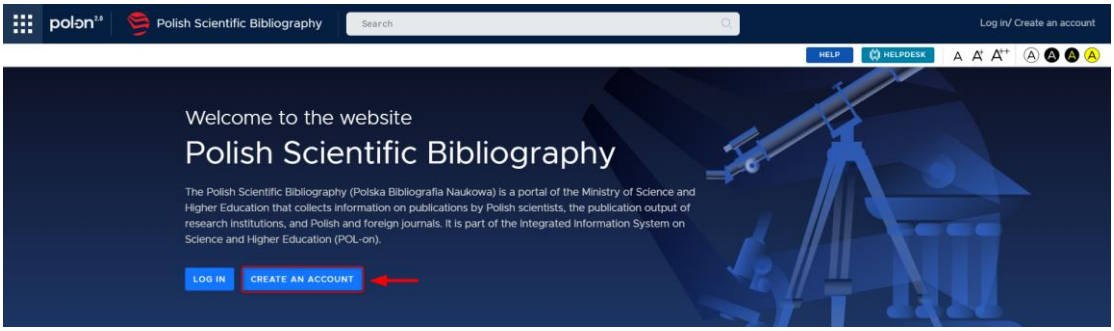
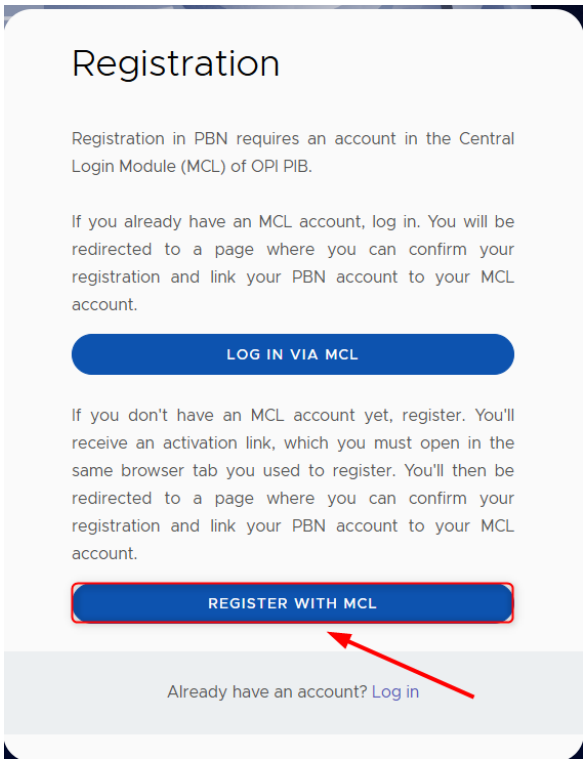
Guide to linking a PBN account to ORCID and POL-on

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2. Creating an ORCID account
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4. Linking a PBN account to POL-on

