

# Partner Spotlight: Unicon, Inc.



Unicon's identity team strives to give learners secure access to the personalized resources they need from anywhere using midPoint. **Paul Spaude, Unicon's Senior Software Engineer and Identity and Access Management (IAM) Consultant** will tell us more!

## What are the measurable benefits your customers can gain with midPoint?

Customer benefits include identity provisioning automation, reduced reliance on brittle scripts and manual processes, and reduced workload on IAM personnel while retaining the vast customizability and flexibility offered by midPoint. Evolveum also provides excellent documentation and support for its userbase, ensuring customers obtain answers to questions and fixes to bugs in a timely manner.

## What can an organization that is considering working with you expect from your cooperation?

Unicon works with your organization across all levels to satisfy your needs wherever they may be. Our services are largely customized to your organization and its unique needs, be it implementing your midPoint integrations, answering questions, modifying your connectors, or something more niche. We also heavily encourage our clients to get involved in the midPoint community by attending training sessions and working groups to expand their knowledge and abilities.

## What advice would you offer to someone who is planning to move from house scripts to an IdM system?

Start by creating a small-scale midPoint Proof of Concept (POC), and use this to recommend key capabilities for a minimum viable product implementation. Once your existing system and/or hierarchy is identified, map these inputs to midPoint's design and architecture. Don't try to eliminate all the existing scripts, because they could be used for the CMD connector as part of the integration. It is not necessary to change everything in the first MVP implementation. By using smaller steps, you can navigate a path forward that can include future refinements. The benefit of midPoint is that it keeps data consistent, so you can slowly transition by running your old and new systems in parallel until your team is ready to "flip the switch" entirely to midPoint.



**Unicon, Inc.** is a leading provider of consulting, services, and support for education technology and IT. Unicon specializes in using open source technologies to deliver flexible and cost-effective systems for identity and access management (IAM). The company provides services for open source projects including midPoint, Central Authentication Service (CAS), Shibboleth, and SimpleSAMLphp on-prem or in the cloud.

### Focuses on

Higher education, EdTech, K-12

### Operates in

United States and Canada

### Partner's profile

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### Partner level

Gold