# Entity Key Discovery < draft-miller-saag-key-discovery >

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#### **Problem Statement**

- Given a thing that is encrypted ...
  - Single Object (file, email message)
  - Stream (MUC room, video conference)
- ... How to find a key for that Thing?

## A Proposal

- Use WebFinger to query a URI for a key
  - 'acct:' for users
  - 'key:' for anything without a well known URI
- Response is URL where to find the Key
  - Holder could require authorization
- Key in JOSE format
  - Could be encrypted (JWE)

## Next Steps

- Comments and reviews
- Key retrieval draft coming
- BoF?

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