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On October 16, 2012, the ORCID initiative was officially launched and began to issue its unique identifiers. In December of 2012, the UM MLibrary signed a "Basic" member license agreement with ORCID. The “Basic” membership allowed us to:

• create ORCID records for our faculty, librarians, and researchers,
• deposit to existing ORCID records, and
• employ various APIs (application program interfaces) along with the data that those APIs can access to perform tasks associated with an ORCID.
MLibrary renewed its ORCID contract through the Big Ten Academic Alliance (BTAA) in December of 2016. The consortial contract gives us "Premium" level membership allowing us, among other things, to:

• integrating ORCID IDs into multiple systems,
• use ORCID IDs in vendor-hosted systems and separate internal systems and,
• run analytics of the interactions between our systems and ORCID.
The Web Application

ORCID Research Identifier Management System

U-M researchers have two options to create an ORCID. Click this site for instructions on how to integrate an ORCID with your MyUAccount directory and identity management system for U-M. The other option is to go to https://orcid.org/login directly and either create a new ORCID username and password, or create a log in with your University of Michigan account. We recommend the second option, which links the University of Michigan account with the user's ORCID. To do so, click the Institutional Account tab and type in "University of Michigan" into the search box.

Sign in using your

- Personal account
- Institutional account

Sign in with an institutional account

Enter your organization's name

Continue

Allow me to pick from a list

Don't have an ORCID ID yet? Register now

Then enter your University of Michigan Kerberos Username and password, and accept the permissions list that pops up. After that, you will be able to edit personal information, add publications, a biography and educational information, and more.
Create an ORCID ID and Add it to MCommunity

- Create or Connect your ORCID ID
- Add it to your MCommunity profile.

ORCID IDs are unique identifiers used to ensure that your published research is accurately attributed to you. They are used worldwide by publishers, institutions, and funding agencies. We encourage all Michigan researchers to add their ORCID ID to their MCommunity profile by clicking the appropriate buttons above.

- MLibrary ORCID ID Initiative
- Managing Your Profile in the MCommunity Directory: Professional Information (ORCID ID)
- Questions? Send email to orcid-info@umich.edu

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Deep Blue Documents is the UM Library institutional repository that provides storage and preservation services for all UM affiliates to ensure the longevity of deposited materials. The ORCID identifier field was added in the Spring of 2013.

Deep Blue Data is a repository offered by the UM Library that provides access and preservation services for digital research data that were developed or used in the support of research activities at UM. All UM affiliates have a profile in Deep Blue Data and there is a field to add an ORCID to it. Once the ORCID is in a profile it will be added to every deposit.
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Email message to students reaching candidacy from the Rackham Graduate School’s Office of Academic Records and Dissertations (OARD).

“If you don’t already have an ORCID iD, we expect that you will register for one now....”

“If you already have an ORCID iD, please make sure that your iD is updated to include your @umich.edu email address.”
What is ORCID? And, how can it help you?
Authors, researchers and other scholars commonly find others sharing the same name. Winston Churchill, J. Janosky, and P. K. Mallick know named persons publishing in the same field as themselves. Publishers and funding agencies struggle with this ambiguity. Necessity is once again the mother of invention: an open, non-profit, international, community-driven effort has resulted in ORCID (Online Researcher and Contributor Identification), a registry of unique identifiers.
At its core, ORCID provides a unique number for any researcher, a number that can migrate with the researcher from one institution to another. Your name and the ID number become public. Optional, but useful, are the addition of employment history, research activities, grants, publications and other academic information. The owner of the ID can make any of these other categories private or public. Understandably, funding agencies and publishers are seizing the opportunity to reduce the confusion between authors and grant seekers. The Mardigian Library will be working with the academic departments to offer faculty members the opportunity to be registered in ORCID. Faculty members can “opt-out” or can register themselves at http://orcid.org. For more information, go to http://libguides.umich.edu/orcid. To have a presentation to your department, contact Bob Fraser at rfraser@umich.edu.
“[The] final PDF digital copy will be the copy of record and will be submitted to Deep Blue.... Effective Winter 2016, Deep Blue requires an ORCID number in order to submit the dissertation.”