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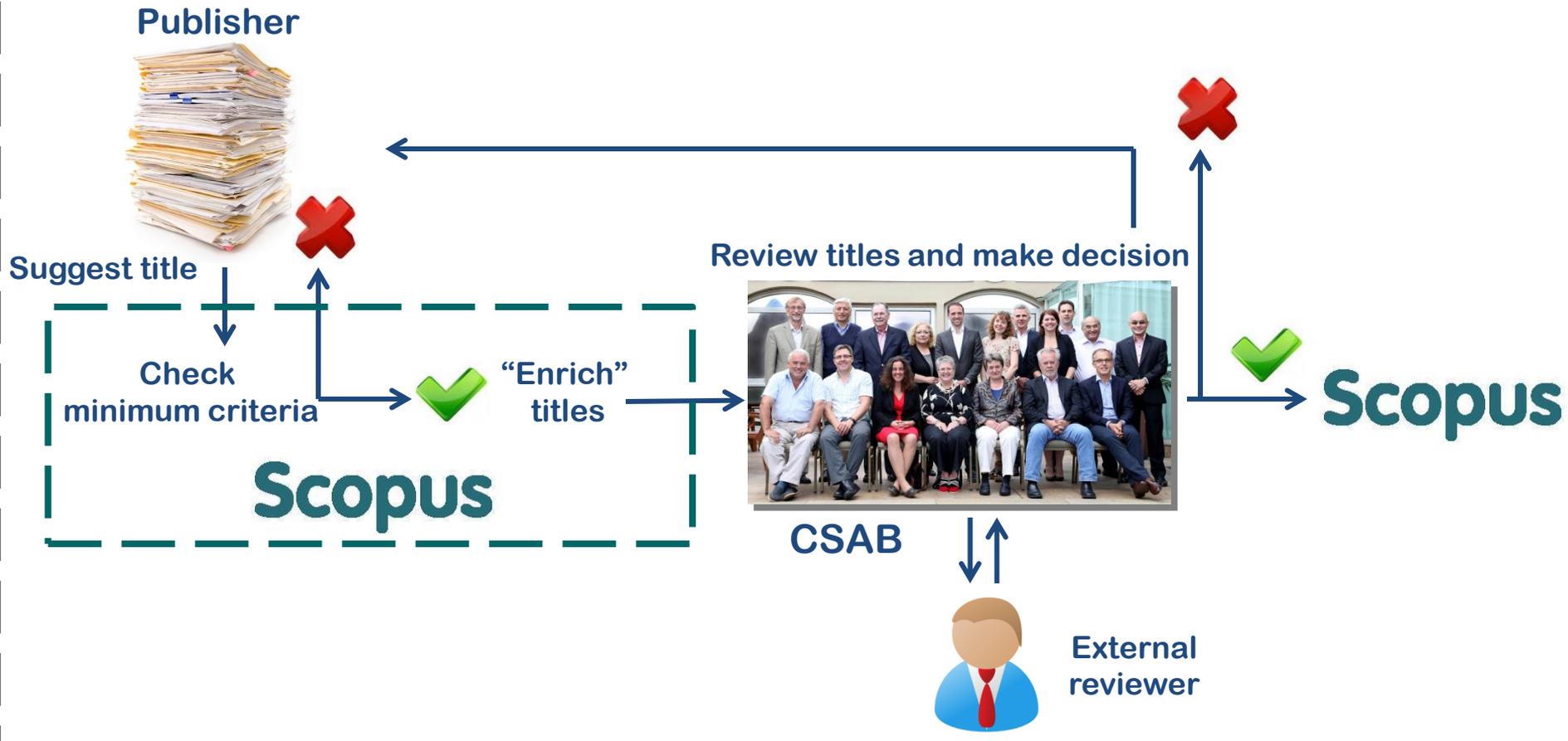
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# Scopus title evaluation process

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## Minimum criteria

- Peer-review
- English abstracts
- Regular publication
- References in Roman script
- Publication ethics statement

<b>Journal policy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Convincing editorial concept/policy</li><li>• Level of peer-review</li><li>• Diversity in geographic distribution of editors</li><li>• Diversity in geographic distribution of authors</li></ul>
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# The Challenge: Scholarly Name Ambiguity

Many researchers that too closely resemble one another.

Researchers publish under name variations.



