

# FED4FIRE

# jFed toolkit, Fed4FIRE, Federation

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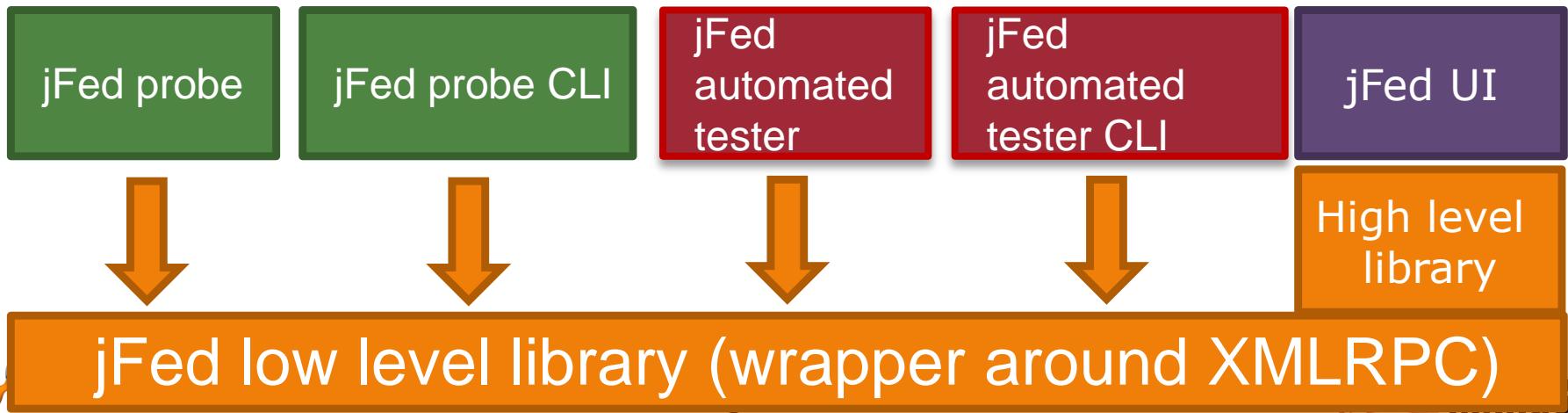
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# Topics

- jFed toolkit update
  - Monitoring, testing and experimenter tool (NEW)
- Federation API
- Fed4FIRE update
  - European federation of testbeds
  - First federated experiments

# jFed toolkit

- <http://jfedor.jiminds.be>
- Release 4.1.0 (and 4.2.0 beta)
- Written in Java(FX)
- MIT license
- Test and monitor federation (improved)
- Experimenter tool jFed UI (NEW)



# jFed probe: manual testing + API learning

The screenshot shows the jFed probe interface for manual testing and API learning. The left sidebar lists various API categories and their methods:

- Aggregate Manager APIs
  - Aggregate Manager v2
    - getVersion
    - listResources
    - createSliver
    - sliverStatus
    - renewSliver
    - deleteSliver
    - shutdown
  - Aggregate Manager v3
  - OCCI
- User and Slice APIs
  - ProtoGeni SA
  - Planetlab SFA Registry
  - Federation APIs
    - Version 1
    - Version 2
- Other APIs
  - ProtoGeni Cleaninghouse
  - Stitching Computation Service
- Credential Manipulation
  - Speaks For
  - Delegation

The main panel shows the configuration for the selected "getVersion" method:

- Server to use:
  - Server of Logged in users Authority
  - Server of Known Authority
  - Custom Server URL
  - Use SSH Proxy when available
- Authority: iMinds Virtual Wall 2
- Server URL: <https://www.wall2.ilabt.iminds.be:12369/protogeni/xmlrpc/am/2.0>
- Command: **getVersion**
- Arguments:

Include?	Name	Value
- Call

The status bar at the bottom indicates:

- ✓ Geni Aggregate Manager API v2 - GetVersion
- Authority: iMinds Virtual Wall 2
- Server URL: <https://www.wall2.ilabt.iminds.be:12369/protogeni/xmlrpc/am/2.0>
- Call start time: Wed Mar 19 11:17:34 CET 2014 (2 seconds ago)
- Call stop time: Wed Mar 19 11:17:36 CET 2014 (0 seconds ago = 2 seconds and 269 milliseconds after start)
- Save all details: as text... as xml...
- HTTP Request HTTP Reply XmlRpc Request XmlRpc Reply Geni Reply Value Geni Reply Code & Output Processed Geni Reply Value ProtoGeni Error Log
- Geni Reply Value:

```
{ "url": "https://www.wall2.ilabt.iminds.be:12369/protogeni/xmlrpc/am", "hrn": "iminds-wall2.cm", "geni_ad_rspec_versions": [ {} ] }
```
- Save...

# Experimenter UI (NEW)

jFed Experimenter Toolkit

General Experiment Editor Experiment Controller

New Open Open URL Save Run Update Status Terminate Recover Preferences Report a bug Preferences Support

Experiment Definition Experiment

```
graph LR; server[server] --- link3[link3]; link3 --- client[client]; illinois[illinois]
```

Progress

- Register experiment gec3
- Initialize nodes at InstaGENI Illinois
- Initialize nodes at Utah Emulab
- Waiting for nodes from InstaGENI Illinois to become ready.

Untitled gec3 Untitled1 gec4 Untitled2 gec5 openflow openflow Untitled3 gec6

# Philosophy

- Leverages APIs from jFed Probe testing
- Can be used by a new experimenter (abstract things !)
- Full power when needed
  - raw RSpec
  - API call insight
- Debug and support
  - Leverage API call analysis from jFed probe
  - For support: send all those calls to support !
- Can work around firewall port blocking stuff through SSH proxy
- Cross platform: Windows, OS X, Linux
- Saves and reads RSpecs