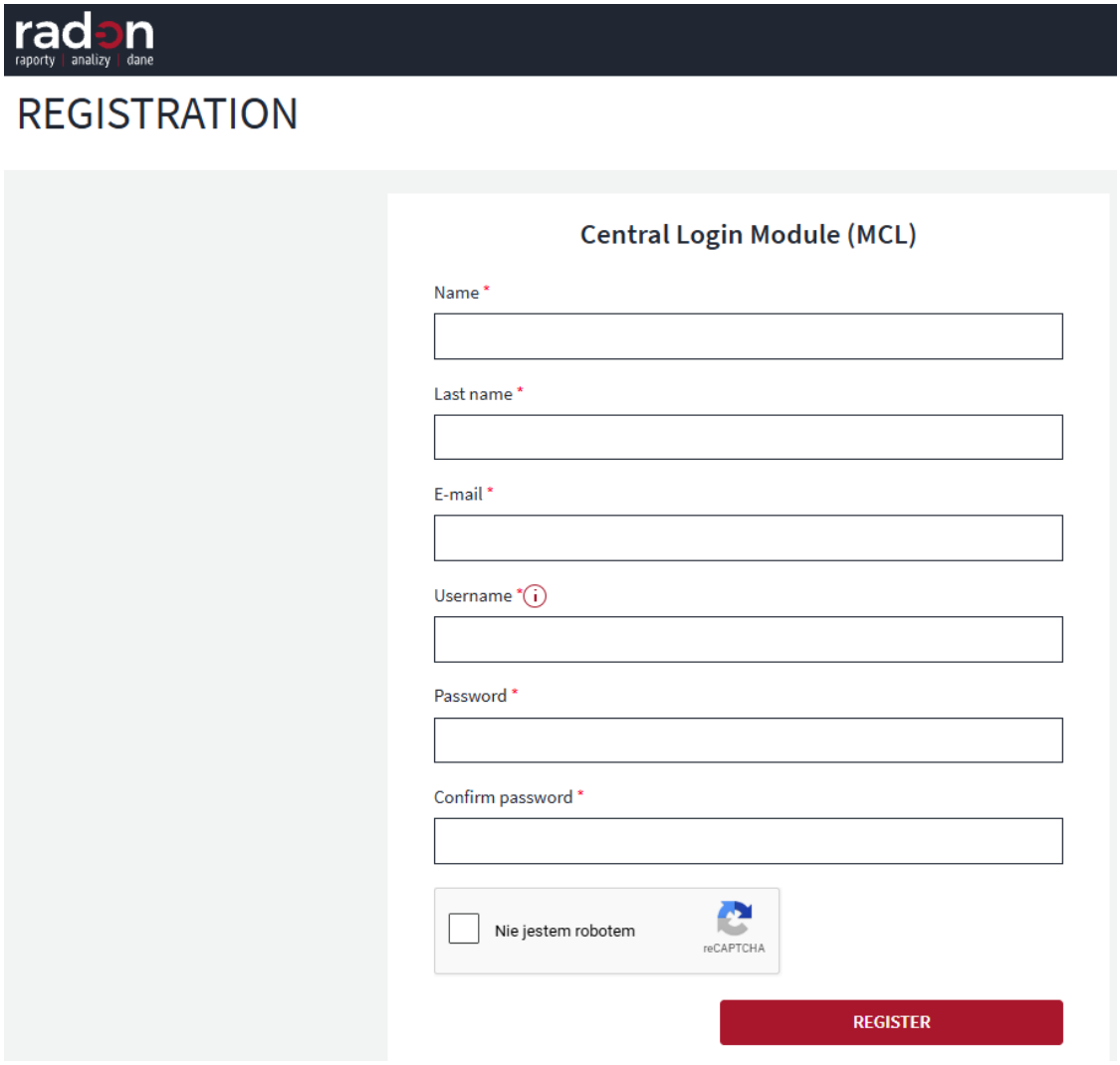
1. Creating a PBN account

1) Visit the Polish Scientific Bibliography website: https://pbn.nauka.gov.pl
2) Click **"Register with MCL"**





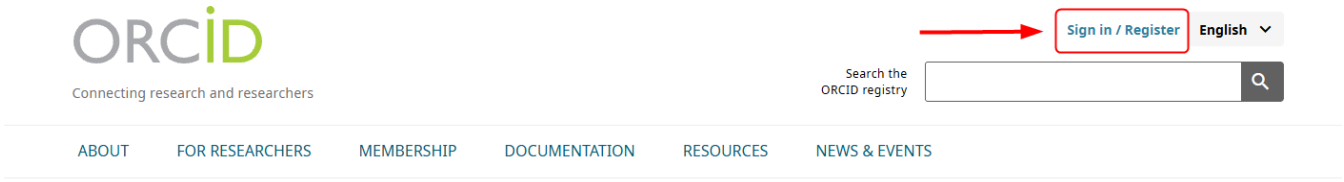
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    a. first name, surname
    b. email (work email in the usz.edu.pl domain)
    c. password



