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ORCID Community: KG Initiative

Objectives and Goals

The ORCID Community: KG Initiative aims to:

- Unite researchers across Kyrgyzstan through ORCID registration

- Improve researchers' visibility

- Conduct seminars at 35 universities, engaging 600 scientists

- Provide online and offline support for scholars in Kyrgyz Republic

- Promotion of ORCID through social media and academic community nets

Project Phases

The project will be implemented in three main phases:

1. Organizational Phase (Q1 - Q2):

   - Develop training materials in Kyrgyz and Russian

   - Establish agreements with 35 universities

   - Form a pool of mentors

2. Seminar Phase (Q3 - Q4):

   - Deliver seminars across universities

   - Facilitate ORCID registration

3. Final Phase (Q4):

   - Submit reports and updates

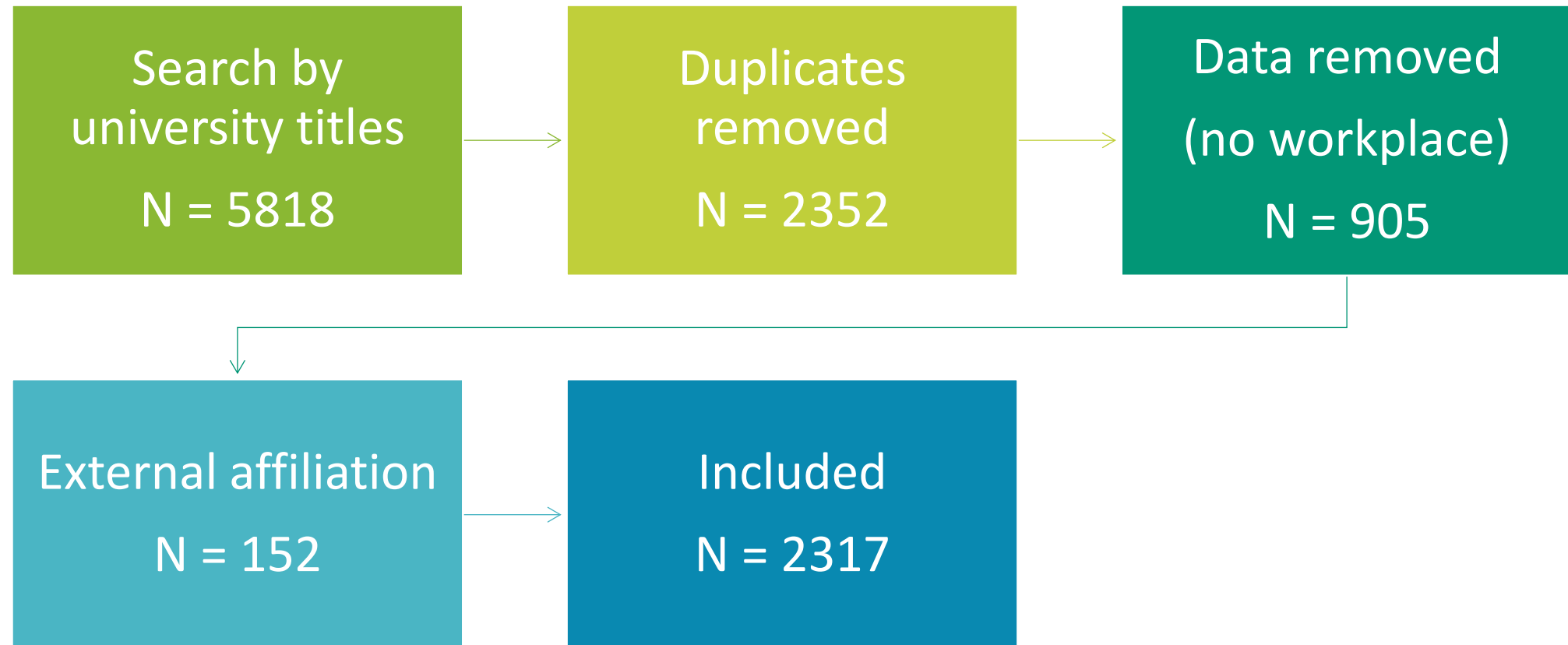   - Organize a final conference to present outcomes

Expected Results

By the end of the project, we expect to achieve the following results:

- 600 researchers registered with ORCID

- Increased visibility of Kyrgyz researchers

- Strengthened academic community in Kyrgyzstan through ORCID community initiatives

- Enhanced global collaboration and recognition of Kyrgyz universities

ORCID Stats Kyrgyz Republic (open data)

Search by university titles

N = 5818

Duplicates removed

N = 2352

Data removed (no workplace)

N = 905

External affiliation

N = 152

Included

N = 2317

ORCID Stats Kyrgyz Republic (Baseline - 2317)

