

The University of Queensland (UQ) – ORCID Implementation

Project:

UQ Researcher Identifiers Application

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UQ Researcher Identifiers

UQ Researcher Identifiers (UQ login required) is an easy way for UQ researchers to create and manage the most commonly recognised identity tools in the scholarly community - ORCID, ResearcherID and Scopus Author Identifier - and link this to their UQ eSpace profile.

For more information visit:

http://guides.library.uq.edu.au/research_impact/author-identifiers

Source code to share

Our application uses a service oriented architecture, the front end code is available at the link below, however the backend code is private.

Source code link:

<https://github.com/uqlibrary/uqlapp-frontend/tree/master/frontend/app/scripts/modules/uql.id>

Systems that were included as part of the UQ ORCID implementation:

- UQ institutional repository eSpace (including details from the HR system)
- Systems and tools associated with UQ eSpace (including an author profiling application)
- Other UQ systems receive the linked ORCID via the Operational Data Store
- LDAP (IDs created and/or linked using the application are propagated into LDAP).

Stakeholders/groups from the organisation that were impacted or involved:

- UQ Library Project Board (to oversee the Project)
- UQ Library Technology Services (to develop the application)
- UQ Liaison Librarians (for outreach purposes)
- UQ ODVCR (for executive support)
- UQ ITS (once the application was functional).

Organisational policy impacts/changes:

At this stage there has been no impact to policy, but every effort is being made to ensure that UQ researchers are encouraged to create and/or link their ORCID at all relevant points throughout the research lifecycle.

Effective communication channels for researchers:

- UQ Research & Innovation email newsletter (which usually has information related to grant rounds and funding opportunities that researchers subscribe to)
- UQ Update electronic newsletter
- Inclusion in relevant email communication from DVCR
- Emails to UQ Research Administrators Network
- Use of liaison librarian network and “word of mouth”.

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