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Building voice-controlled home devices with AWS IoT and Amazon Alexa

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Agenda

- Overview of
 - AWS IoT services
 - Alexa Skills Kit
- Architecture review
- Hands-on implementation
- Questions

AWS IoT services

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- Device software
 - Amazon FreeRTOS
 - AWS IoT Greengrass
- Analytic services
 - AWS IoT Analytics
 - AWS IoT Events
 - AWS IoT SiteWise
- Control services
 - AWS IoT Core
 - AWS IoT Device Defender
 - AWS IoT Device Management
 - AWS IoT Things Graph

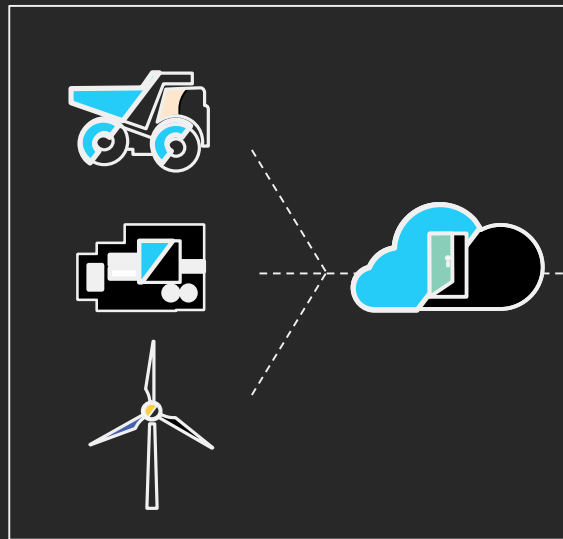




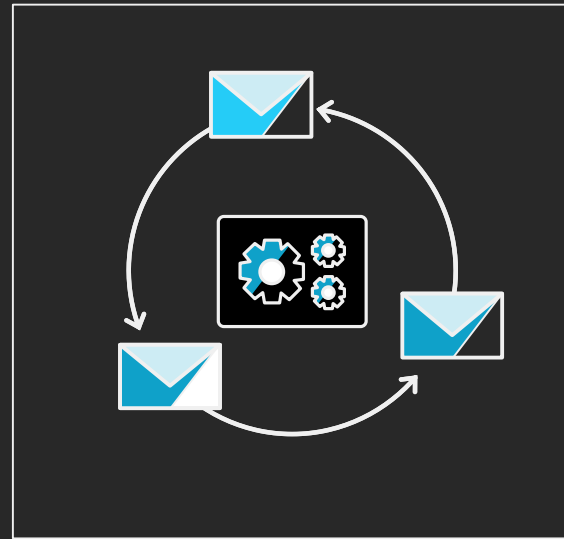
AWS IoT Core

Secure device connectivity and messaging

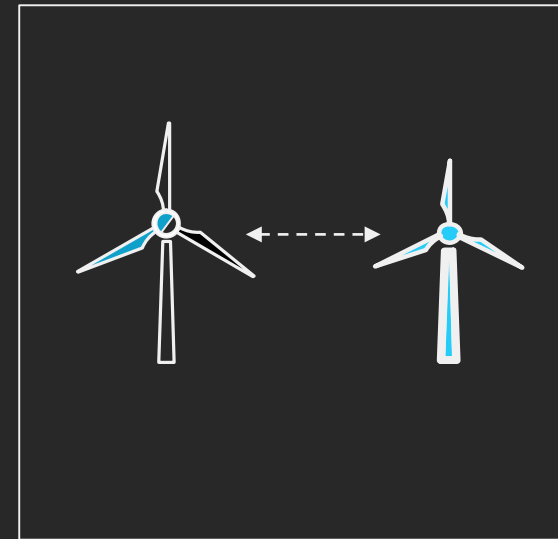
AWS IoT Core is a managed service that lets connected devices easily and securely interact with cloud applications and other devices



To securely connect devices to the AWS cloud and other devices at scale



To route, process, and act upon data from connected devices



To enable applications to interact with devices even when they are offline



To fully integrate with other AWS services to reason on top of the data (analytics, databases, AI, etc.)

MQTT topics

- Ephemeral
- Publish/subscribe
- Wildcards
 - Single-level (*)
 - myhome/groundfloor/*/temperature
 - Multi-level (#)
 - myhome/groundfloor/#

New Alexa IoT service

- Alexa Voice Service (AVS) Integration for AWS IoT Core
 - Suite of development tools to develop Alexa enable hardware
 - C++ SDK
 - ~ 50 MB RAM
- Resource constrained devices needed a solution
 - Offloaded software stack to cloud
 - ~ 1 MB RAM



AWS IoT Device Management

Device management service

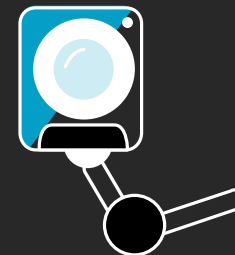
AWS IoT Device Management helps you onboard, organize, monitor, and remotely manage your growing number of connected devices



