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Connecting Research
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What is a persistent identifier?



persistent identifier



an organization
made a promise
to keep it alive

globally unique
string

(known as PIDs to their friends)

What can PIDs do?



PIDs Disambiguate

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PIDs link

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PIDs can make research FAIR

FAIR Principles		Compliance
	Findability Resource and its metadata are easy to find by both, humans and computer systems. Basic machine readable descriptive metadata allows the discovery of interesting data sets and services.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ F1. Resource is uploaded to a public repository.✓ F2. Metadata are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier.
	Accessibility Resource and metadata are stored for the long term such that they can be easily accessed and downloaded or locally used by humans and ideally also machines using standard communication protocols.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ A1. Resource is accessible for download or manipulation by humans and is ideally also machine readable.✓ A2. Publications and data repositories have contingency plans to assure that metadata remain accessible, even when the resource or the repository are no longer available.
	Interoperability Metadata should be ready to be exchanged, interpreted and combined in a (semi)automated way with other data sets by humans as well as computer systems.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ I1. Resource is uploaded to a repository that is interoperable with other platforms.✓ I2. Repository meta- data schema maps to or implements the CG Core metadata schema.✓ I3. Metadata use standard vocabularies and/or ontologies.
	Reusability Data and metadata are sufficiently well-described to allow data to be reused in future research, allowing for integration with other compatible data sources. Proper citation must be facilitated, and the conditions under which the data can be used should be clear to machines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ R1. Metadata are released with a clear and accessible usage license.✓ R2. Metadata about data and datasets are richly described with a plurality of accurate and relevant attributes.

Why PIDs?

“The issue of citation standards became important in the online world as well. Studies have shown that within a few years of being cited, a significant percentage of web addresses go “dead”!”



PIDs for Organizations!



ROR stands for “Research Organization Registry”—a community-led project to develop an open, sustainable, usable, and unique identifier for every research organization in the world.



GRID is the Global Research Identifier Database and releases IDs and metadata under a CC-1 license.



The Legal Entity Identifier is a unique global identifier for legal entities participating in financial transactions.




Ringgold is a registration agency for ISNI, and the Ringgold database include cross-walked ISNI organizational identifiers.





Why PIDs for Organizations?

Example: University of al-Qarawiyyin جامعة القرويين



جامعة القرويين

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University of al-Qarawiyyin - Wikipedia

The University of al-Qarawiyyin (Arabic: جامعة القرويين; Berber : ⵙⵓⵎⵓⵏⵓ ⵏ ⵓⵎⵓⵔⵉⵏ; French: Université Al Quaraouiine), also written ...

Location: Fez, Morocco **Academic staff:** 1,025 (2012)

Language: Arabic, Tamazight, French **Campus:** Urban

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PIDs For Contributors!

Staff homepages



In **About me** if you have ORCID, Scopus and ResearcherID profiles the badges linking to these should appear. If not, [contact your Library Services Team](#).

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For help with your staff home page visit the links below:

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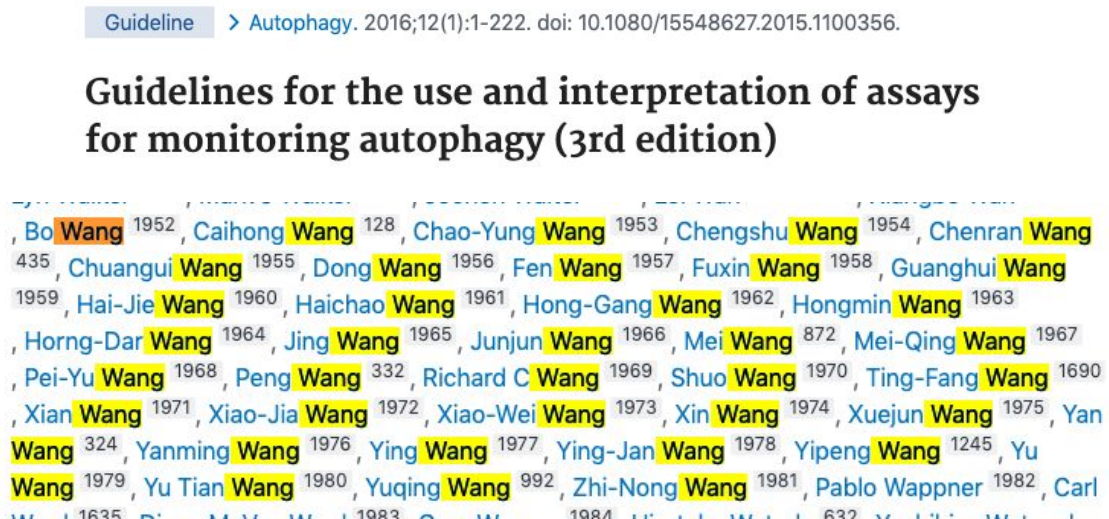
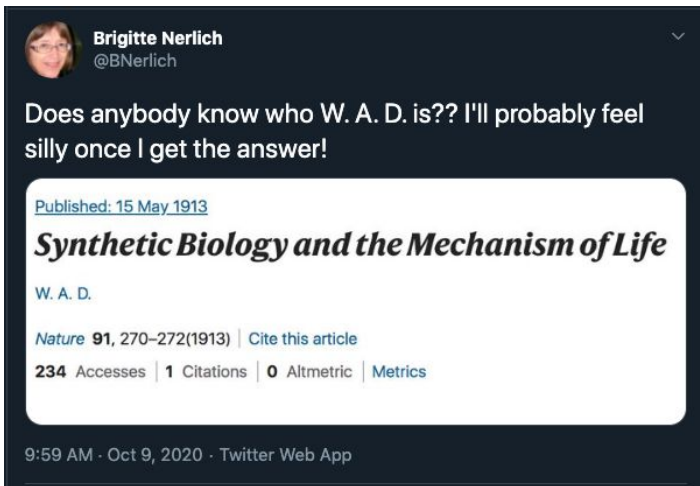
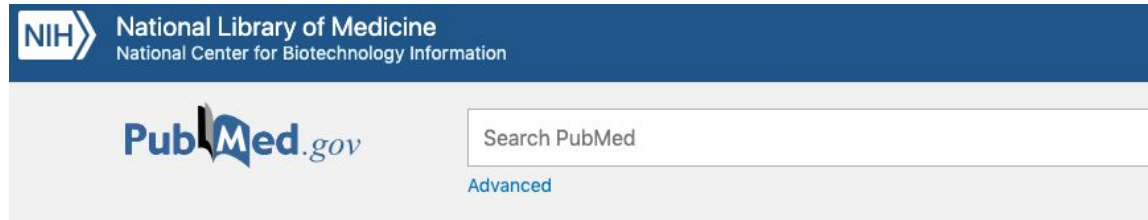