**Dr. Lee**

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**Dr. Lee**

**Dr. Lee**

**Dr. J. Lee**

**Dr. James Lee**

# The Solution: The ORCID Registry

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## Open Research and Contributor ID (ORCID)

Aims to solve the name ambiguity problem in research and scholarly communications by creating a central registry of unique identifiers for individual researchers

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# The (Future) Benefits of ORCID

By issuing unique identifiers to all researchers, ORCID aims to facilitate discovery and evaluation for researchers, institutions, scholarly societies and publishers.



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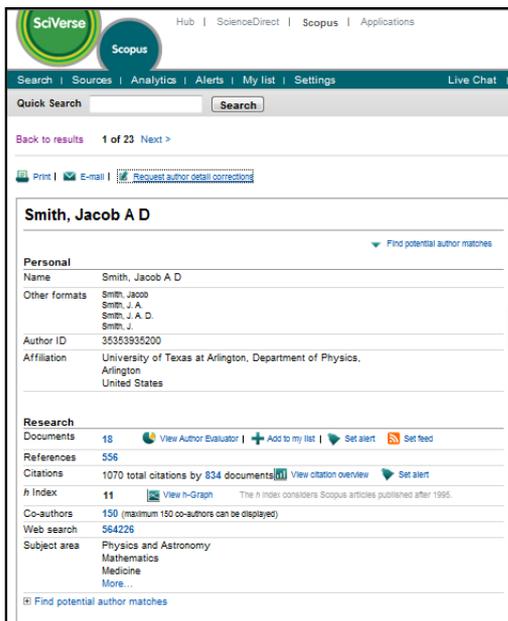
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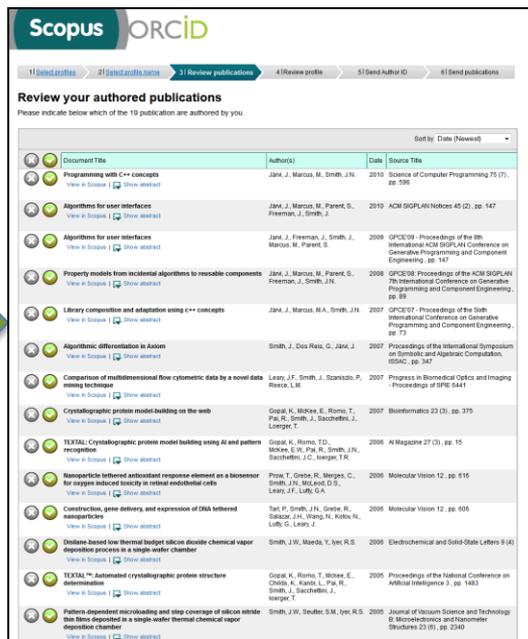
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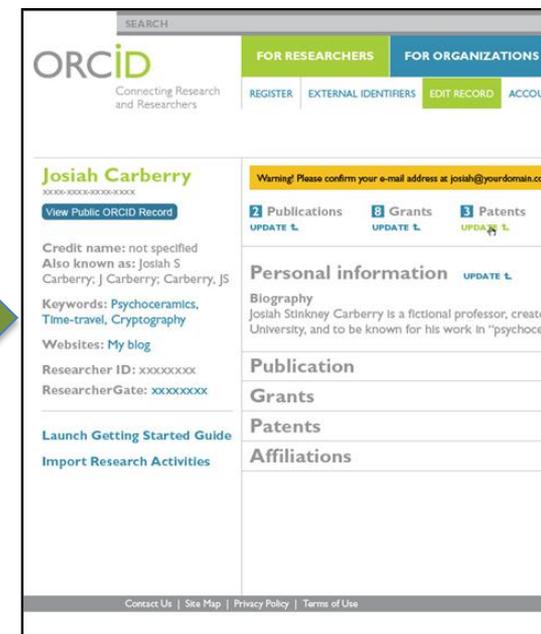
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# Which metric to use?

1. What **level** am I assessing?
  - Article, Journal, Researcher, Institution, etc.
2. What **type** of impact am I assessing?
  - Scientific, Clinical, Societal, Educational, etc.
3. What **methods** are available based on above?
  - **Quantitative**: citation, usage, media, h-index, SNIP, SJR, etc.
  - Qualitative: Peer-review, etc.

**Bibliometrics** (quantitative measures used to assess research output)

Basic premise = **Citation is a form of endorsement**

Bibliometricians agree that **no single metric can effectively capture the entire spectrum of research performance** because no single metric can address all key variables

## About SJR

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