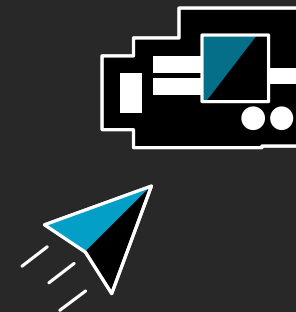
Batch fleet
provisioning



Real-time
fleet index & search



Fine-grained
device logging
& monitoring



Over-the-
air updates



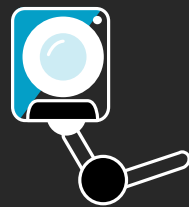
AWS IoT Device Defender

Device security

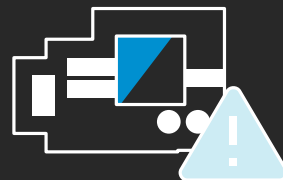
AWS IoT Device Defender is a fully managed IoT security service that enables you to secure your fleet of connected devices on an ongoing basis



Audit device
configurations



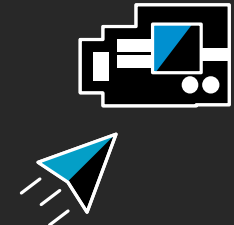
Monitor device
behavior



Identify
anomalies



Generate
alerts



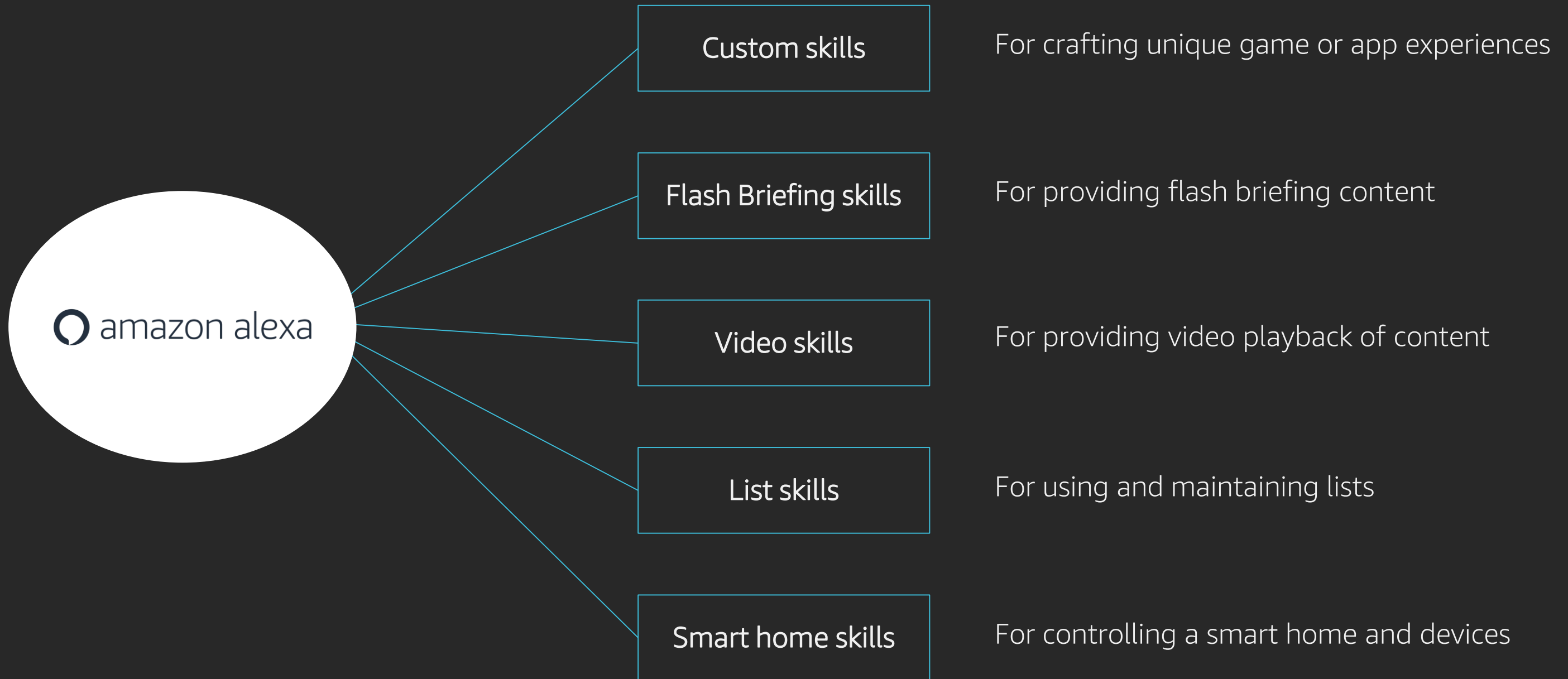
Patch security
vulnerabilities

Alexa Skills Kit

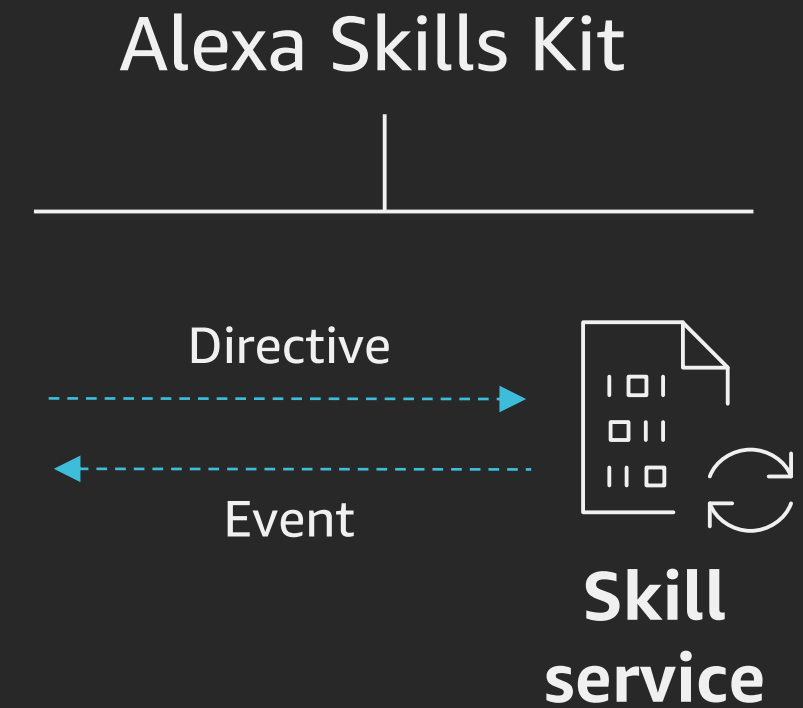
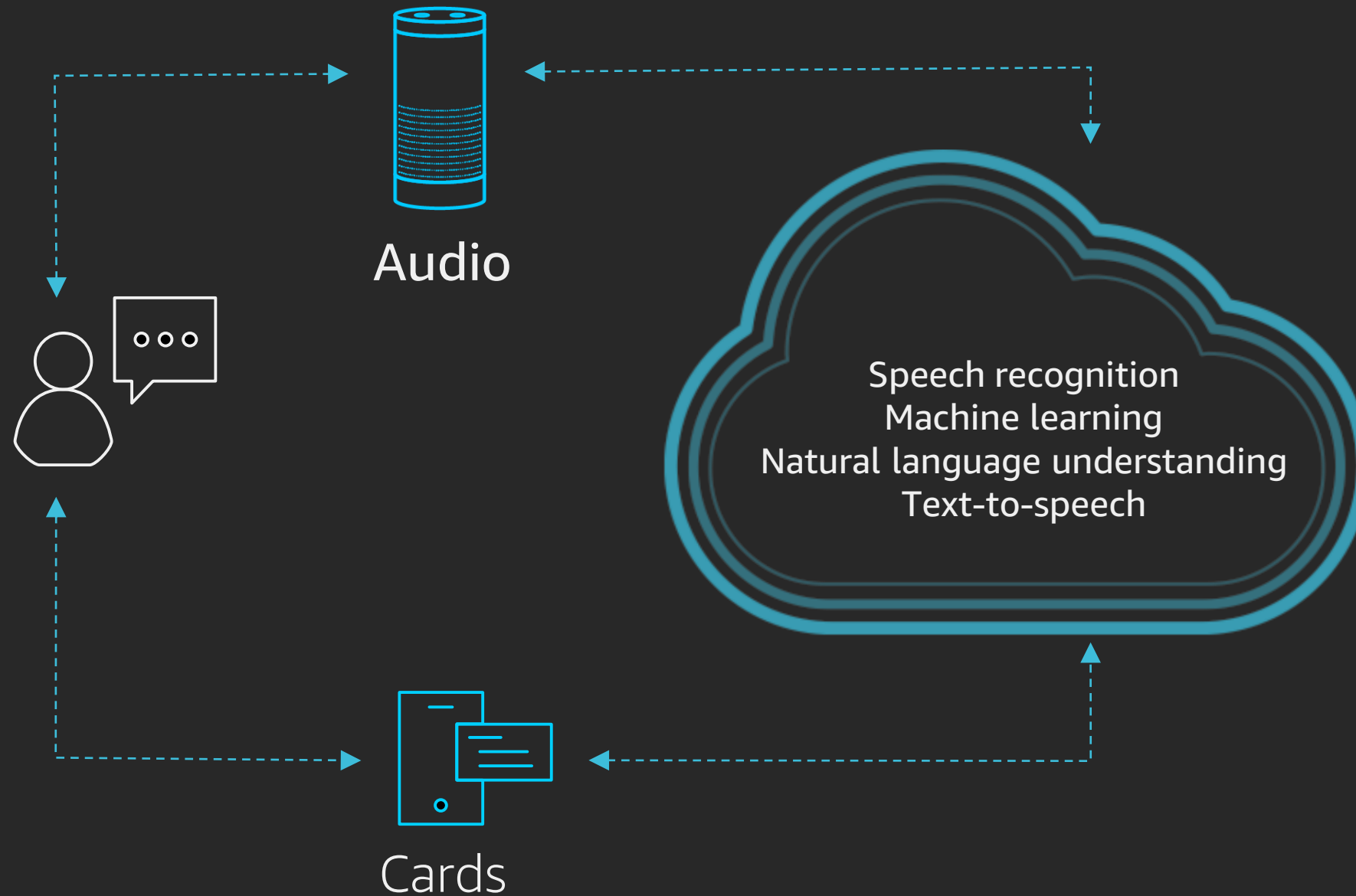
Alexa Skills Kit