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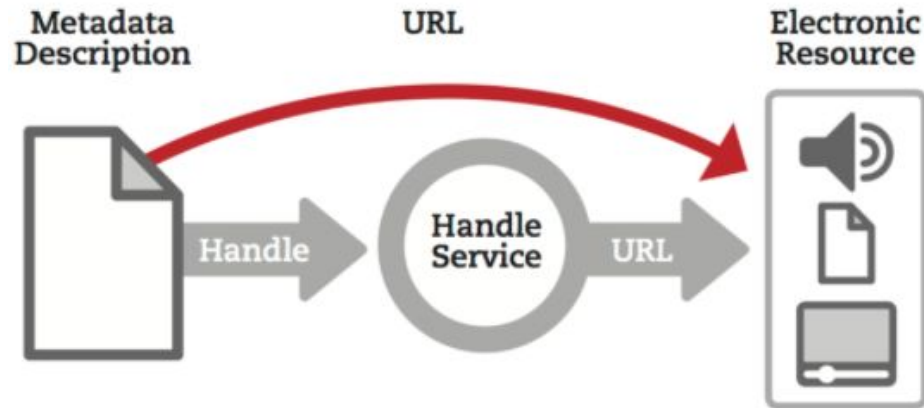
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PIDs For Contributions!



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PIDs for Systems Interoperability and Open Research “ready” Infrastructure!



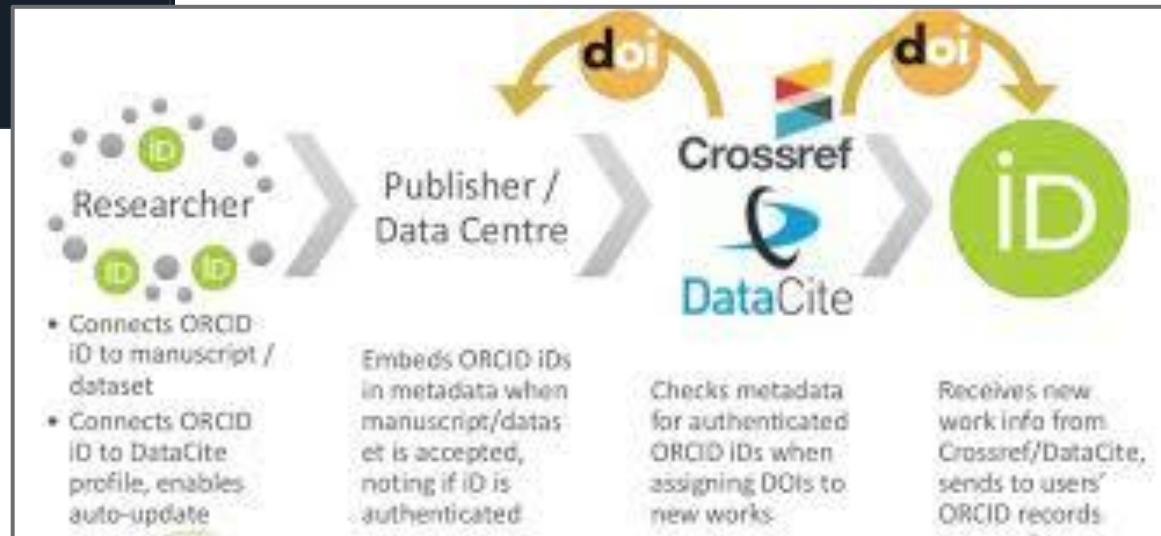
Madhu Pai ✓
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I don't mind my manuscript getting rejected after peer review. But I do mind when I can't even log into the damned journal submission site!

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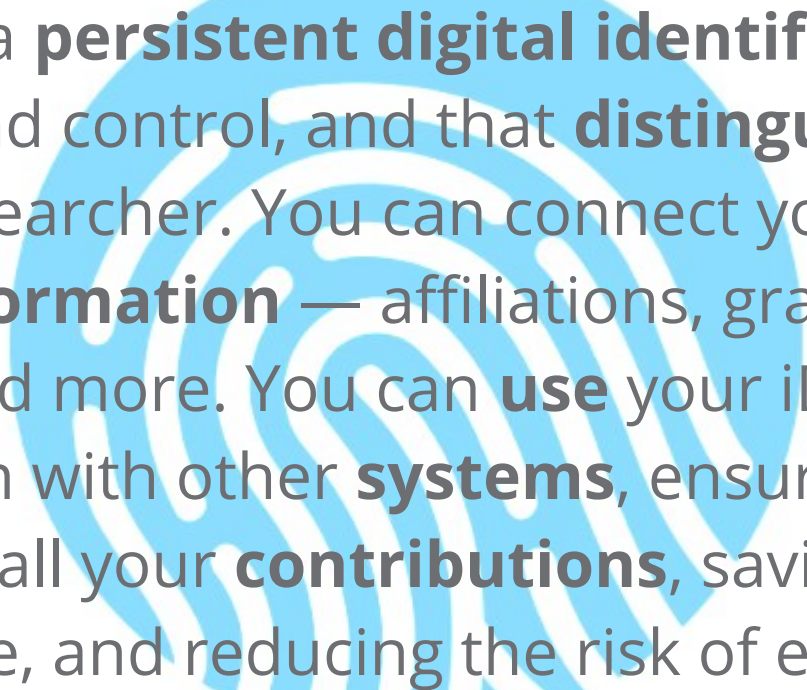
What is ORCID?



