

Explaining ORCID (Open Researcher and Contributor ID)

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What is ORCID?

- ORCID is an open, not-for-profit organization run by and for the research community
- ORCID provides you with a unique identifier, your ORCID iD, that reliably and clearly connects you with your research contributions and affiliations
- You can use your iD in hundreds of systems from grant application and manuscript submission to CRIS and other research information management systems, and more!





What's in a Name?

Most names are not unique



Many people have the same name

Names may change through marriage or other circumstances



People use different versions of their name during their career



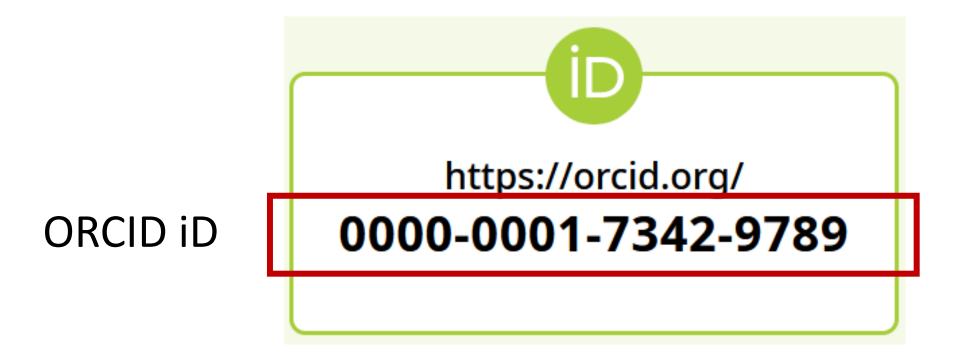








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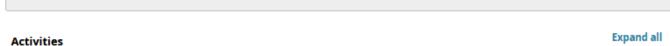
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- Employment
- Education and qualifications
- Invited positions and distinctions
- Membership and service
- Funding
- Works





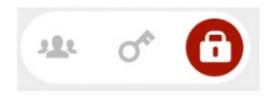


Individual control

You control what information is added to and deleted from your ORCID record, with fine-grained control over the visibility of the information.







Everyone

Trusted parties

Only me





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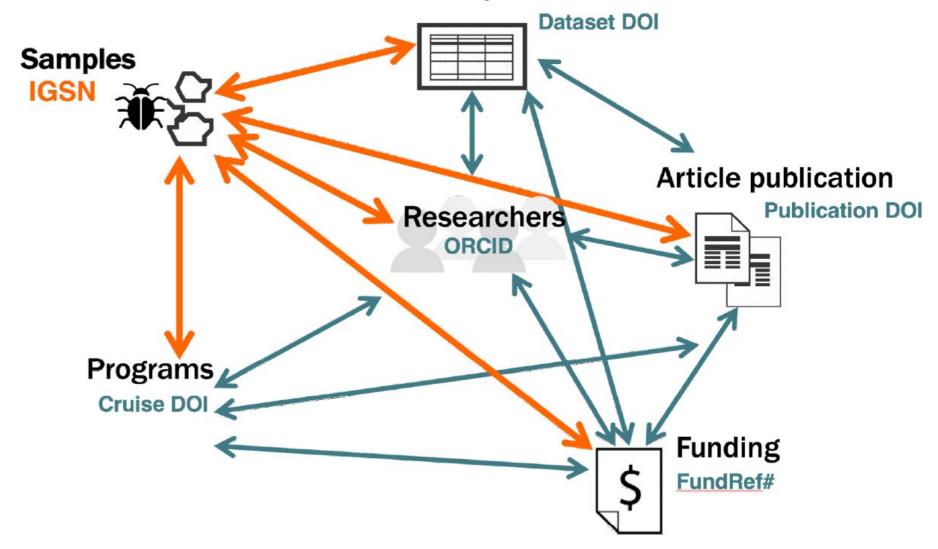
Search and Link wizards are the recommended way to populate your record.

- BASE (Bielefeld Academic Search Engine): BASE allows you to claim and import works from the Bielefeld
 Academic Search Engine. To use, you must first create a BASE user account. Recommended for authors of open access publications.
- CrossRef Metadata Search: CrossRef Metadata Search allows you to search and add works by title or DOI.
 Once you have authorized the connection and are logged into ORCID, CrossRef search results include a button to add works to your ORCID record.
- **DataCite**: DataCite allows you to find your research datasets, images, and other works. Recommended for locating works other than articles as well as works that can be found by DOI.





Dataset publication



Lehnert et al., 2020, Digital Data Infrastructure for Physical Samples: The IGSN and the Internet of Samples, GeoUtrecht2020 virtual conference







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