- The Alexa Skills Kit (ASK) lets you teach Alexa new skills
- It contains the documentation, tools, and sample code needed to build Alexa skills
 - <https://developer.amazon.com/ask>

Types of Alexa skills



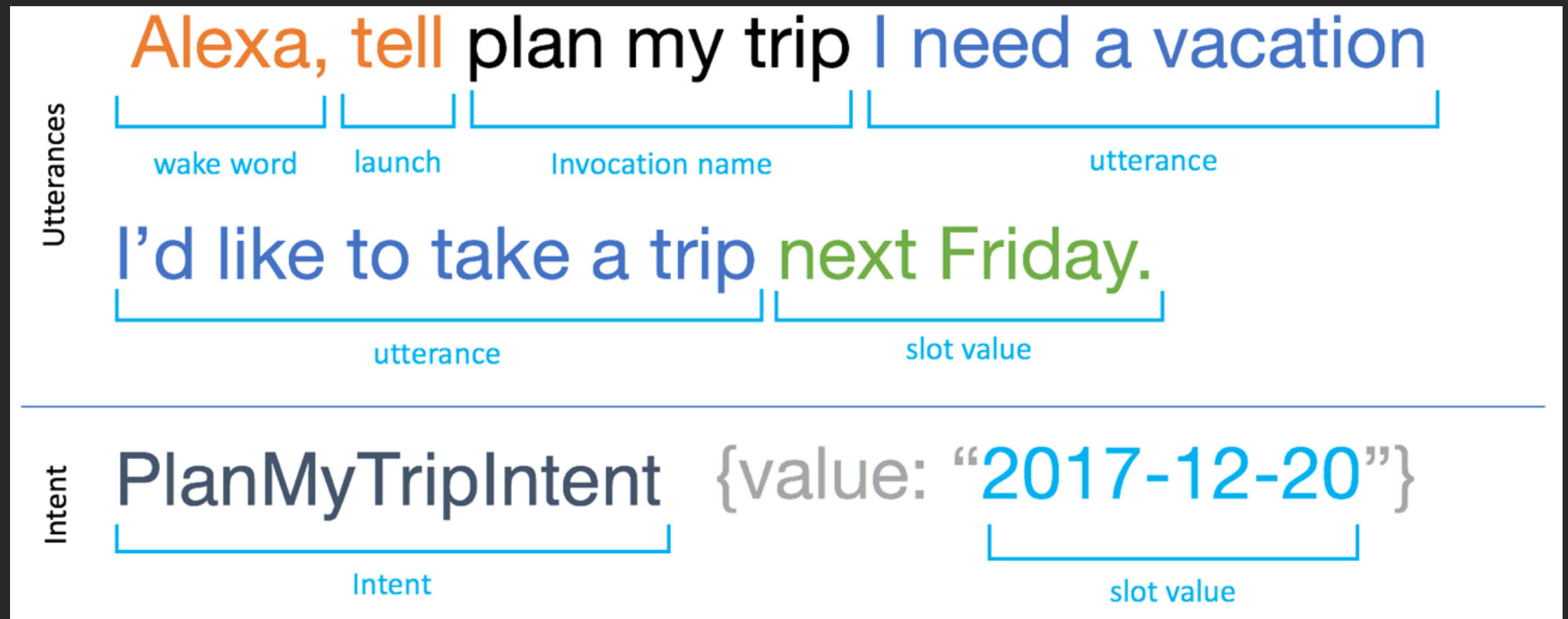
Alexa Skills Kit



Alexa skill components

Main components

- Invocation
- Intent
- Utterance



Scenario

Smart hotel

Guests

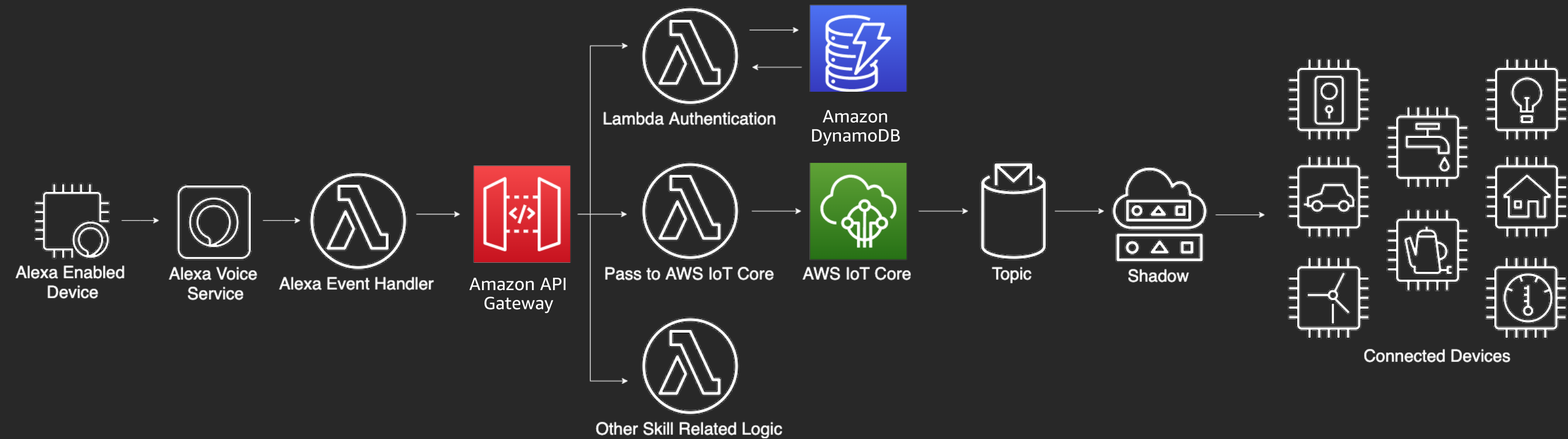
- Set temperature
- *No authorization needed*