# Abstract resources

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Experiment Definition

Computing Elements

- Generic Node
- Physical Node
- OpenVZ VM
- XEN VM
- Virtual Machine

server — link3 — client

Properties of illinois

Node name: illinois

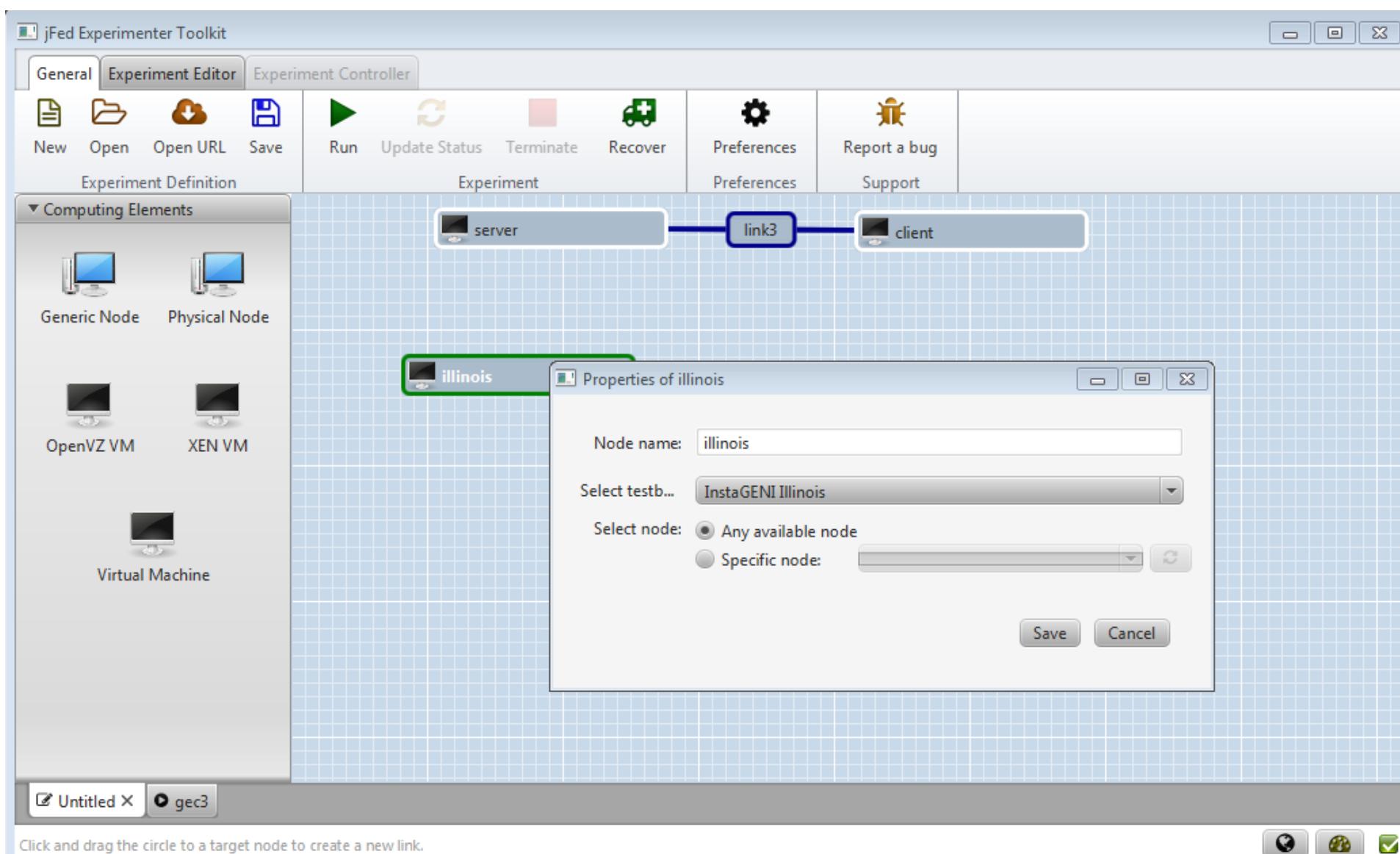
Select testb... InstaGENI Illinois

Select node:  
 Any available node  
 Specific node:

Save Cancel

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Click and drag the circle to a target node to create a new link.



# Raw Rspec editing: “support everything”

jFed Experimenter Toolkit

General Experiment Editor Experiment Controller

Copy Paste Duplicate Edit

Zoom In Zoom Out Reset Zoom Format Code Search & Replace Graphical Editor Raw Rspec

Views

Computing Elements

- Generic Node
- Physical Node
- OpenVZ VM
- XEN VM
- Virtual Machine

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?><rspec xmlns="http://www.geni.net/resources/rspec/3" xmlns:jFed="http://jfed.iminds.be/rspec/ext/jfed/1" xmlns:jFedBonfire="http://jfed.iminds.be/rspec/ext/jfed-bonfire/1" xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" generated="2014-03-19T11:56:29.379+01:00" generated_by="Experimental jFed Rspec Editor" type="request" xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.geni.net/resources/rspec/3/request.xsd">
    <node client_id="illinois">
        component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+instageni.illinois.edu+authority+cm" exclusive="false"
            <sliver_type name="emulab-xen"/>
            <jFed:location x="79.0" y="116.0"/>
            <jFed:nodeDescription>xen-vm</jFed:nodeDescription>
        </node>
        <node client_id="server" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+emulab.net+authority+cm" exclusive="true">
            <sliver_type name="raw-pc"/>
            <jFed:location x="103.0" y="8.0"/>
            <jFed:nodeDescription>physical-node</jFed:nodeDescription>
            <interface client_id="node1:if0"/>
        </node>
        <node client_id="client" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+emulab.net+authority+cm" exclusive="true">
            <sliver_type name="raw-pc"/>
            <jFed:location x="413.0" y="10.0"/>
            <jFed:nodeDescription>physical-node</jFed:nodeDescription>
            <interface client_id="node2:if0"/>
        </node>
        <link client_id="link3">
            <component_manager name="urn:publicid:IDN+emulab.net+authority+cm"/>
            <link_type name="lan"/>
            <interface_ref client_id="node1:if0"/>
            <interface_ref client_id="node2:if0"/>
        </link>
    </node>
</rspec>
```

Untitled X gec3

Click and drag the circle to a target node to create a new link.

# Debug by looking into API calls

jFed Calls Overview

Task details

Name: Create Sliver @ urn:publicid:IDN+instageni.illinois.edu+authority+cm  
State: SUCCESS  
Start Time: Wed Mar 19 11:51:00 CET 2014  
Stop Time: Wed Mar 19 11:52:03 CET 2014  
Duration: 1 minute, 3 seconds and 18 milliseconds

This task depends on:

- 5 Get Slice Credential urn:publicid:IDN+ch.geni.net:fed4firetest3+slice
- 6 Get User SSH Keys

Tasks depending on this task:

Task calls

✓ Geni Aggregate Manager API v2 - CreateSliver

Authority: InstaGENI Illinois  
Server URL: https://boss.instageni.illinois.edu:12369/protogeni/xmlrpc/am/2.0  
Call start time: Wed Mar 19 11:51:00 CET 2014  
Call stop time: Wed Mar 19 11:51:15 CET 2014  
(1 minute and 27 seconds ago) (1 minute and 13 seconds ago = 14 seconds and 591 millis)

Save all details: as text... as xml...

HTTP Request HTTP Reply XmlRpc Request XmlRpc Reply Geni Reply Value Geni Reply Code & Output Processed Geni Reply Value Result Rs

GeniResponseCode=0 = Success

Result:

