

# HOW TO SETUP AN ORCID ID

1. Navigate to [orcid.org](https://orcid.org)
2. Click Sign in/Register in the upper right hand corner

The screenshot shows the ORCID website homepage. At the top left is the ORCID logo with the tagline "Connecting research and researchers". At the top right, there is a "Sign in / Register" button and a language dropdown menu set to "English". Below this is a search bar with the placeholder text "Search the ORCID registry...". A navigation menu includes links for "ABOUT", "FOR RESEARCHERS", "MEMBERSHIP", "DOCUMENTATION", "RESOURCES", "NEWS & EVENTS", and "SIGN IN". The main content area features a dark blue header with the text "ORCID is for..." followed by a horizontal menu of categories: "Researchers", "Universities & Research Institutes", "Publishers", "Vendors & Service Providers", "Government & Policy Makers", and "Funders & Facilities". Below this is a paragraph explaining that ORCID is a free, unique, persistent identifier (PID) for individuals, with a link to "Learn more". To the right of the text is a cartoon illustration of a woman with dark hair and earrings. At the bottom of the main content area are two icons: a person icon and a laptop icon.

3. Choose “Sign in through your institution”

## Sign in to ORCID

Don't have your ORCID ID yet? [Register now](#)

**Email or ORCID ID**

For example: [joe@institution.edu](mailto:joe@institution.edu) or 0000-1234-5678-9101

**Password**

**Sign in to ORCID**

[Forgot your password or ORCID ID?](#)

OR



Sign in through your institution

4. Type in “University of Wisconsin-Madison” under Organization:

OR

Organization

University of Wisconsin-Madison ×

**Continue**

[Cancel institutional sign in](#)

5. Click Continue

6. Click “Sign in and link your University of Wisconsin-Madison account”

7. This will take you to the NetID login page. Click login and the ORCID will connect to your UW account.