What is ORCID?

- ORCID is an **open, global, non-profit** organization run by and for the **research community**.
- ORCID provides researchers with a **unique** (and persistent), **free to use identifier**, an ORCID iD, that **connects** them reliably and clearly with their **research contributions, affiliations, funding, and facilities**.
- An ORCID iD is NOT an author profile or an authority check.
- ORCID provides **open tools** (ORCID iDs, Registry & APIs) that allow transparent connections between **researchers** and **identifiers** of their activities and **contributions**.





ORCID provides a **persistent digital identifier** (an ORCID iD) that you own and control, and that **distinguishes** you from every other researcher. You can connect your iD with your **professional information** — affiliations, grants, publications, peer review, and more. You can **use** your iD to **share** your information with other **systems**, ensuring you get **recognition** for all your **contributions**, saving you time and hassle, and reducing the risk of errors.

As an individual, it is free to have an ORCID iD!

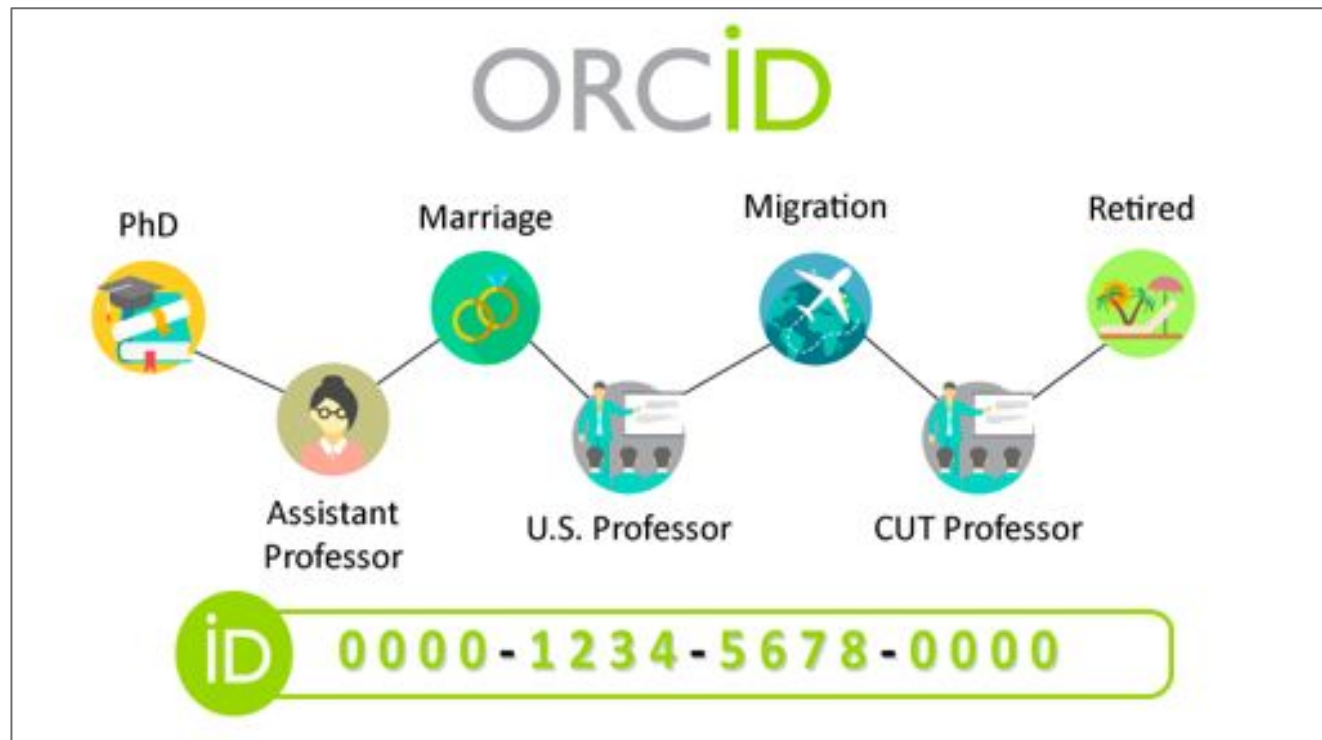


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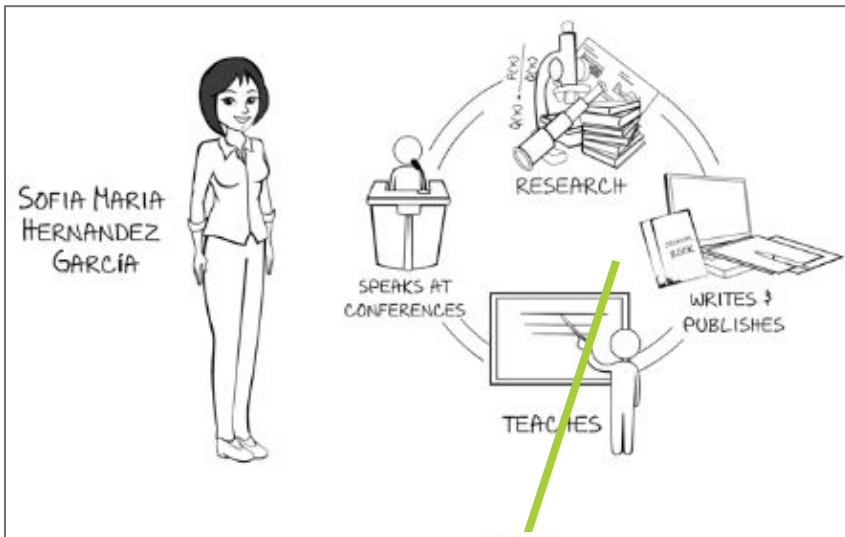
To **disambiguate** names and uniquely identify contributors.



Identifying authors and link contributions



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Biography

Sofia Maria Hernandez Garcia is used for testing and demonstrating ORCID records.