Staff

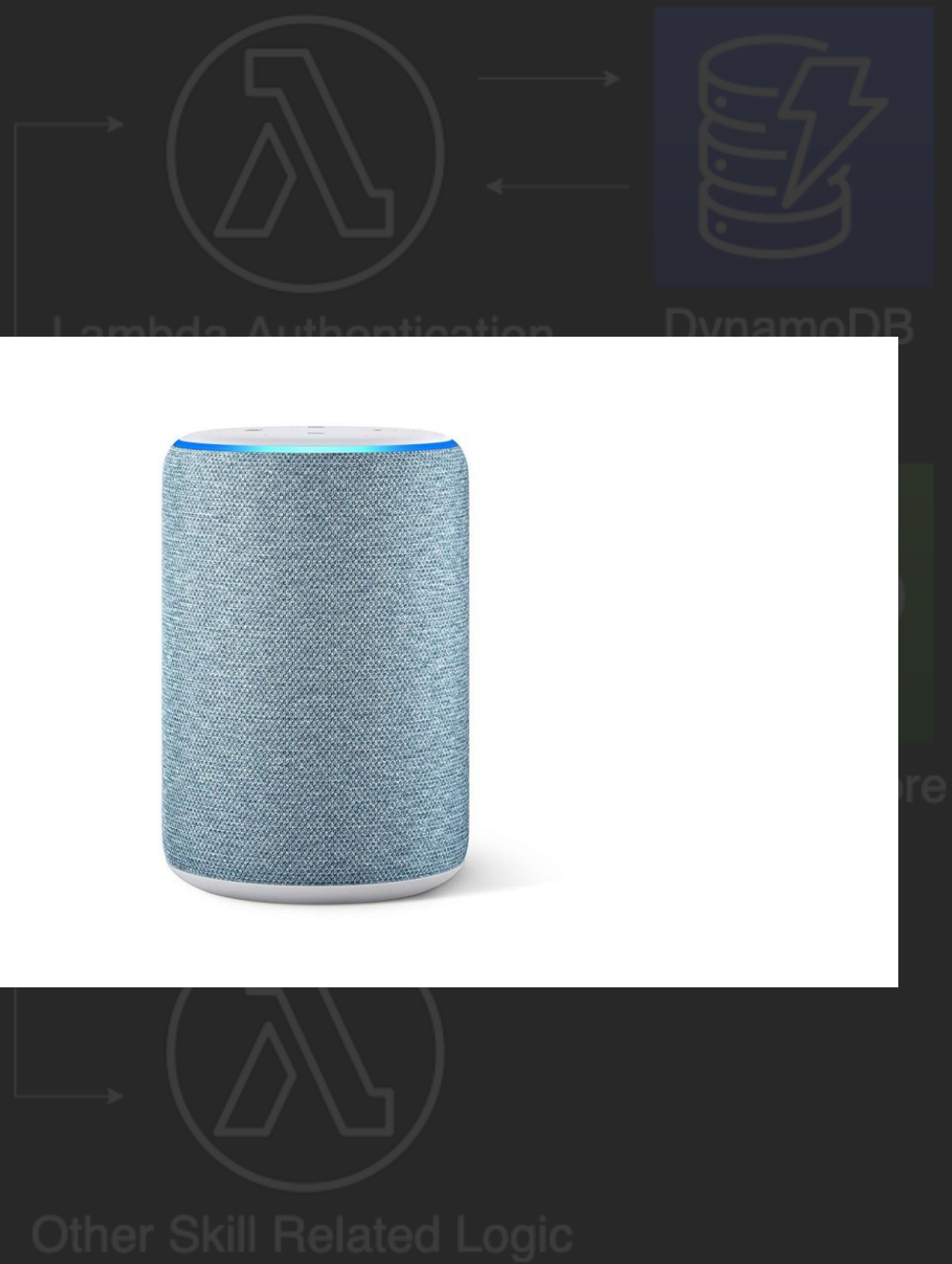
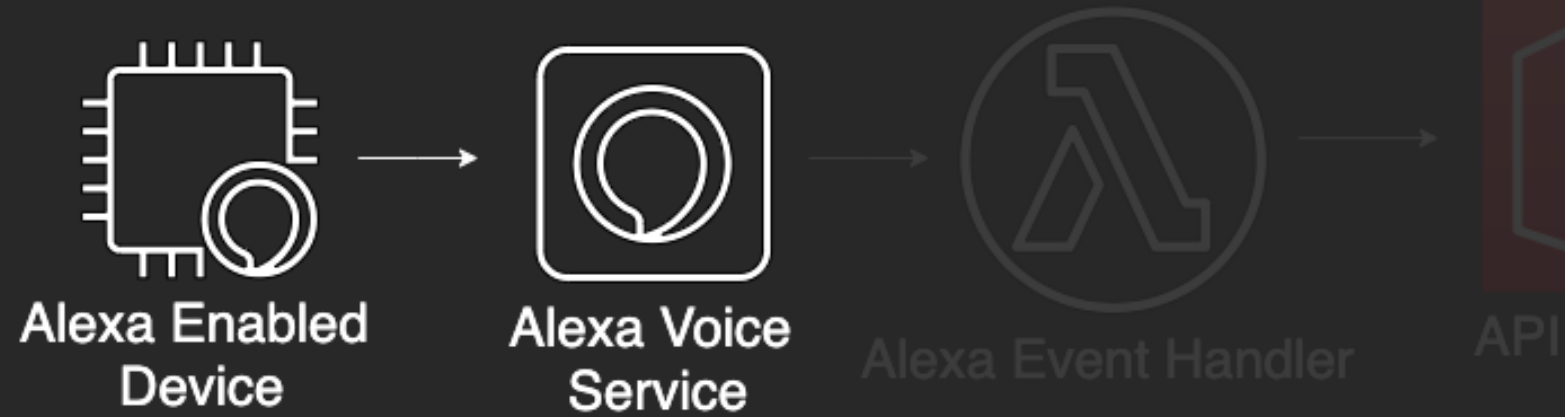
- Reset room
 - Close shades
 - Turn off television
 - Set temperature
 - Start smart vacuum
- *Needs authorization*