```
<rspec xmlns="http://www.geni.net/resources/rspec/3" xmlns:jFed="http://jfedor.jimdo.com/rspec/ext/jfed/1" xmlns:Bonfire="http://jfedor.jimdo.com/rspec/ext/bonfire/1">
  <node xmlns:jFed="http://jfedor.jimdo.com/rspec/ext/jfed/1" client_id="illinois" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+instageni.illinois.edu+authority+cm">
    <sliver_type name="emulab-xen"/>
    <jFed:location x="79.0" y="116.0"/>
    <jFed:nodeDescription>xen-vm</jFed:nodeDescription>
  <rs:vnode xmlns:rs="http://www.protogeni.net/resources/rspec/ext/emulab/1" name="pcvm3-40"/><host name="illinois.gec3.ch-geni-net.instageni.illinois.edu" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+instageni.illinois.edu+authority+cm" exclusive="true">
    <node client_id="server" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+emulab.net+authority+cm" exclusive="true">
      <sliver_type name="raw-pc"/>
      <jFed:location x="103.0" y="8.0"/>
      <jFed:nodeDescription>physical-node</jFed:nodeDescription>
      <interface client_id="node1:if0"/>
    </node>
    <node client_id="client" component_manager_id="urn:publicid:IDN+emulab.net+authority+cm" exclusive="true">
      <sliver_type name="raw-pc"/>
      <jFed:location x="413.0" y="10.0"/>
      <jFed:nodeDescription>physical-node</jFed:nodeDescription>
      <interface client_id="node2:if0"/>
    </node>
  </rs:vnode>
</node>
</rspec>
```

Save...

# Bug reports and support

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Experiment Definition Experiment Preferences Support

server --- link3 --- client

illinois

jFed Bug Report

## Bug Report

Bug description:  
(Please include: expected outcome, steps to reproduce)

everything seems okay

jFed version: 4.1.0-SNAPSHOT (rev. #1079 at 2014-03-19 11:04:10) - build #6

Environment: Windows 7 6.1 x86 - Java 1.7.0\_45 (Oracle Corporation)

Reporter credential: urn:publicid:IDN+ch.geni.net+user+brechtv

Reporter email address: brecht.vermeulen@iminds.be

Included calls: 50 calls

Submit Cancel

Progress

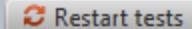
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# Connectivity test (also in bug report)