Employment (2)

Education and qualifications (4)

Invited positions and distinctions (3)

Membership and service (2)

Funding (1)

Research resources (2 of 2)

Works (5 of 5)

Peer review (2)

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journal

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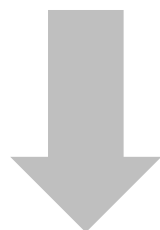
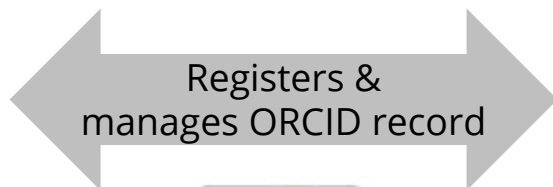


Inside the ORCID record



My ORCID Record

Researcher
Gives permission to
COLLECT iD and
access the record



University



CONNECTS affiliation

Funder



CONNECTS grant

Publisher



CONNECTS
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ORCID record

Researcher Name

ORCID ID



orcid.org/xxxx-xxxx-xxxx-xxxx

Basic information

- Other names
- Email addresses
- Biography

Account settings

Affiliations, Activities, Resources

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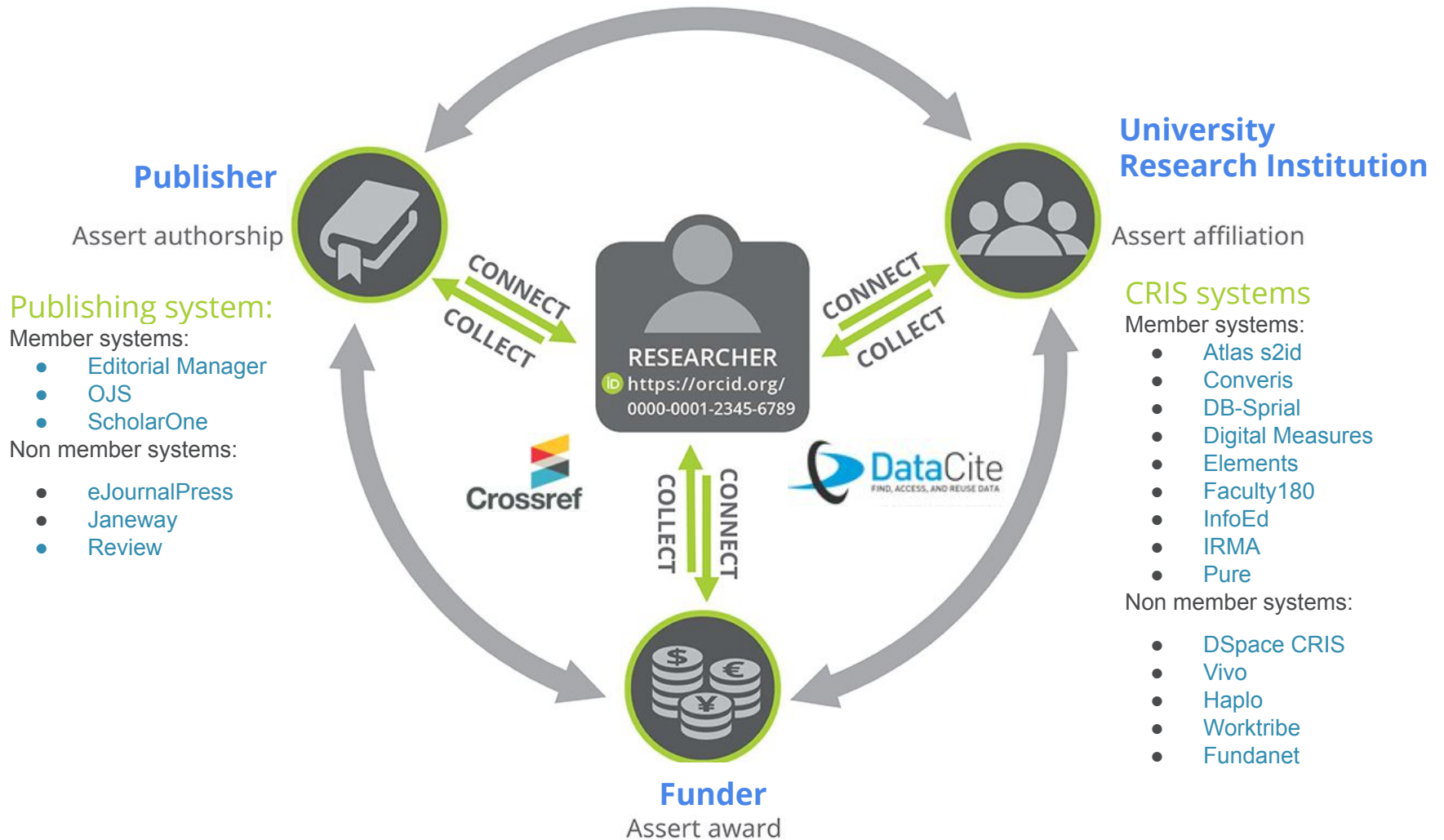
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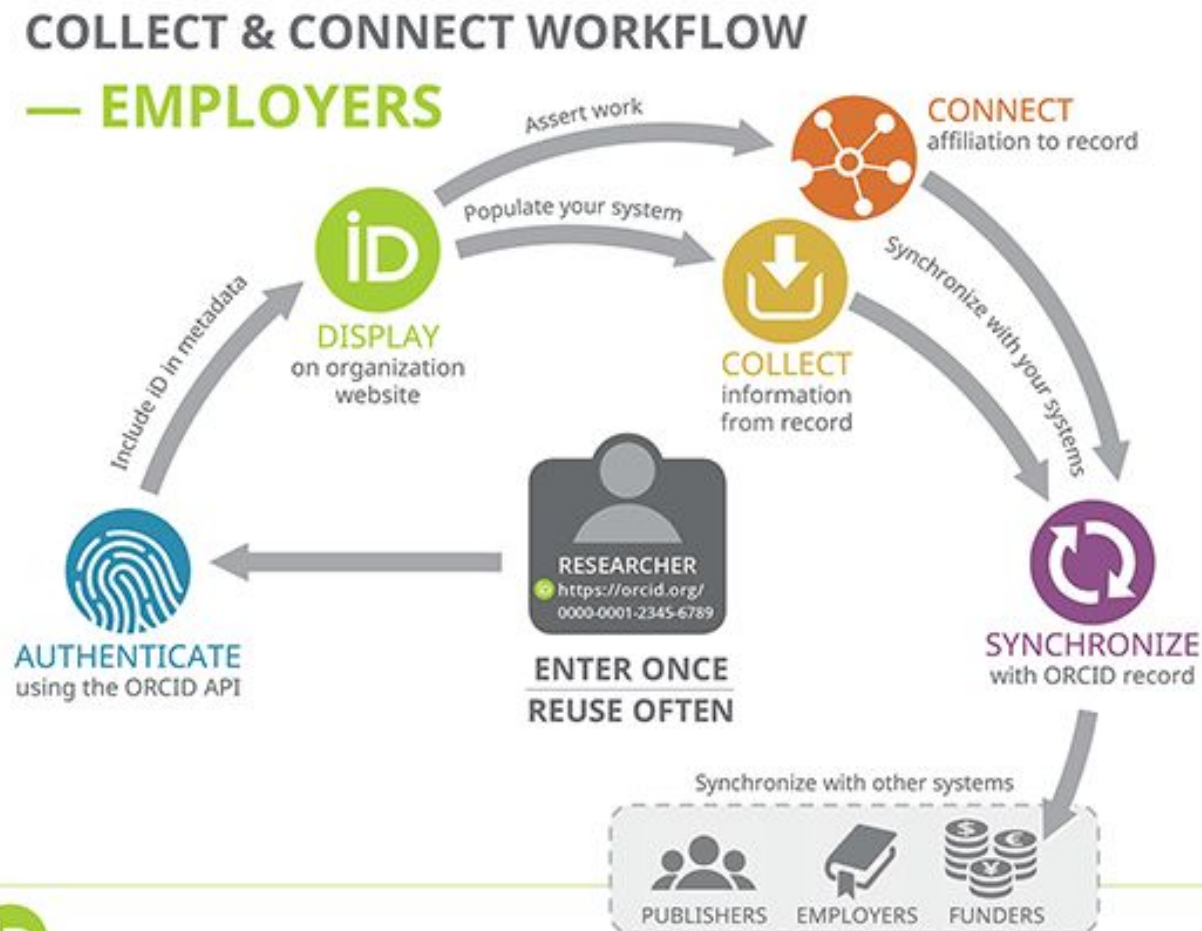
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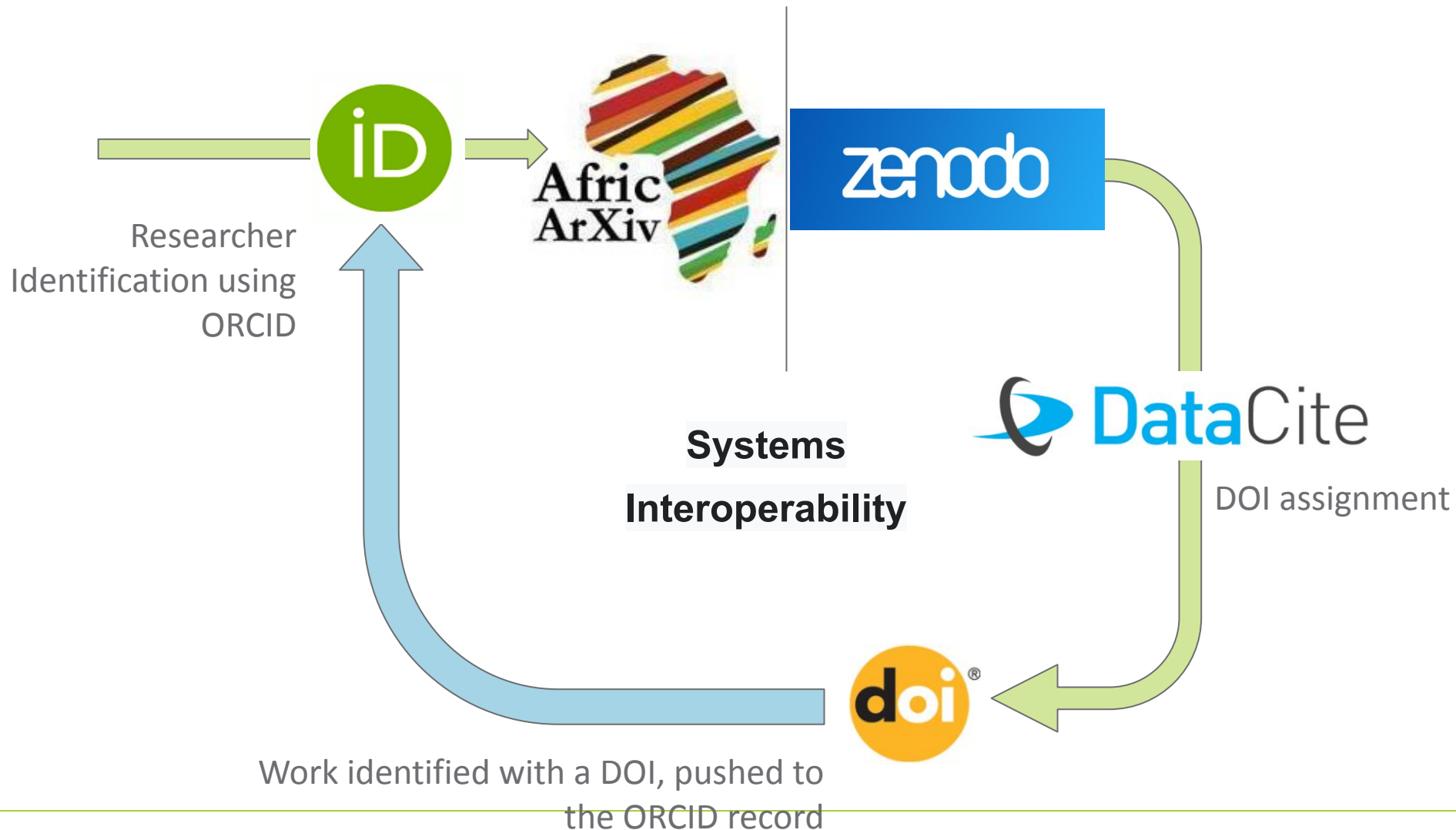
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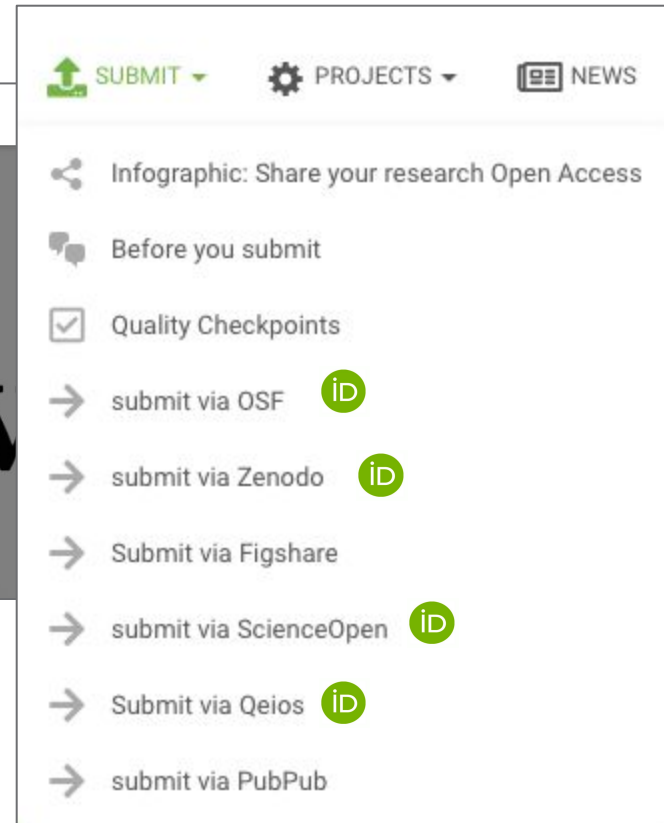
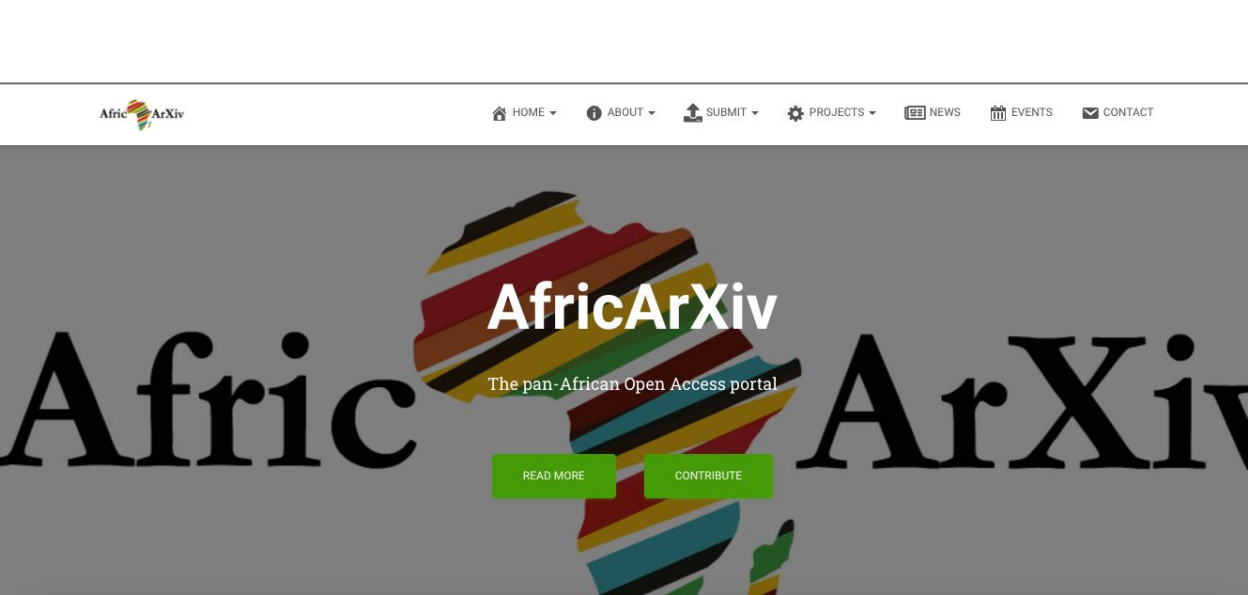
ORCID to connect your contributions to research