Top 20 universities	#ORCID ID
Kyrgyz National University named after Jusup Balasagyn	342
Kyrgyz National Agrarian University named after K I Skryabin	254
Kyrgyz State Medical Academy named after I.K.Akhunbaev	220
Kyrgyz State Technical University named after Iskhak Razzakov	181
Kyrgyz-Türkish Manas Üniversity	165
International Higher School of Medicine	157
Kyrgyz-Russian Slavic University named after B.N. Yeltsin	106
American University of Central Asia	97
International University of Kyrgyzstan	78
Bishkek Humanities University named after K Karasaev	77
Osh State University	71
International Atatürk-Alatoo University	53
Kyrgyz State University named after I Arabaev	41
Osh Technological University named after. M. Adyshev	40
Issyk-Kul State University named after K Tynystanov	37
National Academy of Science of Kyrgyz Republic	36
Kyrgyz University of Economics named after M. Ryskulbekov	34
Batken State University	21
University of Central Asia	20
Academy of Public Administration under the President of the KR	16

Online interview (56 participants)

1. Early career researchers and PhD students - 39%

Early career researchers value practical advice on how to properly register with ORCID and step-by-step instructions on how to integrate ORCID with other academic platforms.

2. Experienced professors and PhD students - 35%

It is important for them to save time and see how their publications are cited.

3. Academic supervisors and university administrators - 14%

Universities and research institutions want their staff and PhD students to register with ORCID, but lack the resources.

4. Researchers - 6%

They are looking for consulting that will help them build an academic career at the international level and ensure their integration into the global scientific community.

5. Private research and consulting companies - 6%

Companies engaged in scientific research or providing consulting services need to understand how ORCID can increase their credibility and trust among partners and clients.

Target Audience

This project targets the following groups:

1. Young researchers and PhD students – those beginning their academic careers and in need of visibility and support.

2. Experienced professors – academics with established portfolios who need to organize and manage their publications.

3. University administrators – leaders focused on increasing their institutions' global ranking through improved publication visibility.

Why not?

Administration: Postgraduates and young scientists are overloaded with their research and academic commitments. "It would be better to work on articles than fill out endless questionnaires."

1. "It's too complicated and unclear", "Why do I need this? What is ORCID, and why should I waste time on this if I already have deadlines to meet?"

2. "I don't have time to figure out all these databases!"

3. "I have a lot of articles, and I can't remember where and what was published."

4. "Why is this so difficult if I've been working for so many years?" "I've been working in science for a long time, why do I need this anymore?«

5. "The faculty has such a high workload. If we also conduct this training, what will it give?"

Barriers from previous training, which included a session on ORCID registration:

"ORCID is all in English, and although I understand the basics, all these terms and instructions seem complicated to me. I am constantly afraid of misunderstanding something or missing an important step. I am not sure that I will be able to correctly fill in all the information and link my works."

"I know how to use a computer, but as soon as it comes to ORCID, you need to add everything manually, some links... and if my articles are not indexed in Scopus or Crossref? How do I even enter them there?"

Participants need to have free time (at least 3 hours), a computer, all docs must be at hand (details of articles, places of work, periods of study, etc.)

AI assistant

- Trained AI assistant on ORCID data.

- Available 24/7.

- Could answer questions in any language, tested in Kyrgyz, Kazakh and Uzbek.

Limitation: only 10% of instructors have a chatGPT account.

