



AUSTRALIAN
ACCESS FEDERATION

Experts in
Trust & Identity

Trust & Identity for Australian research and education



Australian Access Federation

Australia's trust and identity experts

The Australian Access Federation (AAF) is the national capability delivering trust and identity services. Established in 2009 the AAF facilitates trusted connection and collaboration between education and research institutions, nationally and internationally.

We deliver quality technologies, services and expertise that include:



Federation

Australia's national authentication service for research and education.

The Federation delivers world-class single sign-on that allows individuals across organisational boundaries to collaborate and access online resources within a trusted environment.

It is a globally connected service consisting of a trust framework of technology and policy.



ORCID Consortium Lead

AAF operates the Australian ORCID consortium.

ORCID is a persistent identifier (an ORCID ID) that researchers own and control, distinguishing them from every other researcher.

In Australia the Consortium provides licencing for a sector wide ORCID licence and local support that



Consulting and Training Services

Providing bespoke support to AAF subscribers in meeting their identity and access management needs.



VerifID GLOBAL

A privacy preserving solution to verify that a person has a current student or staff relationship with an Australian university or research organisation.

A connected research ecosystem

We're connecting national research infrastructure through a shared understanding of a digital identity

We're partnering with national research infrastructures (NRI) to build a system-wide approach to identity and access management, which will improve connectivity across the NRI ecosystem. Researchers will be able to login once, have their identity verified and seamlessly access resources across organisational boundaries to collaborate.

Benefits

The implementation of a national Trust and Identity Framework will benefit researchers, industry and government.



Easier access to national research infrastructure through seamless services

Creating a more researcher centric NRI ecosystem that reduces the time and complexity for researchers to access multiple services.



Easier access to international research infrastructure

Working in step with global best practice developments in interoperability and collaboration.



A connected NRI ecosystem for better industry collaboration

Partnering with industry and global identity providers to build and implement the next generation of T&I solutions.



A safer and more secure NRI ecosystem

Ensuring the safety and security of our national assets by protecting them against cyber security risks.

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