AfricArXiv-Zenodo-DataCite (workflow)



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Make your results citable and apply a CC-BY license
Promote Open Scholarship, Open Source and Open Standards



Search & Link

They allow to import works from different databases.

Among others, there are open access databases (eg BASE, Redalyc) and proprietary (eg Scopus) and DOI registration agencies (eg Crossref, DataCite and Airiti)

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Description

Una infografía sobre el uso de los identificadores ORCID para investigadores: por qué son necesarios, cómo se usan, ejemplos de su valor para los investigadores y sus instituciones.

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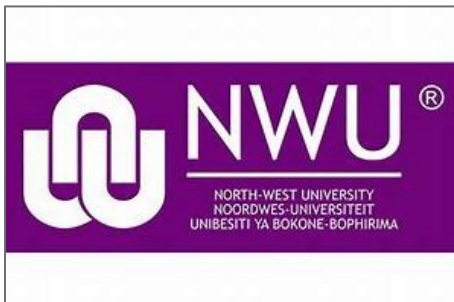
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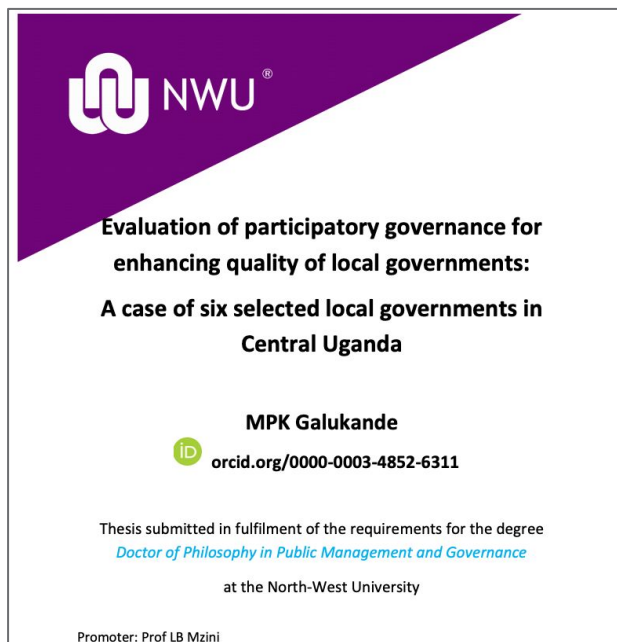
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Investigation and Isolation of Cellulase-Producing microorganisms in the Red Sea

