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**Why Researcher Identifiers?**

There are 23 faculty members with the name “J. Lee” ... at the University of Michigan alone.

A researcher’s name isn’t enough to reliably identify the author of, or contributor to, an article published in a journal or a dataset uploaded to a repository.

**What is ORCID?**

ORCID ("orkid") stands for Open Researcher and Contributor ID.

The ORCID initiative focuses on solving the name ambiguity problem by creating persistent unique identifiers and linking mechanisms between different ID schemes and research objects.

**Distinguish Yourself in Three Easy Steps.**

1. **REGISTER**
   Get your unique ORCID identifier.

2. **ADD YOUR INFO**
   Include your ORCID identifier on your webpage, when you submit publications, apply for grants, and in any research workflow to ensure you get credit for your work.

3. **USE YOUR ORCID ID**
   Enhance your ORCID record with your professional information and link to your other identifiers (such as Scopus or ResearcherID or LinkedIn).

**ORCID in Practice.**

ORCID is being adopted by publishers, institutions, and funding agencies worldwide.

*The Office of Scientific and Technical Information has modified the E-Link and Announcement Notices to include ORCIDs.*

*The National Institutes of Health are embedding ORCIDs into grant application workflows.*

Elsevier is integrating ORCIDs into SciVal, Scopus, and its manuscript submission process.

**The ORCID:** 0000-0002-6550-5910

**ORCID Profile**

**Global ORCID Partners.**

Over 80 publishers, institutions, agencies, and organizations worldwide partner with ORCID and there are currently over 250,000 researchers with ORCIDs.

**ORCID at U-M.**

The University of Michigan Library is one of the first institutions worldwide to partner with ORCID to provide unique identifiers to U-M faculty members, researchers, and graduate students.

ORCIDs have been integrated into the University of Michigan’s institutional repository service, Deep Blue, and will be further integrated into web systems like U-M Experts and MCommunity in 2014.

Visit: [www.lib.umich.edu/orcid](http://www.lib.umich.edu/orcid)

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