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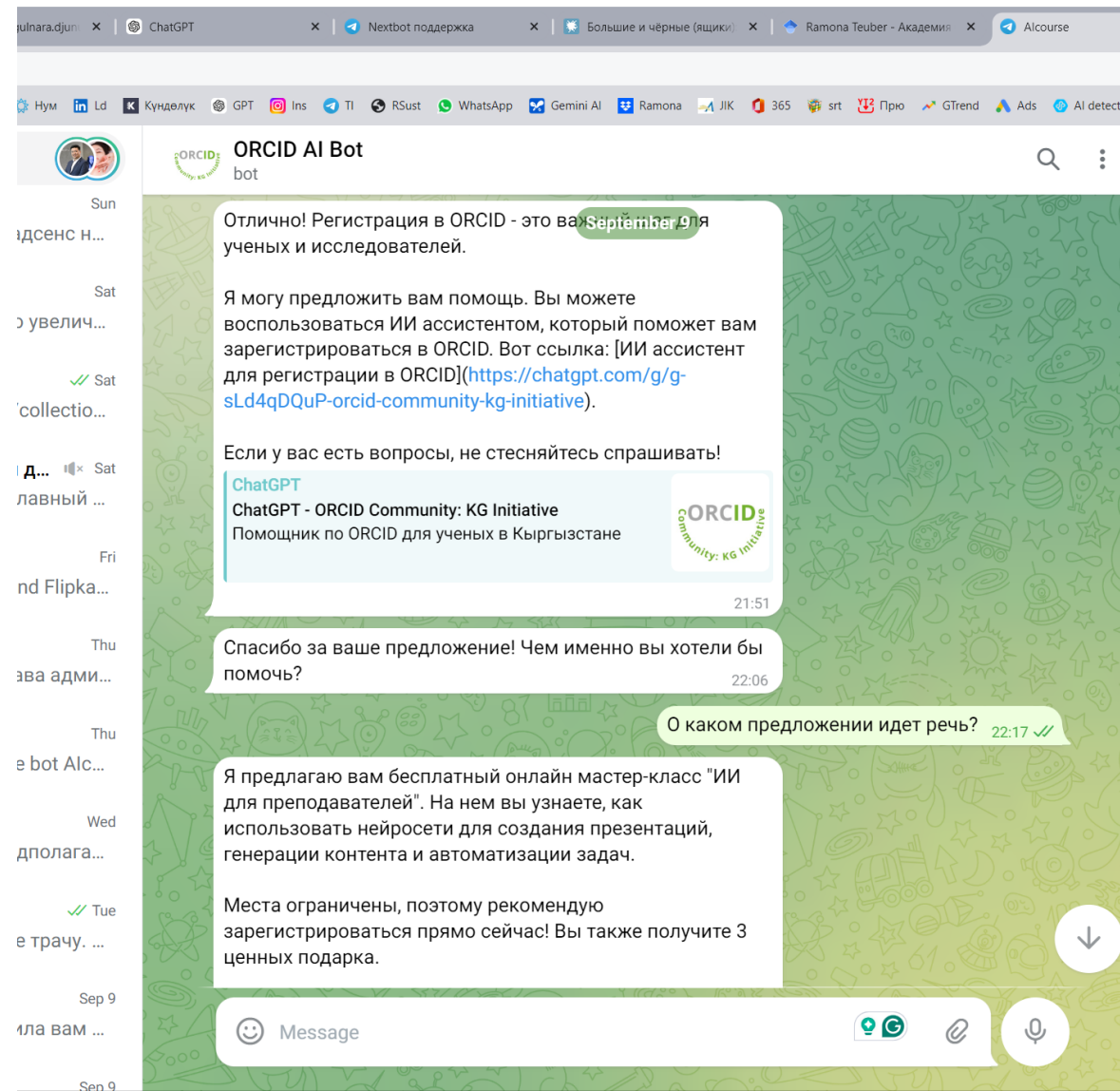
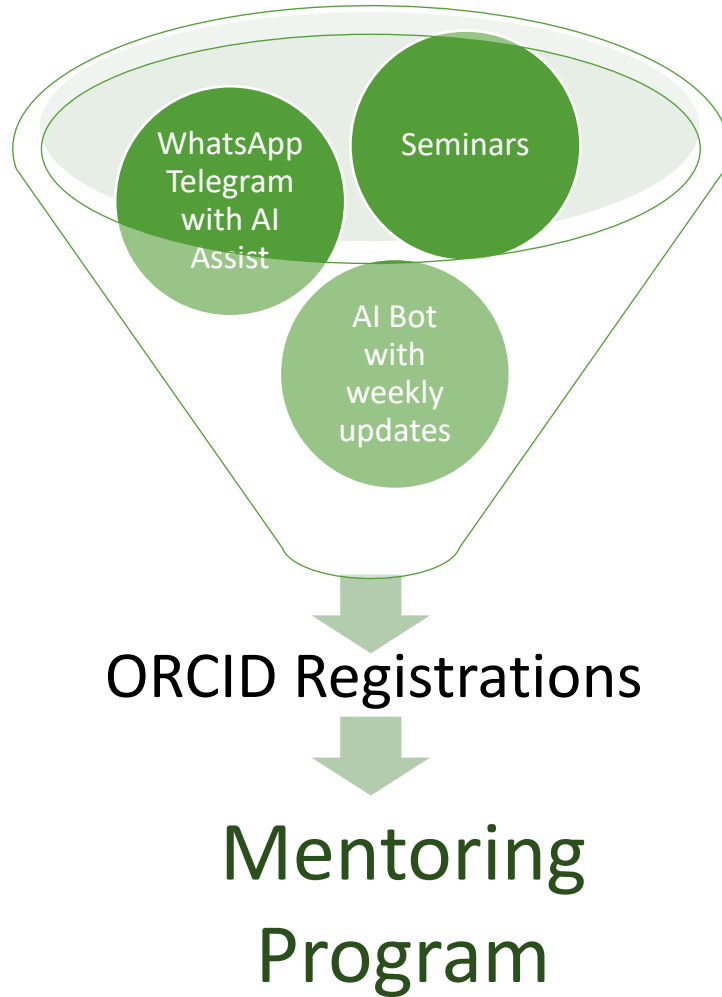ORCID Community: KG Initiative

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Помощник по ORCID для ученых в Кыргызстане

ORCID AI Bot

- NextBot platform allows to use automation of the individual consultation process and updates. In the Telegram bot, any participant at any time, in any language, can request help from the AI assistant on registration issues in ORCID. The AI assistant will offer answers to questions and instructional videos. And also in a convenient format, translate any requested text from local languages into English if required.

ORCID AI Bot

- For 25 online trainings, course materials in Russian and Kyrgyz will be supported as video instructions uploaded on YouTube.

- Remote support will be implemented through a WhatsApp group and Telegram bot supported by AI Assistant.