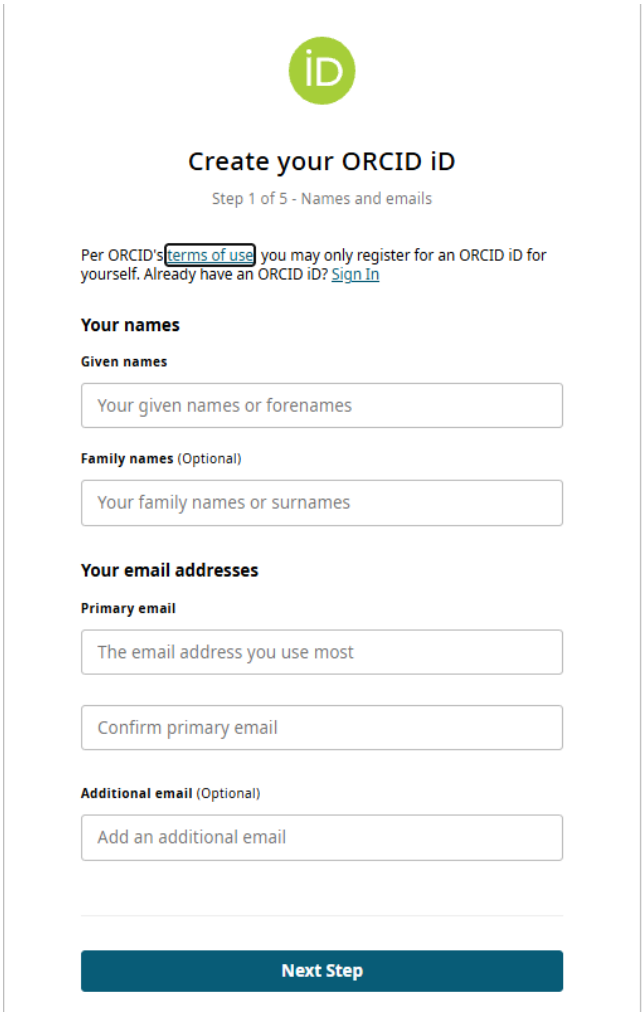
4) Tick the required consent boxes (GDPR, terms and conditions)
5) Click **"Register"**
6) Confirm registration via the link in the email and activate your account

2. Creating an ORCID account

1) Visit the ORCID website (https://orcid.org/)
2) Click **"Register"**



3) Complete the form:
    a. first name, surname
    b. email (work email in the usz.edu.pl domain)
    c. password

