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Visibility of the Lithuanian Researchers in a World-Wide Academic Society: Is There a Need for Self-Expression?

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ABSTRACT

Digital technologies and the Internet have fundamentally changed the principles and means of communication of the academic society. It comes as no surprise that information about research, its findings and other activities of active researchers are announced, discussed and evaluated in an interactive way. With an endless number of users, it has become difficult to distinguish specific participants of a communication act in order to identify their well-rounded activities as precisely as possible. Centralized systems have recently been developed which enable researchers to form an integral picture of their activities out of numerous pieces announced during their research years. This speech is going to review existing systems, new perspectives and the participation of the Lithuanian researchers in them.