jFed Connectivity Tester

## Connectivity Tester

 Restart tests

- ▶  Check for IPv4-address
- ▶  Check for IPv6-address
- ▶  Ping to IPv4-host 'ipv4.google.com'
- ▶  Ping to IPv6-host 'ipv6.google.com' **✗ Status: Failed**  
**Message:** Unable to reach ipv6.google.com

- ▶  [Flack] Flack
- ▶  [Flack] Portal
- ▶  [Flack] For Flack
- ▶  [GEMINI] GENi Desktop
- ▶  [GEMINI] GENi Desktop
- ▶  [GIMI] Labwiki
- ▶  [GIMI] Labwiki **✗**
- ▶  [Misc] install scripts/example rspecs
- ▶  [Stitching] stitching service
- ▶  [iRods] iRods web interface
- ▶  [iRods] iDrop interface
- ▶  [iRods] icommands
- ▶  [SSL] SSL handshake @ wall2



# TCP ports and firewalls

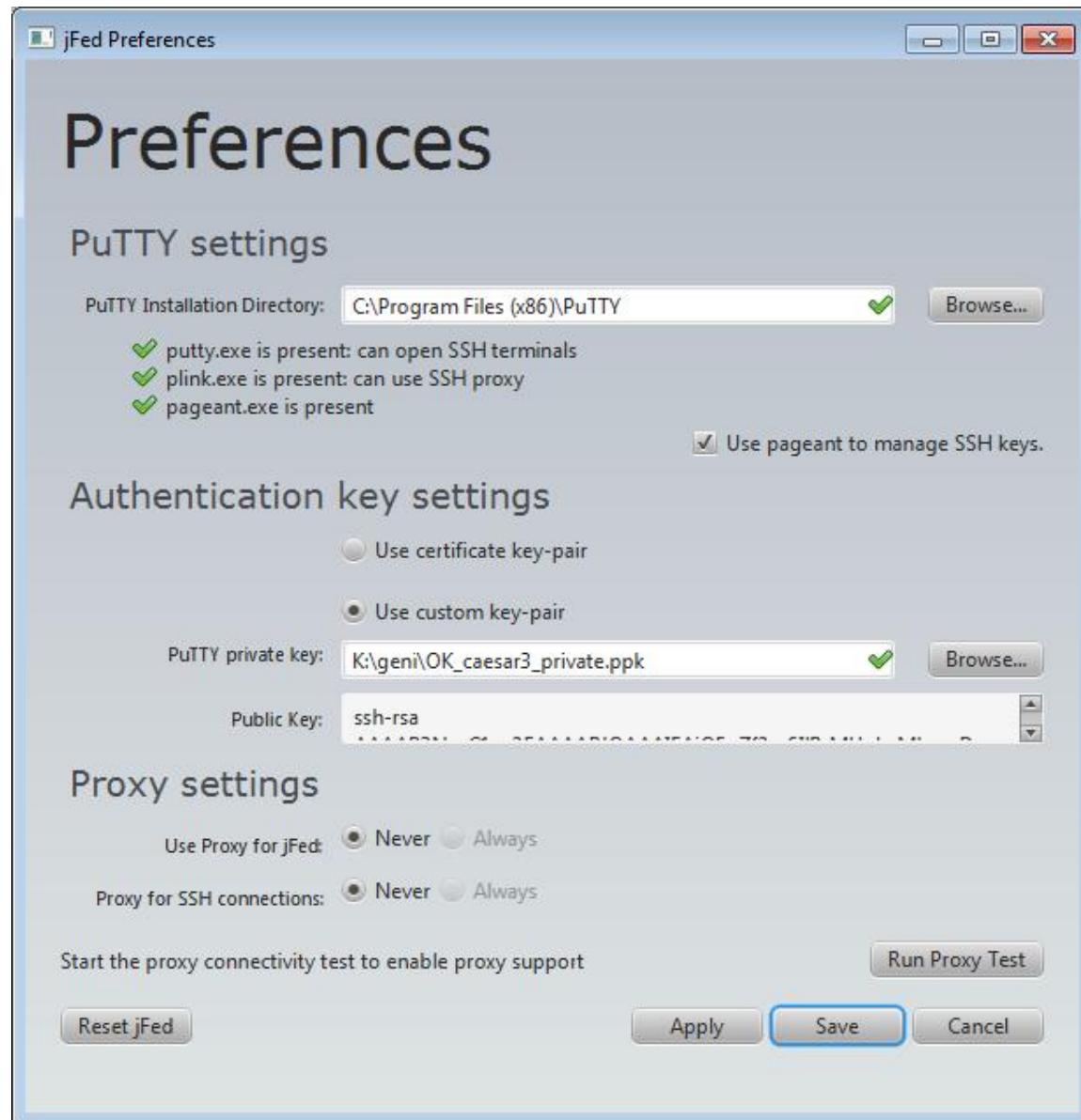
- 12369, 12346, 11443, 8081, ...
- Add IPv6 for node access in Europe

= problems

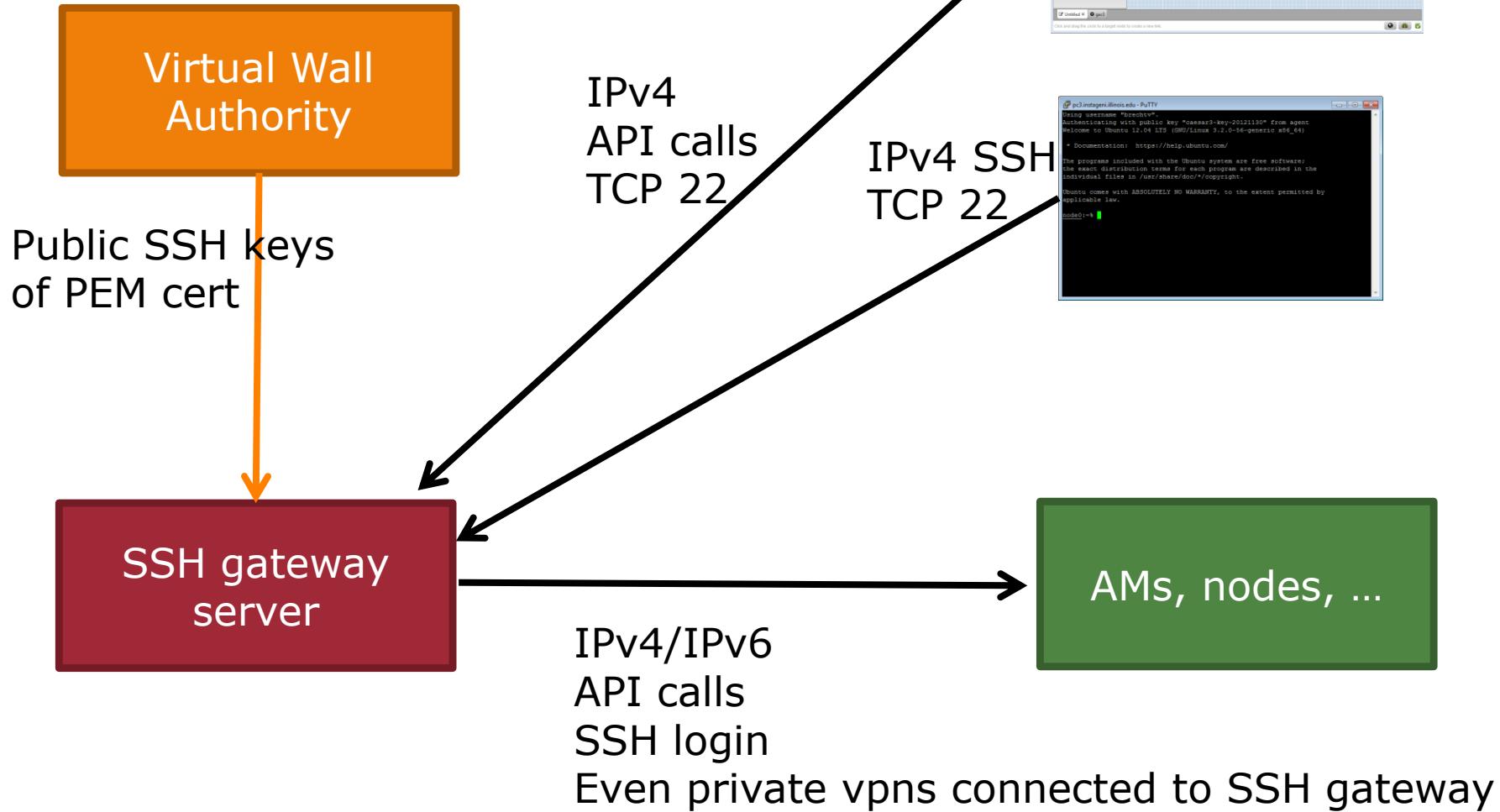
- First step: Detection (connectivity tester)
- Second step: work around -> SSH proxy

# SSH proxy (optional !)

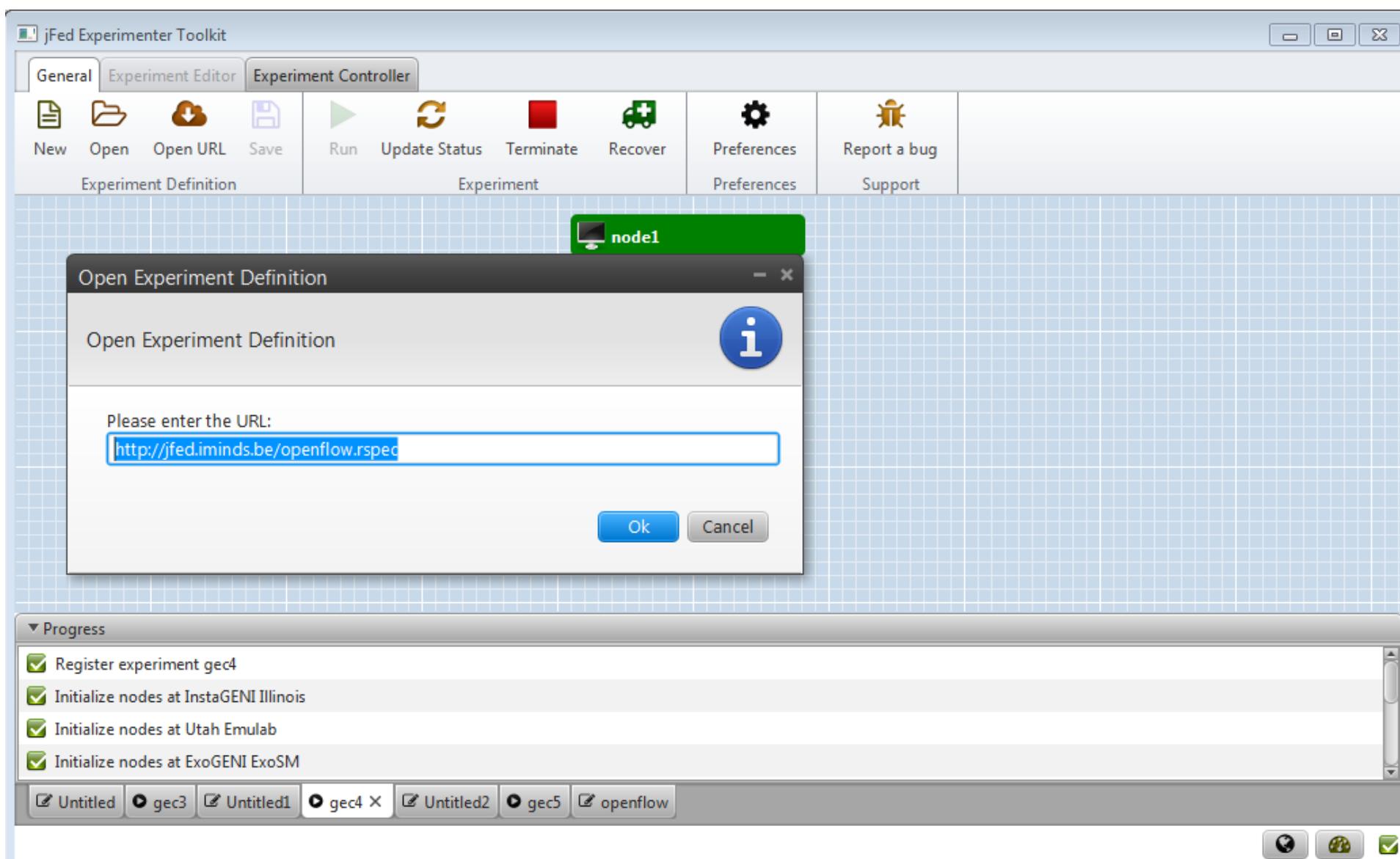
- For API calls
- For SSH login
- Automatic SSH agent for extra comfort



# SSH proxy: only TCP 22

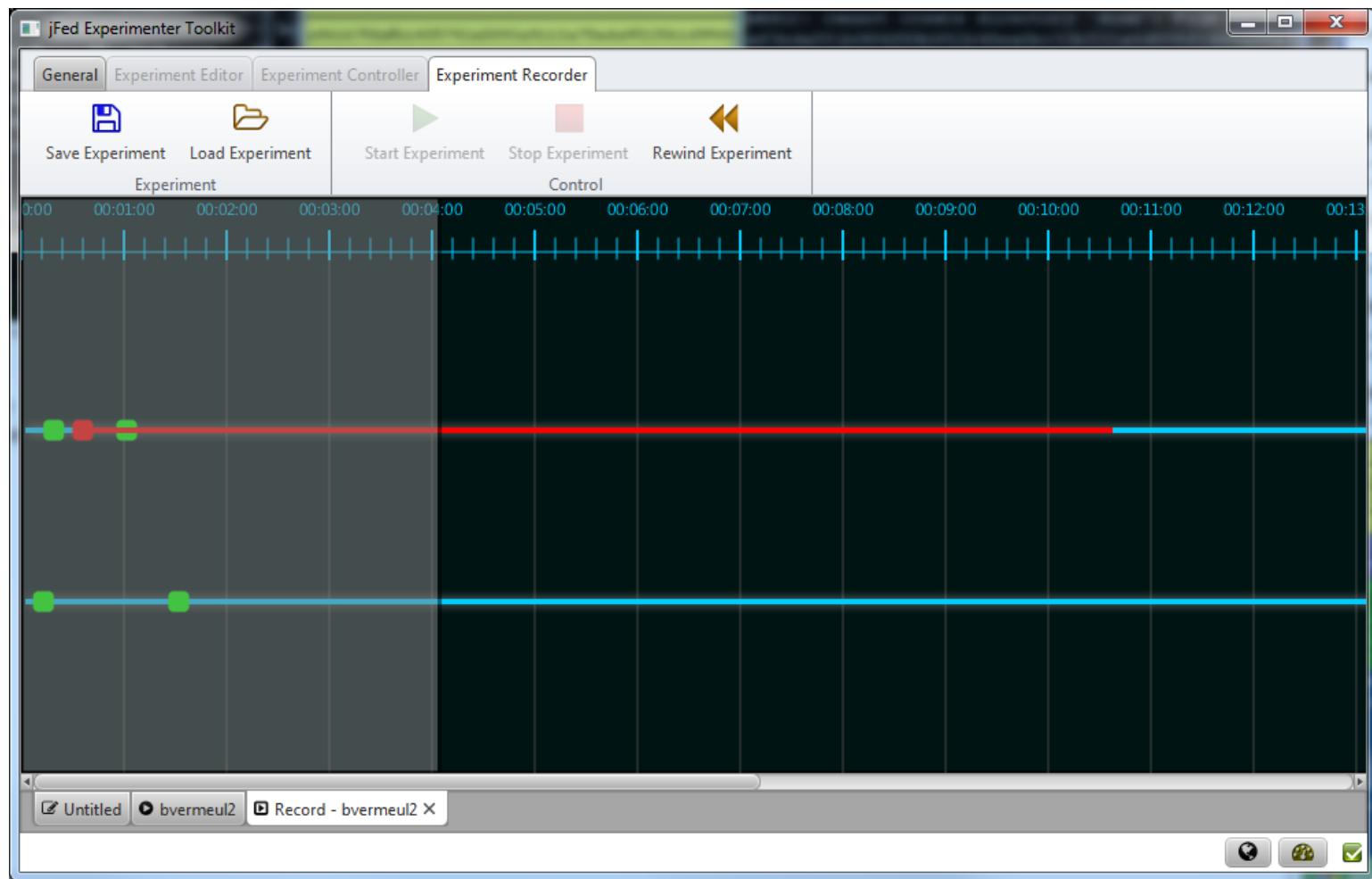


# RSpec world and tutorial world



# Future plans: simple experiment control

- Simple events
- Immediate commands on selection of nodes



# jFed testing and monitoring

<http://monitor.ilabt.iminds.be>

API testing

Test Name	Last Test Start Time (CET)	Last Test Duration	Last Partial Success	Last Full Success	Time since last Failure	Last Log	History
InstaGeni BBN	2014-03-19 09:16:22	2 minutes and 54 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	3 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Clemson	2014-03-19 09:19:17	37 seconds	WARN	WARN		<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni GATech	2014-03-19 09:19:54	2 minutes and 26 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	21 days and 15 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Illinois	2014-03-19 09:22:21	3 minutes and 1 second	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	5 months and 5 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Kettering	2014-03-19 09:25:23	43 seconds	WARN	WARN		