

# Launch Partners Beta Group

## Historical Technical Working Group

We work with the community through ORCID technical working groups (TWGs) to define and refine how the Registry works. The purpose of the Launch Partner Program was twofold. It enabled participants to influence the launch functionality, the reliability of the launch solution, and to integrate with ORCID prior to launch. It also provided ORCID with valuable input to ensure a usable and complete solution as well as a body of data available at launch.

## Working group organizational members

- American Physical Society
- Aries Systems
- AVEDAS
- Boston University
- California Institute of Technology
- CrossRef
- Elsevier (Scopus)
- Faculty of 1000
- figshare
- Hindawi Publishing Corporation
- KNODE, Inc.
- Nature Publishing Group
- SafetyLit
- Symplectic
- Thomson Reuters
- ImpactStory
- Wellcome Trust