Architecture

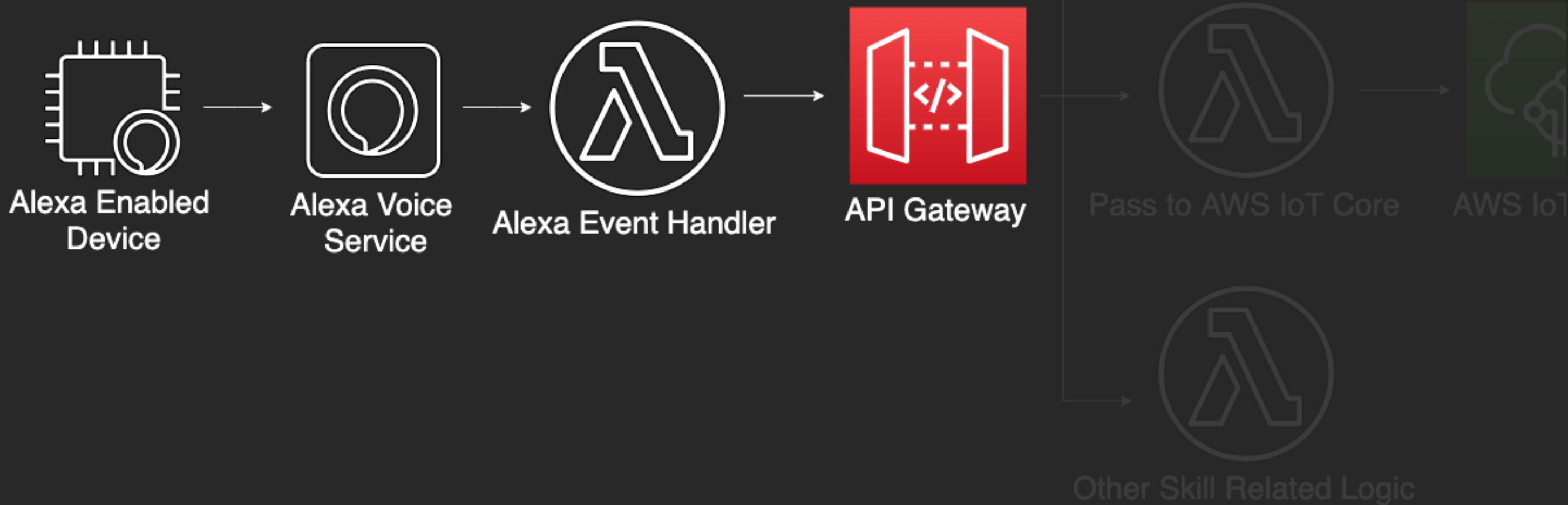
Architecture: Command smart devices with Alexa