<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni MAX	2014-03-19 09:26:06	3 minutes and 2 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	2 months and 3 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Missouri	2014-03-19 09:29:08	2 minutes and 7 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	6 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni NorthWestern	2014-03-19 09:31:16	2 minutes and 37 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	2 months and 2 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni NYSERNET	2014-03-19 09:33:53	48 seconds	WARN	WARN		<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Princeton	2014-03-19 09:34:41	2 minutes and 30 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	1 month and 10 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni SOXAtlanta	2014-03-19 09:37:11	1 minute and 56 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	7 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Uky	2014-03-19 09:39:08	5 minutes and 20 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	1 month and 15 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
InstaGeni Utah DDC	2014-03-19 09:44:29	2 minutes and 30 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	13 days and 2 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
LARC	2014-03-19 09:47:00	14 seconds	FAILURE	FAILURE		<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni BBN	2014-03-19 09:48:26	2 minutes and 7 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	2 days and 2 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni Duke	2014-03-19 09:50:33	2 minutes and 32 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	1 month and 19 days	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni ExoSM	2014-03-19 09:53:06	4 minutes and 29 seconds	FAILURE	FAILURE		<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni FIU	2014-03-19 09:57:35	2 minutes and 31 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	12 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni Nicta	2014-03-19 10:00:06	2 minutes and 2 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	4 