### IRUS US Community

**Goal:** Platform independent COUNTER-conformant usage statistics for institutional repositories

**Benefits:**
- Standards based usage statistics
- Ability to benchmark against peers
- OA platform that allows all stakeholders (authors, institutions, funding agencies) to independently access usage statistics

**More Information:** [IRUS US Community Page](#)

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### DataCite US Community

**Goal:** Enable use of DOIs to make research & scholarly content more FAIR (Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, & Reusable)

**Benefits:**
- Create DOIs for local resources
- Membership cost sharing
- Dedicated support
- Community of practice

**More Information:** [DataCite US Community Page](#)

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### ORCID US Community

**Goal:** Uniquely identify researchers and link them to their contributions across different systems

**Benefits:**
- Disambiguate researchers using a unique persistent identifier
- Connects researchers to their contributions via APIs
- Membership cost sharing
- Dedicated support & community of practice

**More Information:** [ORCID US Community Page](#)

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