



Knowledge Exchange –

Working with Persistent Identifiers:

Focus on recommendations to research stakeholders, universities, & researchers

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- Why is a national PID policy so crucial?
- What is the role of research performing organisations?
- How can researchers get involved?
- More useful recommendations

Why is a national PID policy so crucial?

A1. Key stakeholders (research funders, national libraries, research-performing organisations and cross-disciplinary research supporting infrastructures) to discuss the national PID implementation strategy

A2. Define a PID strategy including all identifiers that are prioritized and explain their purposes (e.g. documents, people, instruments, datasets) and how they interact with systems

A3. Form national-level governance instruments, e.g. a PID Advisory Board

A4. Stay informed regarding initiatives to create new PIDs and be aware of their socio-technical circumstances

A5. Benchmark with other national PID strategies and take part in international forums addressing this topic

A6. Communicate!

What is the role of universities?

- D1. Stay tuned with the national PID policy
- D2. Define your own institutional PID policy as a reflection of the national policy and stress specifics
- D3. Help the local researchers understand and use PIDs through training sessions
- D4. Implement PIDs within your own current research information systems (CRIS) and institutional repositories
- D5. Be aware of technical PIDs that can emerge from researchers communities initiatives
- D6. Get to know the players, e.g. PID service providers and their specifics

How can researchers get involved?

- E1. Get your PID! Register with ORCID, check your ISNI! Monitor the associated metadata
- E2. Follow funders', publishers' and institutional requirements
- E3/E4. Stay informed about emerging PIDs in your field of research
- E5. Apply the PID policy of your institution

More useful recommendations

A series of recommendations is available in the full report

To 8 categories of stakeholders: research funders, PID service providers, publishers, PID federation, Knowledge Exchange



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