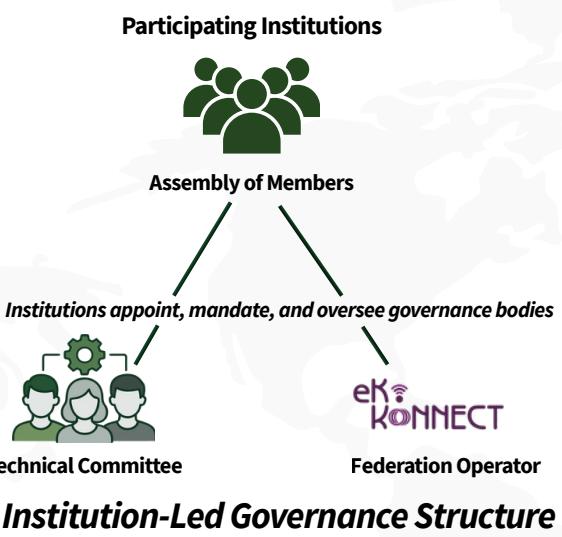


## WHAT IS eduID.ng?

**eduID.ng** is Nigeria's national, community-governed research and education identity federation. It enables **secure federated single sign-on (SSO)** using institutional credentials and connects Nigerian universities to the global **eduGAIN** trust framework. It is long-term national digital research infrastructure — not a vendor platform and not centrally controlled.

## Why Institutional Governance Matters

Control of digital identity governance increasingly shapes institutional autonomy, research interoperability, cybersecurity posture, and Nigeria's collective voice in global research ecosystems. Sustainable national coordination requires direct institutional participation and oversight.



## Governance Principles

<b>Autonomy</b>	Institutional decision-making authority is preserved.
<b>Neutrality</b>	The federation operator serves coordinative, not controlling functions.
<b>Transparency</b>	Policies, standards, and sustainability frameworks are collectively agreed.
<b>Sustainability</b>	Long-term national stewardship anchored in participating institutions.

## Institutional Participation

**Universities are invited to confirm participation and nominate:**

- One Institutional Representative (Senior administrative leadership level)
- One Technical Representative (Senior ICT / Identity systems lead)



## Action Requested

Kindly **confirm** your institution's participation and nominate **two** representatives (Institutional and Technical).

*Please send your response to:  
**eduid-governance@eko-konnect.org.ng***

*No single entity controls the federation. Governance rests with participating institutions.*