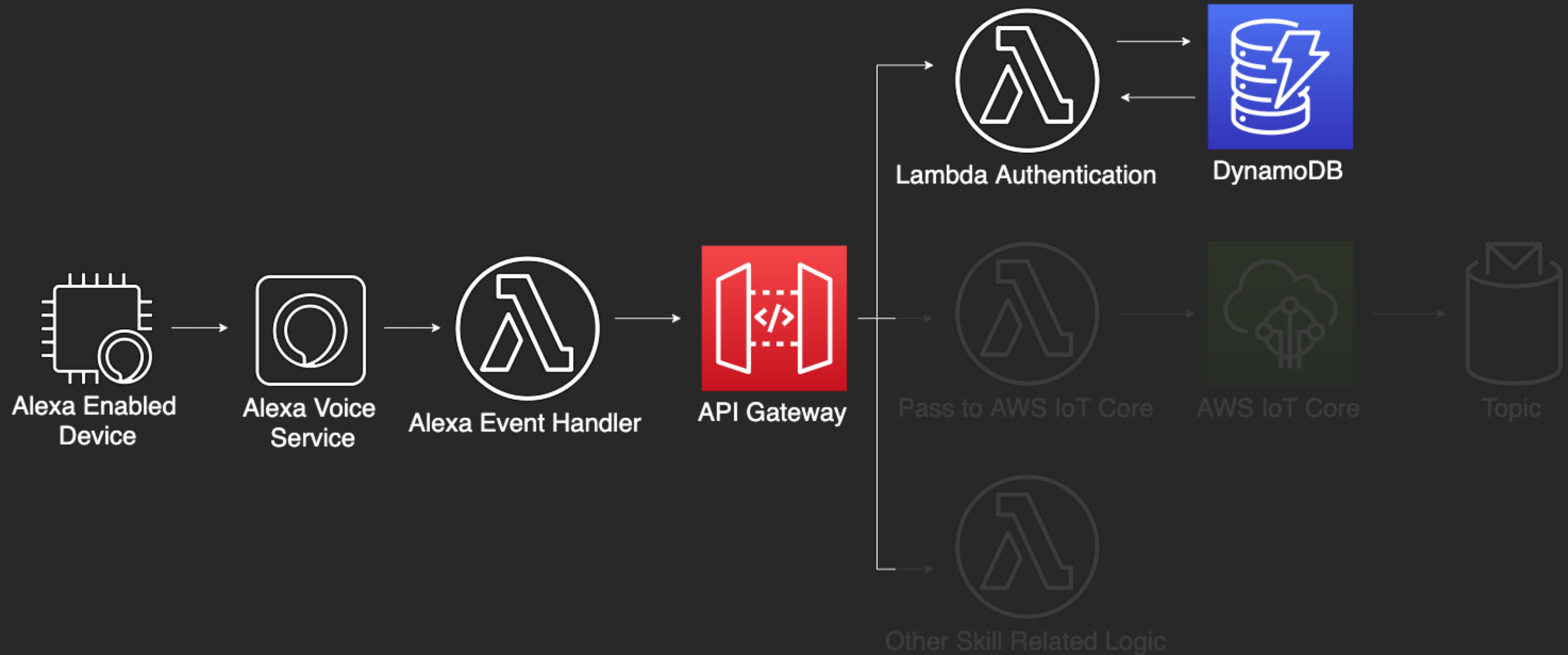
Architecture: Alexa-enabled device



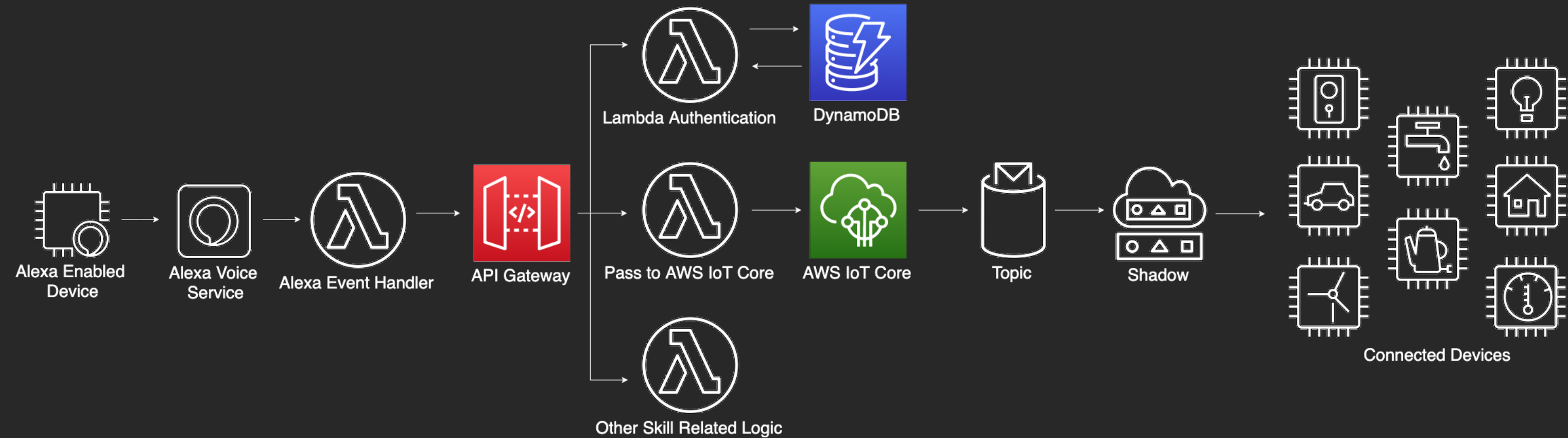
Architecture: Alexa skill handler function



