## What Is ORCID?

Due to similarities in author names, changes in surnames of female researchers as a result of marriage, and variations in name spelling, significant difficulties are encountered when attempting to access all publications of an academic collectively. As a result, accurate data cannot be used in the management of scientific outputs, and analyses conducted for an author or their affiliated institution may yield incorrect results.

In order to ensure that an individual researcher's works can be viewed collectively and that accurate data can be used in analyses, the identification of academics has become a necessity.

The **Open Researcher and Contributor ID (ORCID)** was established as the result of a collaborative initiative supported by various publishers and stakeholders. Its primary objective is to gather all research outputs of a researcher under a single account by using one digital identity. In addition, ORCID facilitates interoperability between systems and provides application programming interfaces (APIs) that enable authentication.

ORCID maintains a central registry of unique, personal identifiers used for individual researchers. As a non-profit organization, ORCID is dedicated to resolving the long-standing problem of name ambiguity in scholarly communication by establishing open and transparent connections with other author identifier systems.

An ORCID iD is a unique 16-digit identifier expressed as a URL. For example, the ORCID link <a href="https://orcid.org/0000-0002-3973-4664">https://orcid.org/0000-0002-3973-4664</a> directs users to the profile of the author it represents on the ORCID website. For more information about ORCID, you may visit the official website.

## Why Should ORCID Be Used?

 It eliminates author name ambiguity and ensures that your research outputs are correctly attributed to you. This also means that your research outputs can be accurately compiled in the ABÜ Institutional Academic Archive System, along with other academic activities.

- It remains with you throughout your academic career and represents you across academic platforms.
- It increases efficiency in different workflow processes and saves time by reducing the need to repeatedly enter biographical or bibliographical information, for example when completing manuscript submission forms.
- It is increasingly becoming a requirement for journal article submissions.
- It can be linked to a wide range of research outputs and activities, such as journal articles, datasets, performance works, and even peer-review activities.
- As an open-source system, it can be integrated with other academic services.
- Creating a profile is quick and easy.

## Who Needs an ORCID?

All Antalya Bilim University staff and students who conduct research and publish scholarly work should have an ORCID iD.

To create an ORCID account and obtain further information, please visit: <a href="https://orcid.org/register">https://orcid.org/register</a>

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**NOTE: Video Links** 

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