2016 | supervised-student-publication

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MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Member Benefit	Basic - NonProfit	Premium	Consortium
API Access	(1)	(5)	(5) per consortium member
Webhooks: API-based notifications	No	Yes	Yes
Implementation support (email)	Yes	Yes - priority queue	Yes - via consortium lead, escalation to ORCID
Analytics reports	2/annum (general)	Monthly (includes API usage statistics)	Monthly (includes API usage statistics and consortium summary)
Orientation webinar to kick off project	1	Up to 2 per month	Consortium lead provides orientation; ORCID trains lead, sponsors global consortium workshop, provides information sharing platform
Requirements and Pricing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consortium requirements at https://orcid.org/content/orcid-consortia Member details and price list at https://orcid.org/about/membership 		

The importance of authentication

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Europe PubMed Central ?

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Read your information with visibility set to Trusted Parties
Add/update your research activities (works, affiliations, etc)

This application will not be able to see your ORCID password or any other information in your ORCID record with visibility set to Only me. You can manage permission granted to this and other Trusted Organizations in your [account settings](#).

Authorize

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Authorize

Deny

- Ensuring that the iD is transmitted correctly
- Avoid errors when inserting the iD in the metadata (typographical errors, reconciliation errors, etc.)
- Be aware of what use permissions are granted

ORCID Privacy



Reliable Registry



Individual Control

ORCID TRUST



Community Responsibility






Information Integrity



Source: <https://orcid.org/about/trust/home>
Privacy at ORCID: <https://orcid.org/privacy-policy>

ORCID privacy

By default, who should be able to see information added to your ORCID Record?






- ☒  **Everyone** (87% of users choose this)
- ☐  **Trusted parties** (5% of users choose this)
- ☐  **Only me** (8% of users choose this)

- Email addresses are private by default



- Privacy control of the registry for each entry individually
- In accordance with GDPR and privacy acts.

Trusted organizations

Trusted organization	Approval date	Access type	
CAPES https://sadmin.capes.gov.br	2019-08-14	Read your information with visibility set to Trusted Parties Add/update your research activities (works, affiliations, etc) Get your ORCID iD	
Clarivate https://www.clarivate.com/	2019-07-09	Read your information with visibility set to Trusted Parties	
CNPq - Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento Científico e Tecnológico (The National Council for Scientific and Technological Development) http://www.cnpq.br/	2019-07-24	Read your information with visibility set to Trusted Parties Add/update your research activities (works, affiliations, etc) Get your ORCID iD	
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Trusted organizations: <https://support.orcid.org/hc/en-us/articles/360006973893-Trusted-organizations>

GDPR and ORCID: <https://support.orcid.org/hc/en-us/articles/360006895834-ORCID-GDPR-and-your-rights-as-a-user>

ORCID in public policies and guidelines

NRF ORCID Statement

The NRF requires that all researchers and students applying for funding and rating at the NRF have an ORCID* identifier.

The NRF is in the process of integrating the ORCID identifier into all application and grant management business processes and systems and will allow researchers to include their ORCID identifier when updating their CVs. The NRF is also considering the downstream integration benefits to both researchers and the NRF including automated processes for uploading research output records into a researcher's profile and annual research reports.

A unique identifier, as provided by ORCID and which researchers can associate with their name variations and their research works, is a way to ensure that these links can be made accurately and reliably. This will help researchers to uniquely identify themselves as the author of their work across all systems integrated with the ORCID registry.

The NRF membership of ORCID ensures that researchers and their institutions will benefit from access to and integration with the ORCID registry, including setting up and maintaining disambiguated records for all researchers and linking these to their publications and other research outputs, leading, in turn, to a simpler, more reliable evaluation process.

** ORCID is an international, interdisciplinary, open and not-for-profit organisation created in 2010 for the benefit of all stakeholders, including research organisations, research funders, publishers and researchers. We aim to transform the research ecosystem by providing a registry of persistent unique identifiers for researchers and scholars and automating linkages to research objects such as publications, grants and patents (www.orcid.org)*



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Research
Foundation

African Open Science Platform

Home About Research, Science

NADRE becoming the new entry to quality Ethiopian research output

ASSAf – through the African Open Science Platform project – during 19 to 21 February 2018, participated in a workshop and conference which was organized and funded with the help of the German Cooperation (implemented by GIZ Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH, the Ethiopian Education Strategy Center, EthERNET and the Ethiopian Ministry of Education.

Through many investments over the years, African countries have made great progress in managing its research in a digital way, aligning it with international standards. Ethiopia is no different, and research intensive institutions in Ethiopia have made great progress in setting up repositories, making sure that research output funded with public money will be accessible for the unforeseeable future. The 4-day workshop and conference addressed the implementation of persistent identifiers for digital objects (incl. DOIs and ORCID IDs), experiences from across the globe (Ireland, Austria, South Africa and Italy), addressing possible challenges, and also aligning existing repositories for harvesting through NADRE, the national harvester. All African institutional repositories are also encouraged to align with the requirements for inclusion by the continental harvester developed by the Association of African Universities (AAU), known as DATAD-R. In the end, researchers will not only be able to search for high quality Ethiopian research from a central access point (NADRE), but also search for high quality African research through a central access point for African research (DATAD-R).

