

# Compete as an International Scholar

## Framing Questions

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### Communicating About Your Research Online

- ✓ Do you have an ORCID? Do you understand what an ORCID is and why it is important?
- ✓ Are **you** easy to find online? What happens when you Google your name? Do you have a webpage at your Faculty/Department that contains your brief biography? Do you have a LinkedIn page, GoogleScholar profile, or a ResearchGate profile? Why do you think it is important that your contact information be made available to the world at this point in your career?
- ✓ Do you have an up-to-date academic CV? Does it include your latest publications, research projects you have worked on, conferences you have attended, classes you have taught? Is it available online?

### Understanding the State-of-the-Art

- ✓ Do you know what the most important journals are in your field? Do you scan their Tables of Contents and read articles on a regular basis? Where can you go to find lists of journals in your field?
- ✓ For your doctoral research: do you understand the state-of-the-art in your field?
- ✓ Have you read at least one doctoral dissertation in your field? Where can you go to find English-language dissertations?
- ✓ Do you understand, for your field, what constitutes a high-quality journal article?
- ✓ Do you know how to keep a list of peer reviews you have performed using publons?

### Understanding the Difference between Sci-Hub, LibGen, GoogleScholar and Library-Supported Resources

- ✓ Do you know where to search for academic literature in your field if Sci-Hub or LibGen are unavailable?
- ✓ Do you have library links enabled in GoogleScholar and installed the Kopernio plug-in?
- ✓ Do you know how to get remote access to library-supported resources for your institution?
- ✓ Do you have a system for staying organized? Do you plan to use citation managers (Mendeley, EndNote, Zotero) for your dissertation or next article? What are possible benefits of doing so?