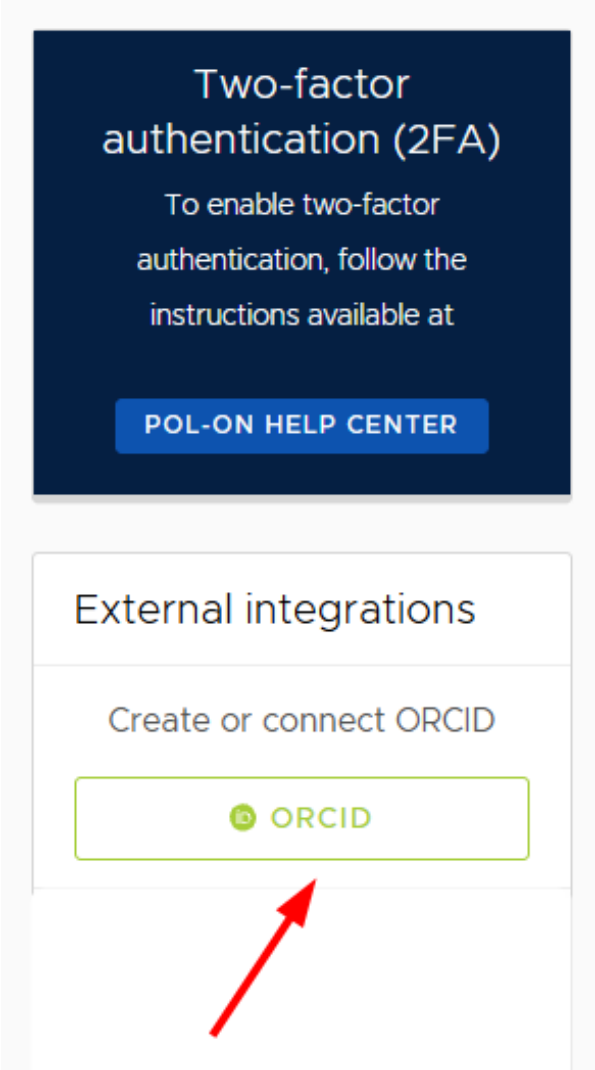


4) Set data visibility (recommended: Everyone)
5) Tick the consent boxes
6) Click **"Register"**
7) Confirm your account via email

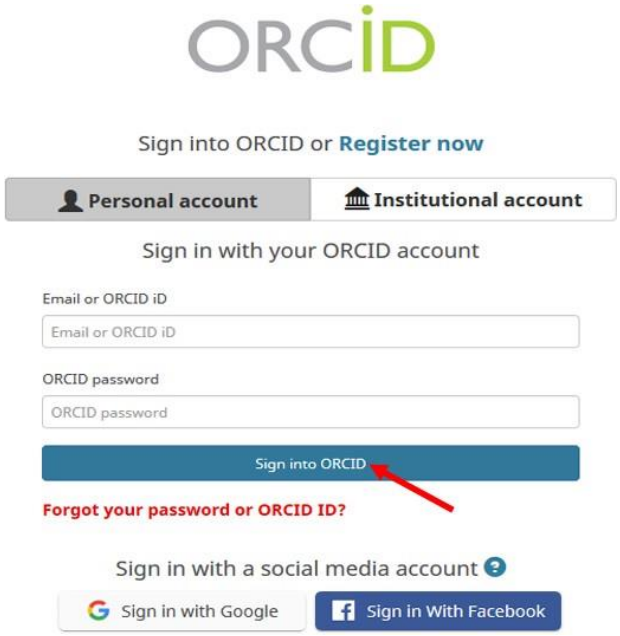
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3. Linking a PBN account to ORCID

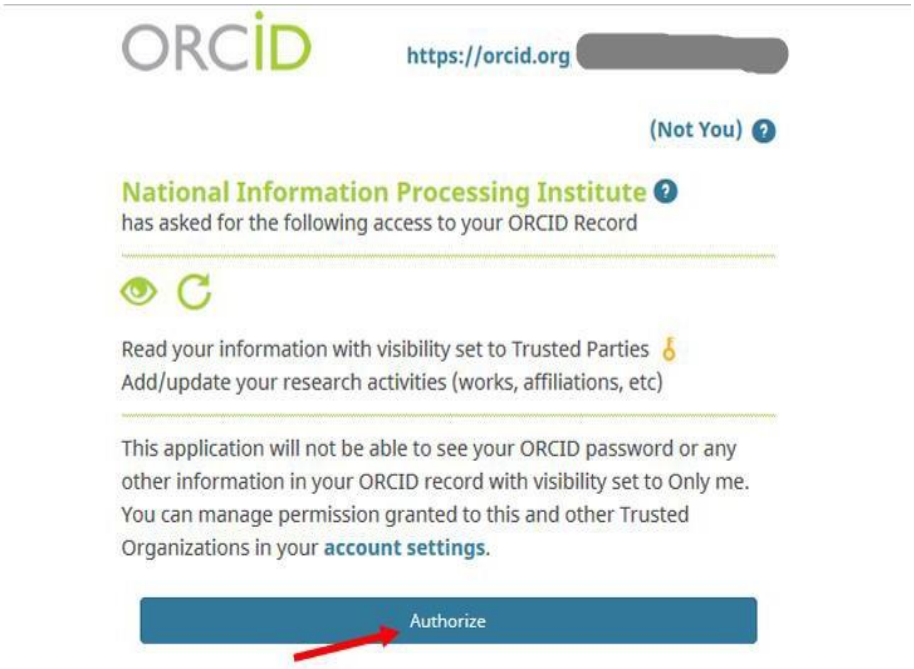
1) Log in to PBN
2) Go to your author profile
3) Click **"Connect to ORCID"**