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni OSF	2014-03-19 10:02:09	1 minute and 56 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	17 days and 2 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni RCI	2014-03-19 10:04:05	2 minutes and 35 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	12 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>
ORCA ExoGeni UFL	2014-03-19 10:06:41	1 minute and 55 seconds	SUCCESS	SUCCESS	12 days and 14 hours	<a href="#">log</a>	<a href="#">history</a>

- ✓ `setUp`
- ✓ `getVersion`
- ✓ `getTestUserCredential`
- ✓ `getTestUserInfo`
- ✓ `retrieveCredentialSomehow`
- ✗ `createProject`
- ✓ `createSlice`
- ✗ `lookupProjectsByUrnNoFilter`
- ✗ `lookupProjectsByNameNoFilter`
- ✓ `getSliceCredentials`
- ✗ `updateProject`
- ✓ `lookupSlicesNoFilter`
- ✗ `lookupProjectsNoFilterAfterUpdate`
- ✓ `updateSlice`
- ✗ `lookupProjectMembers`
- ✗ `lookupProjectsForMember`
- ✓ `lookupSlicesNoFilterAfterUpdate`
- ✓ `lookupSliceMembers`

# Federation API for MA and SA

- Implement only 1 API and talk to multiple federations
- Interoperate with other tools, e.g. GENI portal

The screenshot shows the GENI portal interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for Home, Projects, Slices, Profile, and Help. The user is logged in as Brecht Vermeulen (brechtv). Below the navigation is a banner with the text "NETWORK SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING" and "INTERACT AT SCALE". The main content area shows the URL: Home > Project CTest > Slice gec4 > Sliver Status for gec4. The page title is "Status of Slivers on slice: gec4". A message box says "Querying aggregates for status of resources...". Below this, there are three tables showing resource status:

Status	Aggregate
READY	ExoGENI ExoSM

Status	Resource
READY	urn:publicid:IDN+exogeni.net+sliver+f40d023b-98bf-4714-a478-8ed297e33efe:node1

Status	Aggregate
READY	Utah ProtoGENI

Status	Resource
READY	node2

Status	Aggregate
READY	Illinois InstaGENI

Status	Resource
READY	node0

# Federation AM/SA/Registry APIs

- Current server implementations:
  - Protopeni (emulab.net, wall2.ilabt.iminds.be)
  - GPO
- Some bugs, some features missing in imple
