

NAME

fido_dev_make_cred - generates a new credential on a FIDO2 device

SYNOPSIS

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#include <fido.h>
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int

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fido_dev_make_cred(fido_dev_t *dev, fido_cred_t *cred, const char *pin);
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DESCRIPTION

The **fido_dev_make_cred()** function asks the FIDO2 device represented by *dev* to generate a new credential according to the following parameters defined in *cred*:

- **type**;
- **client data hash**;
- **relying party**;
- **user attributes**;
- **list of excluded credential IDs**;
- **resident/discoverable key and user verification attributes**.

See *fido_cred_set_authdata(3)* for information on how these values are set.

If a PIN is not needed to authenticate the request against *dev*, then *pin* may be NULL. Otherwise *pin* must point to a NUL-terminated UTF-8 string.

After a successful call to **fido_dev_make_cred()**, the *fido_cred_authdata_ptr(3)*, *fido_cred_pubkey_ptr(3)*, *fido_cred_x5c_ptr(3)*, and *fido_cred_sig_ptr(3)* functions may be invoked on *cred* to retrieve the various parts of the generated credential.

Please note that **fido_dev_make_cred()** is synchronous and will block if necessary.

RETURN VALUES

The error codes returned by **fido_dev_make_cred()** are defined in *<fido/err.h>*. On success, *FIDO_OK* is returned.

SEE ALSO

fido_cred_new(3), *fido_cred_set_authdata(3)*