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eduPerson is a Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) schema designed to include widely-used person and organizational attributes in higher education. The eduPerson object class provides a common list of attributes and definitions, drawing on the existing standards in higher education. Related object classes include:

- eduOrg
- eduMember (The work of eduMember has concluded its activities for the present, and all work has migrated to the Grouper project.)
- eduCourse (The eduCourseCourseID group has completed its work and is dormant at present. You may still find archival information and support in the wiki for MACE-Dir.)



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- eduPerson 2020-01
- eduPerson 2016-02 (supports ORCID identifiers)
- eduPerson 2013-10
- eduPerson 2012-03
- eduPerson 2008-06 (PDF)
- eduPerson 2007-12 (PDF)
- eduPerson 2006-04a (PDF)

eduPerson LDIF files

Best Practices

eduPersonDisplayPronouns