Profiles
A Research Networking Platform

B- Creating your RTRN Profile and Joining an RTRN Cluster

Part 2 of 2: Editing your profile and completing the registration process

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Disruptive Paradigm Shift

Challenges and Barriers

- Lack of scientist directory
- Lack of resource database
- Incomplete inventory of research projects and grants
- Limited IT infrastructure
- Scarcity of funded investigators research
- Geographic separation and time-zone differences
- Deeply entrenched silo-science research culture
- Poor familiarity with translational science spectrum
- Competing priorities and over-committed faculty
A- Creating Your RTRN Profile and Joining an RTRN Cluster

Step A1. Go to the RTRN website at www.rtrn.net

Step A2. Click on RTRN PROFILES button

Profiles Research Network Software is:

- Open source tool, customizable
- Self-populated database of:
  - Publications history
  - Research interests
  - Professional relationships
- Linked to Research Resources
- Integrated with Direct2Experts National Network
- Makes suggestions of RFAs and FOAs
- Integrated visualization and search tools
Step B1. Next, you will need to enter your institution, username and password, then click “Login”.
Notice you are in edit mode

Click on the blue arrow to expand the basic information section

Click on Edit to upload your photo

All the basic information you entered previously from step A6 to A9 is now in edit mode. Review and complete missing fields.

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Information to be entered, part 2/2:
1. Affiliations,
2. Awards and honors,
3. Narrative,
4. Mentorship,
5. Online resources,
6. Programs and Memberships
7. Publications

If you are affiliated or hold other positions in more than one division, department within your institution or you are affiliated with other Universities, please enter them in this section
In this section you enter a summary statement of your education, training, and professional career. Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows are encouraged to use this section to list synopses of the projects they worked on present. This is your window to the rest of the RCMI network. Make it work for you. Click save when done. Please update this section whenever there are changes or new activities.
Mentorship

Edit Mentoring

Enter your mentoring statement, list of roles, contact information, availability date, and your preferred methods of mentoring. For mentoring roles and contact information fields, enter one value per line to create a list.

Mentoring Statement:

Mentoring Roles: I am not available for mentorship

I am not available for mentorship

I am available to mentor as:

I am looking for mentors with:

Contact Information for Mentoring:

Preferred Methods of Mentoring:

- EMAIL
- IN PERSON
- ONLINE MEETINGS (e.g., GO TO MEETING OR SKYPE)
- PHONE

Save | Cancel
Online Resources

Add New Resource(s)

Enter the resource name and URL, or upload a file. Both fields are required. Maximum file size is 5MB, and maximum allowed storage is 50MB.

NOTE: Please do not upload files that contain sensitive, confidential, or private information; as the file will be accessible by the public.

Name *

URL *

Choose File  No file chosen

Save and add another  Save and Close  Close
In this section you specify if you are a mentor or a mentee and select which RTRN program you are part of. Complete your selections and click save.
7 Publications

7a- Add PubMed (Search PubMed and add multiple articles.)
7b- Add by ID (Add one or more articles using codes, e.g., PubMed ID.)
7c- Add Custom (Enter your own publication using an online form.)
7d- Delete (Remove multiple publications from your profile.)
Publications

7a- Add PubMed (Search PubMed and add multiple articles.)

Search PubMed
- Enter author, affiliation or keyword in the field below.
  - Author(s) (One per line)
  - Affiliation Optional
  - Keyword Optional
- Or you can also search by an arbitrary PubMed query in the field below.
  - Query

☑ Exclude articles already added to my profile.

Search | Reset | Close
Publications

7b- Add by ID (Add one or more articles using codes, e.g., PubMed ID.)

Enter one or more PubMed ID

(Separated by comma or semicolon, or one ID per line)

Save | Close
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Auto-populated sections

**NIH Awarded Grants**

Research projects funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA):

1. 2015  RCMC-Center for Environmental Health  5G12MD007386-18  ↓
2. 2014  RCMC-Center for Environmental Health  5G12MD007361-17  ↓
3. 2013  RCMC-Center for Environmental Health  2G12MD007350-10  ↓
4. 2011  ADMINISTRATION FOR CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH  5G12RR013460-14  ↓
5. 2010  ADMINISTRATION FOR CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH  5G12RR013460-13  ↓
6. 2000  ADMINISTRATION FOR CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH  5G12RR013460-12  ↓
7. 2004  CORE-MS ERIN JESU CELLMICS FACILIT  2P20RR018478-04  ↓

**Research Resources**

- Analytical Core Laboratory
- Celloomics and Toxicogenomics Research Core Laboratory
- Environmental Toxicology Core Lab
- Molecular and Cellular Biology Core Laboratory

**Funding Opportunities**

Browse active NIH & NSF funding opportunities, requests for applications (RFAs), and program announcements (PAs):

- DNA Damage
- Environmental Health
- Humans
- Oxidative Stress
- Oxides

These 3 sections are automatically populated by profiles. Profiles internal algorithms use your RePORTER ID and Medical Subject Headings MeSH terms derived from your publications to fetch your NIH awarded grants, the research resources that are registered under your account in eagle-i and finally presents you with suggestions on the applicable NIH RFAs and Funding Opportunities Announcements (FOAs) based on your profiles research of interest.