. You will be directed to the user authentication site of your home organization, where you can log in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to infoclio.ch.
S. Karger AG

Go to [http://content.karger.com/ProdukteDB/produkte.asp?Aktion=JournalIndex&ProduktNr=0](http://content.karger.com/ProdukteDB/produkte.asp?Aktion=JournalIndex&ProduktNr=0) and click on the button “Login/Admin”.

Click on „CH“ for the Shibboleth Login for Switzerland.
You will be directed to the SWITCHaai menu, where you can select your home organization and will then be forwarded to the user authentication site of your home organization for logging in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to the Karger website.
ScienceDirect (Elsevier)


Select “Swiss Higher Education (SWITCHaai)” from the drop-down menu and click on the button “Go”.

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Konsortium der Schweizer Hochschulbibliotheken
Consortium des bibliothèques universitaires suisses

Geschäftsstelle / Bureau central
ETH-Bibliothek, Rämistrasse 101, CH-8092 Zürich

[http://lib.consortium.ch/](http://lib.consortium.ch/)
Choose your home institution from the list which appears below. You will be directed to the user authentication site of your home organization, where you can log in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to ScienceDirect.
Scopus (Elsevier)

Go to [http://www.scopus.com/home.url](http://www.scopus.com/home.url) and click on the button „Login“.

Click on “Athens / Other Institution Login”.

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SpringerLink

Go to [http://www.springerlink.de/home/main.mpx](http://www.springerlink.de/home/main.mpx) and click on the button „Login“.

Select your country and institution and click on the button „Log In“. You will be directed to the user authentication site of your home organization, where you can log in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to SpringerLink.
SwissBib

Go to [http://www.swissbib.ch](http://www.swissbib.ch) and click on the button “Anmelden / se connecter / Login / Log in”.

Choose “SWITCH AAI” and click on the button “Anmelden / se connecter / Login / Log in”.

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You will be directed to the SWITCHaai menu, where you can select your home organization and will then be forwarded to the user authentication site of your home organization for logging in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to SwissBib.
Swiss Federal Supreme Court

Go to http://www.bger.ch/jurisdiction-recht-kostenpflichtige-suche.htm and click on “Login für Universitäten (AAI) / Login pour les universités (AAI) / Login per le università (AAI)

You will be directed to the SWITCHaai menu, where you can select your home organization and will then be forwarded to the user authentication site of your home organization for logging in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to the website of the Swiss Federal Supreme Court.
Web of Knowledge (Thomson Reuters)

Go to [http://isiknowledge.com](http://isiknowledge.com) and click on the button “Shibboleth authentication”.

Select “Swiss Higher Education & Research (SWITCHaai)” from the drop-down menu and click on the button ”Go“.
You will be directed to the SWITCHaai menu, where you can select your home organization and will then be forwarded to the user authentication site of your home organization for logging in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to Web of Knowledge.
WilsonWeb

Go to [http://www.hwwilson.com/](http://www.hwwilson.com/) and click on the button „Login“.

Click on „Shibboleth access via SWITCHaai“:
You will be directed to the SWITCHaai menu, where you can select your home organization and will then be forwarded to the user authentication site of your home organization for logging in with your habitual user data. After logging in, you will be redirected to WilsonWeb.