ORCID at BC

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Create on Demand application

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ORCID at BC will allow you to create an ORCID ID and link it to your Boston College Eagle ID in the University’s Identity management system.

What is an ORCID ID, and why would I want one?

ORCID makes your work more visible by providing a persistent digital identifier that distinguishes you from other researchers. Your ORCID ID can ensure that all of your work is attributed to you and help others find it all with a single click. Registration is quick, simple, and free. You will be able to log-in with your BC credentials and control the privacy settings in your profile.

Why connect my new or existing ORCID to my BC ID?

Having an ORCID saves you time! You can import citations to your Faculty Annual Report within Data180, avoiding manual entry of data. Connecting the ORCID ID to your BC identity helps Boston College accurately identify the University’s scholarly output for institutional benchmarking and record-keeping.

Find out more at ORCID at BC, or ask your subject librarian for assistance.

For technical support, please contact orcid.support@bc.edu
Why we did it

• All the benefits of ORCID (name disambiguation, claiming works, visibility, publication submission etc.)
• NERL opportunity (January 2016)
• Link the BC ID to the ORCID ID in our database
• Write-back of BC employment or education to the ORCID profile
• More accurate publication data in Faculty Annual Reports
• Follow our graduate students’ careers
Implementations

• Faculty Annual Report
Department

Educational Leadership & Higher Education

PUBLICATIONS

Proquest submission of ETDs

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Critical Partners

• Provost
  • Creating advance buy-in with faculty/Deans
  • Smoothing the way with ITS
  • Adding to the faculty annual report
  • Promotion to faculty by announcement/endorsement

• ITS
  • Creating the application and database
  • Creating the reporting module
  • Adding to Profile pages
Promotion

• Advance
  • Newsletter articles, blog posts
  • Presentations to subject librarians
  • Presentations to PhD symposia, workshops for dissertation submission
  • Presentations to Council of Deans, Provost Advisory Council, faculty data committee, faculty technology group, Integrated science group, Office for Sponsored Programs

• Roll-out (May 3, 2017)
  • Message from the Provost, University Librarian, Head of ITS
  • Subject liaison email to all departments
Adoption reports

### ORCID Faculty Adoption Summary

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Promotion

Plans for the fall

• New grad students: newsletter, orientation presentation, handout to all grad students and departmental orientations

• New faculty: orientation presentation, sign-up table at orientation, handout to all new faculty

• All faculty: presentations at faculty meetings with subject liaisons and scholarly communication librarian
Challenges

• Better integration of our own application
• Persuasion of grad students and faculty

Another thing to do!