4) You will be redirected to ORCID



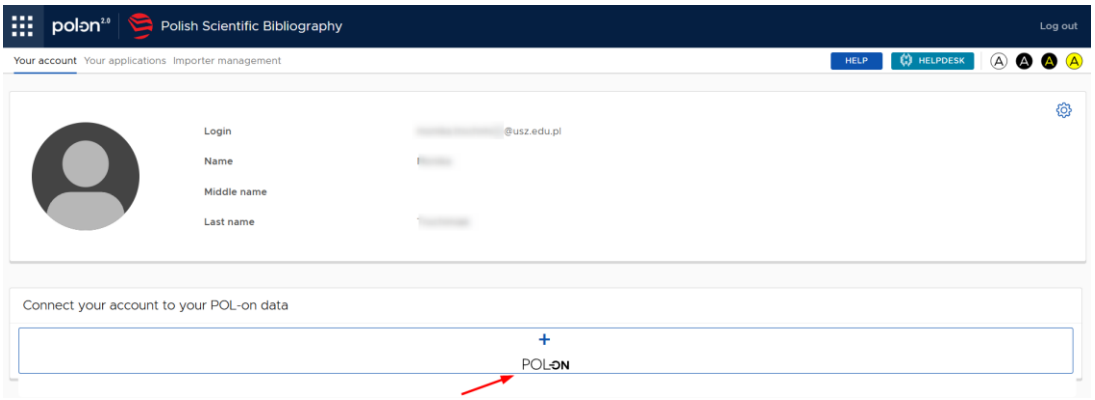
5) Log in and click **"Authorize"**



6) After authorizing, you will return to PBN - the accounts will be linked

4. Linking a PBN account to POL-on

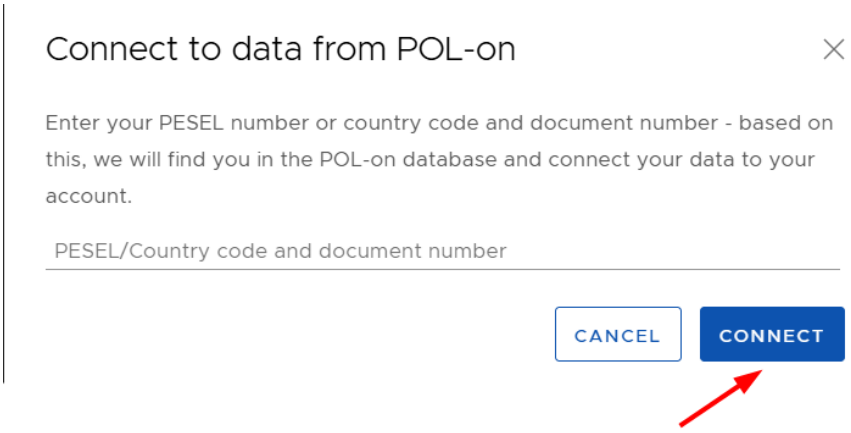
1) In "Your account" in the PBN system, click **"Connect your account to your POL-on data".**



2) Enter your PESEL number and click **"Connect".**

A window will appear on the screen where you must enter your PESEL number (or your identity document number* if you are a foreign national without a PESEL number) and then click the "CONNECT" button.

* You must enter the two-letter code of the country that issued the document, followed immediately (without any spaces) by the document number, exactly as it was entered into the POL-on system. For example, if the document was issued by "Germany" and the document number in POL-on is "123xyx123", you should enter "DE123xyx123" into the field.



If the PESEL number is entered correctly and the person's data is present in the POL-on system, the identification process will be successful, and the user profile will contain data retrieved from the POL-on system.

Common mistakes to avoid

- using different email addresses in ORCID and PBN
- not confirming your account via email
- not clicking "Authorize" in ORCID
- different spellings of your surname (e.g. with and without Polish diacritics)