Architecture: API Gateway and authorization



Architecture: AWS IoT Core



Let's build

Alexa Skills Kit

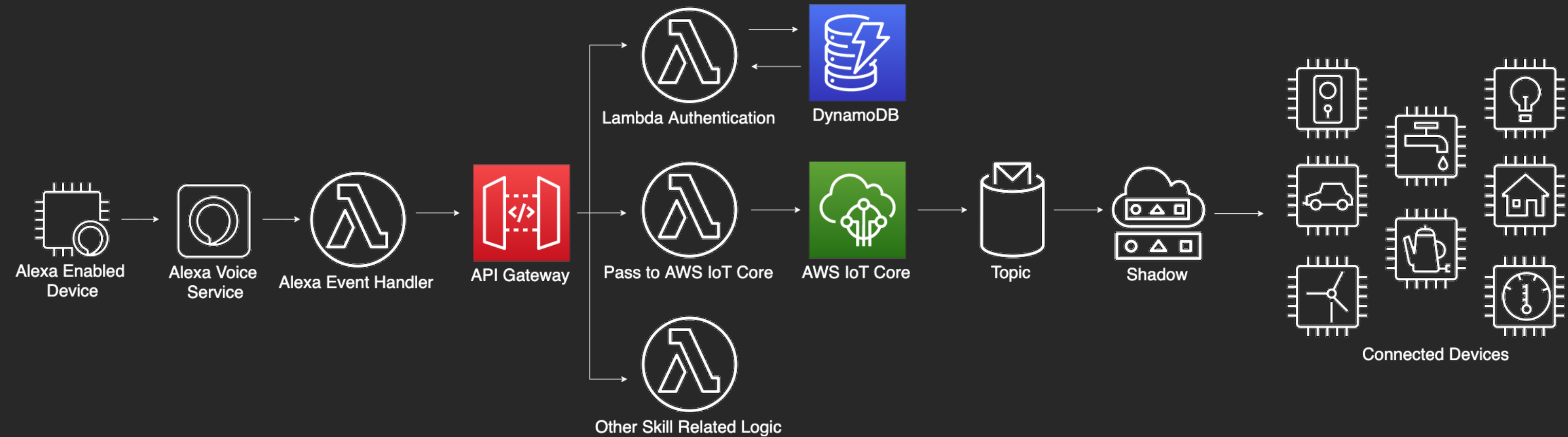
- Scenario – Smart hotel
- Two interactions flows
 - Set temperature (by anyone)
 - Reset room (by authorized users)
- Multiple utterances per intent
- Slots
 - Room number
 - Temperature

Hands on

<https://voice-connected-devices.workshop.aws>

Build AWS architecture

- Let's walk through building it



Set temperature lambda

```
import json
import boto3
import datetime
timestamp = datetime.datetime.utcnow().strftime('%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%S.%f')
client = boto3.client('iot-data')

def lambda_handler(event, context):
    temp = event['multiValueQueryStringParameters']['temp'][0]
    print(event)
    roomId = 101
    response = client.publish(
        topic = 'setTemp',
        qos = 1,
        payload = json.dumps({"roomId": roomId,
                              "timestamp": timestamp, "thermostat": temp })
    )
    return {
        "statusCode": 200,
    }
```

SetTemp topic payload

```
{  
  "roomid": "412",  
  "timestamp": "2019-10-11T21:26:51.393479",  
  "thermostat": 72  
}
```

Reset room lambda

```
import json
import boto3
import datetime
timestamp = datetime.datetime.utcnow().strftime('%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%S.%f')
client = boto3.client('iot-data')

def lambda_handler(event, context):
    roomId = event['multivalueQueryStringParameters']['room'][0]
    temp = 72

    response = client.publish(
        topic = 'resetRoom',
        qos = 1,
        payload = json.dumps({"roomId": roomId, "timestamp": timestamp,
                              "shades": "up", "theater": "stopped", "thermostat": temp})
    )

    return {
        "statusCode": 200,
    }
```

ResetRoom topic payload

```
{  
  "roomId": "412",  
  "timestamp": "2019-10-11T21:26:51.393479",  
  "shades": "up",  
  "theater": "stopped",  
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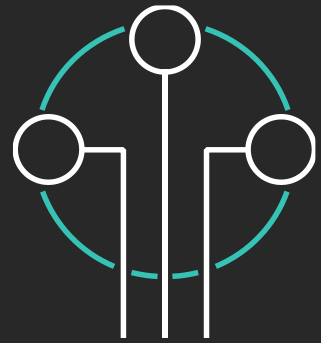
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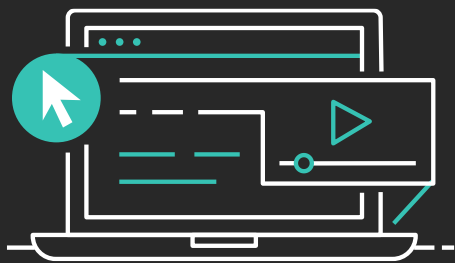
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