Integrations in funding and grant management systems



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ORCID

Instructions

- ORCID provides a persistent digital identifier that distinguishes you from other researchers. Learn more at orcid.org
- To link your ORCID ID with the NRF you must 'Authorise' ORCID to allow this. This is an NRF prerequisite for applications/progress reports to proceed to review.
- PLEASE NOTE** this is a compulsory section in all applications/progress reports to the NRF for funding and rating.

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ORCID DSpace Integration KAUST patch

Expanded ORCID support for DSpace (Patch)

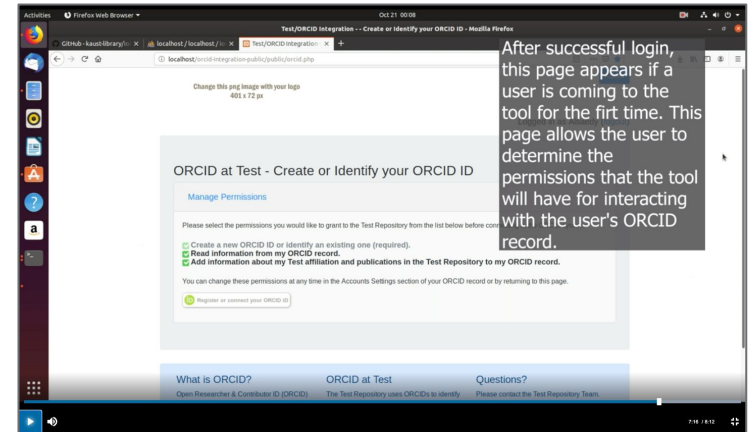
Introduction

[ORCID](#) is a service that attaches a persistent digital identifier to a specific researcher by linking his/her name with a resolvable internet address, also called an ORCID iD. This ID allows for a clear distinction between different researchers and makes it possible for one researcher to link all of their publications to their ID in an easy and straightforward manner.

DSpace as a software can be integrated with the ORCID database. When such an ORCID integration has been set up, the authority key field is leveraged to link the author to his ORCID iD. This patch extends the features that become available in DSpace once an integration with the ORCID database has been done.

The DSpace expanded-ORCID-support patch has been funded and contributed to the DSpace community by [King Abdullah University of Science and Technology \(KAUST\)](#). It was designed for use in conjunction with the [Institutional ORCID Integration application](#) released by the KAUST Library.

The patch has been developed and is maintained by [Atmire](#), a registered service provider for DSpace.



Institutional ORCID Integration (IOI)

Institutional ORCID Integration (IOI) provides a way for institutions to support the use of [ORCID](#) iDs by their researchers and students.

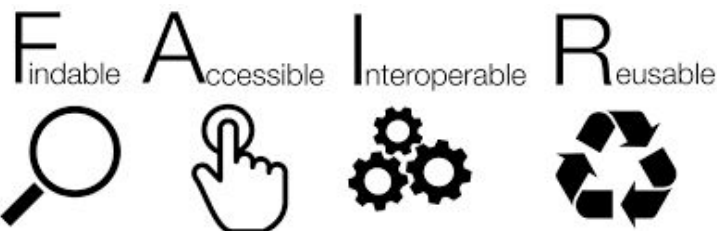
It is designed for use in conjunction with a [DSpace](#) repository (currently supporting [DSpace](#) versions 5 and 6). It expects the [DSpace expanded-ORCID-support patch](#) to already have been applied.

It interacts with ORCID using version 3.0 of the ORCID API. For full functionality ORCID membership and access to the ORCID member API are needed. It can also be used with the ORCID public API, but with limited functionality.

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How to get involved with ORCID?

Researchers, research institutions, publishers and funding bodies routinely face the problem of accurately linking research publications, data and other research activities to the right researcher. A unique persistent identifier resolves problems of name ambiguity in search and discovery and can ensure that works are correctly and unambiguously attributed to their creator. ORCID solves this long-standing problem by providing a persistent digital identifier (ORCID ID) that distinguishes each researcher. Identifiers are a basis for digital data governance because they enable machine readability, disambiguate and enforce uniqueness, and enable accurate attribution and data integration.

Figure 2. New Zealand ORCID Joint Statement of Principle, 2015.

Recognizing Our Consortia Lead Organizations



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Consortia are fundamental to ORCID -- they enable broad adoption of ORCID with attention to local context. They help us maintain a small staff and in turn we can pass on low membership costs. Together, our consortia lead organizations support about 70% of our members, and help us better understand an address community challenges and opportunities.

At our recent [consortia workshop](#) in Atlanta, USA, we were delighted to recognize the contributions of six consortia lead organizations that have significantly helped grow and support the ORCID community.



Above, left to right: Award-winners Sheila Rabun and Celeste Feather of LYRASIS (center), Wesley Barrey of TENET (left), and Pål Axelsson of SUNET (left)

NRF ORCID Statement

The NRF requires that all researchers and students applying for funding and rating at the NRF have an ORCID* identifier.

The NRF is in the process of integrating the ORCID identifier into all application and grant management business processes and systems and will allow researchers to include their ORCID identifier when updating their CVs. The NRF is also considering the downstream integration benefits to both researchers and the NRF including automated processes for uploading research output records into a researcher's profile and annual research reports.

A unique identifier, as provided by ORCID and which researchers can associate with their name variations and their research works, is a way to ensure that these links can be made accurately and reliably. This will help researchers to uniquely identify themselves as the author of their work across all systems integrated with the ORCID registry.

The NRF membership of ORCID ensures that researchers and their institutions will benefit from access to and integration with the ORCID registry, including setting up and maintaining disambiguated records for all researchers and linking these to their publications and other research outputs, leading, in turn, to a simpler, more reliable evaluation process.

* ORCID is an international, interdisciplinary, open and not-for-profit organisation created in 2010 for the benefit of all stakeholders, including research organisations, research funders, publishers and researchers. We aim to transform the research ecosystem by providing a registry of persistent unique identifiers for researchers and scholars and automating linkages to research objects such as publications, grants and patents (www.orcid.org)



Thank you!

