

Abstract

Embodiments of the present invention provide a method and an apparatus for establishing a peer group in P2P application. The method includes: a user terminal firstly obtains one or more initial peers from a peer server; the peer server returns the one or
5 more initial peers according to a configured policy; the user terminal establishes an initial peer group according to the initial peers; peers in the initial peer group communicate with each other to obtain information of other peers in other peer groups, and establish a new peer group according to the information of other peers. Therefore, a stable relationship is established among peers in the new peer group, and the peers can provide service
10 promptly when network resource is needed. Further, management of peers is implemented in a user terminal, management pressure and costs of the server are thus reduced, peers can be more fully used, and user experience is improved.