- Advantages of standardization:
  - Good specification (try to get the right API specs for a proprietary API as an external tool developer)
  - Test framework developed together with standard
  - Multiple implementations that improve standard

# Uniform Clearinghouse APIs

Specification and prototype: GPO, Utah, Ofelia, iMinds

## Registry API

Total duration 13.28s from Fri Oct 25 22:47:20 CEST 2013

- ✓ `setUp`
- ✓ `lookupMemberAuthoritiesNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupTrustRoots`
- ✓ `lookupAggregatesNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupSliceAuthoritiesNoFilter`
- ✓ `getVersion`
- ✓ `lookupMAForUrns`
- ✓ `lookupMemberAuthoritiesWithMatchNoFilter`
- ✗ `lookupAMForUrns`
- ✓ `lookupSAForUrns`
- ✓ `lookupSliceAuthoritiesWithMatchNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupAggregatesWithMatchNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupMemberAuthoritiesWithFilter`
- ✓ `lookupSliceAuthoritiesWithFilter`
- ✓ `lookupAggregatesWithFilter`

## Member Auth API

Total duration 19.683s from Fri Oct 25 22:46:19 CEST 2013

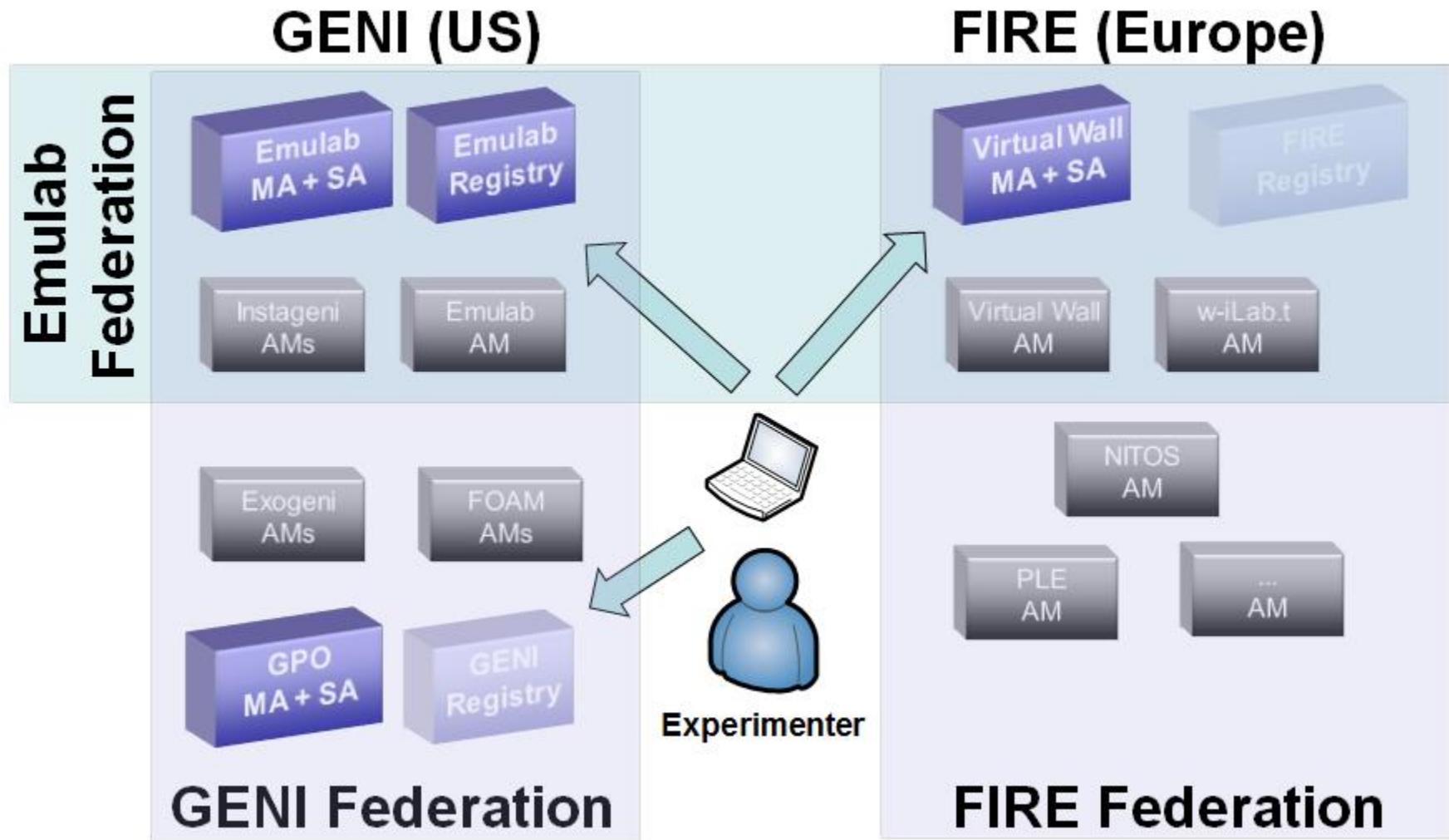
- ✓ `setUp`
- ✓ `getVersion`
- ✓ `getTestUserCredential`
- ✓ `retrieveCredentialSomehow`
- ✓ `lookupPrivateMemberInfoEmptyFilter`
- ✓ `lookupPrivateMemberInfoNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupIdentifyingMemberInfoNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupIdentifyingMemberInfoEmptyFilter`
- ✓ `lookupPublicMemberInfoEmptyFilter`
- ✓ `lookupPublicMemberInfoNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupPublicMemberInfoFiltered`
- ✓ `lookupIdentifyingMemberInfoFiltered`
- ✓ `createKey`
- ✓ `lookupKeysNoFilter`
- ✓ `updateKey`

## Slice Auth API

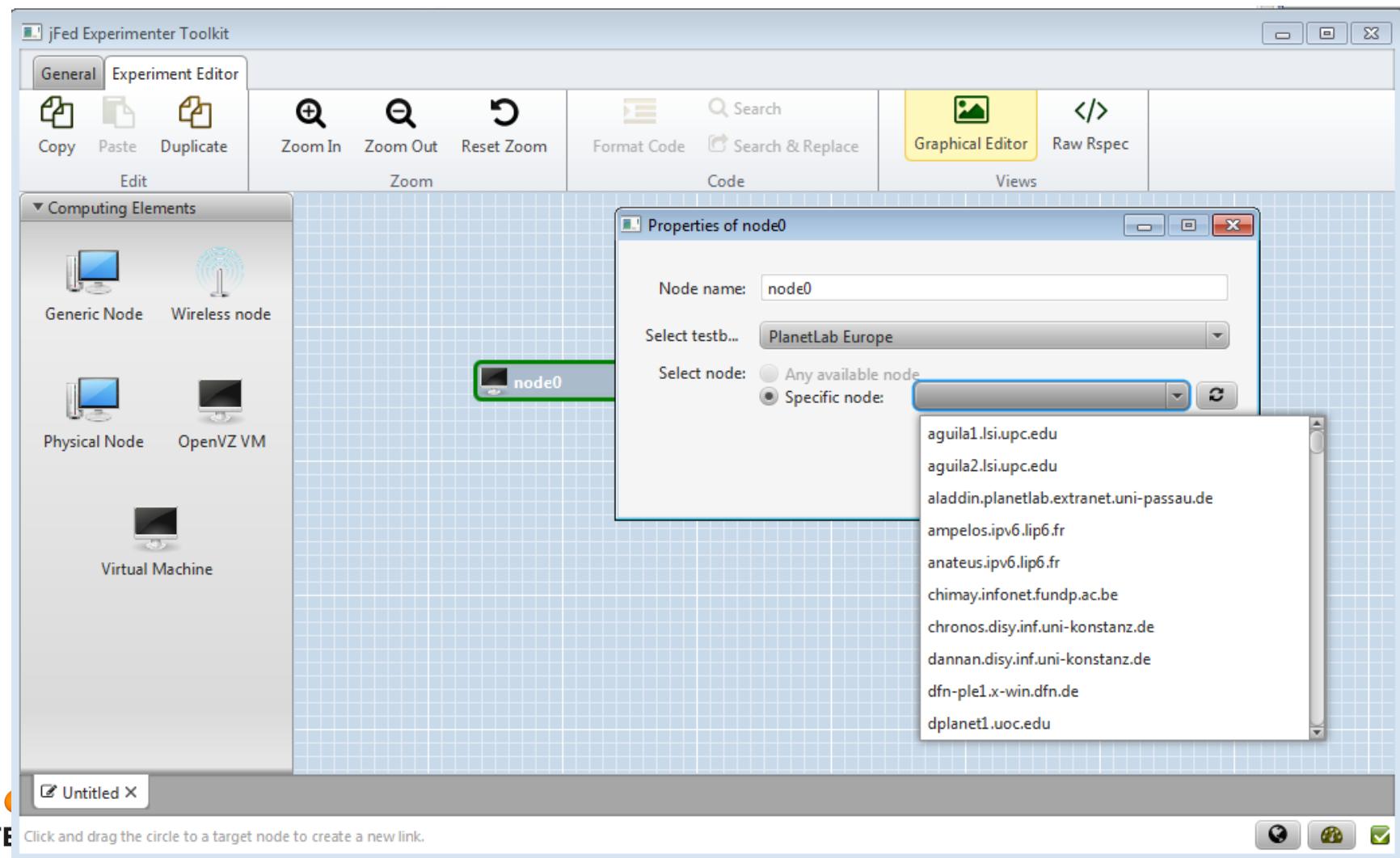
Total duration 24.366s from Fri Oct 25 22:46:45 CEST 2013

- ✓ `setUp`
- ✓ `getVersion`
- ✓ `getTestUserCredential`
- ✓ `getTestUserInfo`
- ✓ `retrieveCredentialSomehow`
- ✓ `createProject`
- ✓ `lookupProjectsByUmNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupProjectsByNameNoFilter`
- ✓ `createSlice`
- ✓ `updateProject`
- ✓ `getSliceCredentials`
