

WHAT IS ORCID?

ORCID (Open Researcher and Contributor Identifier) is a registry of unique identifiers for researchers and scholars. A unique and persistent 16-digit number to eliminate name ambiguity (i.e. one author may have multiple name variants when publishing papers, or many authors may share the same name, especially Asian names)

Below is an example:



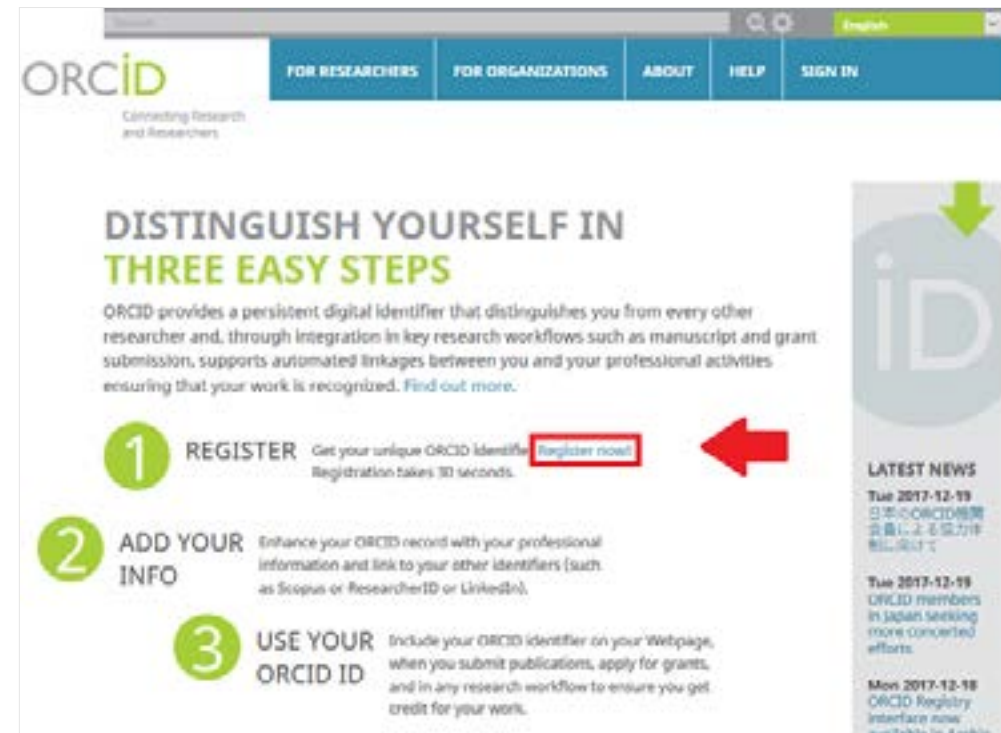
WHY USE ORCID?

- It helps to promote the discoverability of publications across multiple platforms and establishes a unique presence for researchers regardless of name variants or affiliation history
- It records your works, employment details, awards, research grants, etc. throughout your entire career
- It can be linked up to and used by publishers, databases, organizations, etc., so it minimizes the time you spend filling out forms when submitting research or applying for grants
- It is being required by publishers and funders.
- It helps people discover you and your works and in turn raises research visibility
- Some of the world's largest publishers, funders, and institutions have adopted ORCID
- Registration is free and fast for all researchers and scholars. Creating an ORCID identifier takes 30 seconds. All you have to do is visit the ORCID registration page and enter a few details about yourself.

CREATING YOUR ORCID PROFILE

1. Go to ORCID's website orcid.org

2. Create an account by clicking the "Register now!" link.



3. Register a new account by filling in the form

Register for an ORCID ID

ORCID provides a persistent digital identifier that distinguishes you from every other researcher and, through integration in key research workflows such as manuscript and grant submission, supports automated linkages between you and your professional activities ensuring that your work is recognized.

As per ORCID's terms and conditions, you may only register for an ORCID ID for yourself.

First name

Last name

Email

Re-enter email

Create an ORCID password

Confirm ORCID password

Your ORCID ID connects with your ORCID Record that can contain links to your research activities, affiliations, awards, other versions of your name, and more. You control this consent and who can see it.

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

Public Private Only me

Email frequency

The ORCID registry provides notifications about things of interest, like updates to your ORCID record or being made a trusted individual, when they occur (learn more about notifications). How often would you like these notifications delivered to you via email?

Weekly summary

I'm not a robot

Terms of Use *

I consent to the [privacy policy](#) and [terms and conditions of use](#), including agreeing to my data being processed in the US and being publicly accessible where marked Public.

4. Verify your ORCID registration



After the successful registration, you will be redirected to your account