- ✓ `lookupSlicesNoFilter`
- ✓ `lookupProjectsNoFilterAfterUpdate`
- ✓ `lookupProjectMembers`
- ✓ `updateSlice`

# Federation



# Federation registry make that tools know what to do (list AMs, authorities)



# Standardization

- Federation Clearinghouse APIs: v2
- Federation Aggregate Manager API: v1 currently ongoing
  - Slight update/better specification of GENI AM v3
  - API Testing framework will also be developed

# Fed4FIRE

- Start of **funded** federated experiments in February
- All candies shown before are used (SSH proxy, support tickets, RAW RSpec)
- Documentation is key: <http://doc.fed4fire.eu>
- Together with good testbed documentation,
  - e.g. all RSpec stuff
  - iMinds testbeds: <http://fed4fire-testbeds.ilabt.iminds.be/ilabt-documentation/>
  - Currently biggest problem: ‘how do I ....’, ‘oh, just, ...’
- Distributed doc effort: testbeds and tools document their features, Fed4FIRE creates links
- Try to abstract all framework stuff for experimenter

# Fed4FIRE support

- Google group: fed4fire-experimenters
  - <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/fed4fire-experimenters>
  - 37 members (developers + experimenters)
- First level support dashboard
  - <https://flsmonitor.fed4fire.eu/>

Testbed Name	Ping latency (ms)	GetVersion Status	Free Resources	Internal testbed monitoring status	Last check internal status
BonFIRE	31.17	N/A	N/A	ok	2014-03-19 12:47:18+01
Fuseco	35.72	ok	1	ok	2014-03-19 12:47:03+01
Koren	284.47	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
NETMODE	64.97	ok	20	ok	2014-03-19 12:41:22+01
NITOS Broker	70.56	ok	38	ok	2014-03-19 12:45:02+01
NITOS SFAWrap	30.66	ok	52	N/A	N/A
Norbit	N/A	N/A	N/A	ok	2014-03-13 06:04:50+01
Ofelia (Bristol island)	11.36	N/A	N/A	ok	2014-03-19 12:45:03+01
Ofelia (i2CAT island)	N/A	N/A	N/A	ok	2014-03-19 12:45:02+01
Planetlab Europe	30.66	ok	287	ok	2014-03-19 12:45:02+01
SmartSantander	53.17	ok	0	ok	2014-03-19 12:40:01+01
Virtual Wall	0.08	ok	17	ok	2014-03-19 12:44:39+01
w-iLab.t 2	11.01	ok	1	ok	2014-03-19 12:44:58+01

# Conclusion

- <http://jfed.iminds.be>
- <http://monitor.ilabt.iminds.be>
- <http://doc.fed4fire.eu>
- <http://www.fed4fire.eu>