

Personal data protection in Global Register of Publishers (GRP) and Music Publishers' International ISMN Database (MPIID).

Estonian ISBN Agency and Estonian ISMN Agency are responsible for making allocations of ISBNs and ISMNs to the publishers located in Estonia. In order to fulfil this role, we collect data about each publishing entity (be that a person or the organisation) when a first application for ISBNs is made to us, and we update that information during each subsequent application.

The information we collect includes personal data subject to the provision of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), such as the individual contact's name, postal address, e-mail addresses, telephone numbers, fax numbers. Your data is affected by GDPR because we exchange such with the International ISBN Agency, an organisation based in the United Kingdom and International ISMN Agency, based in Germany.

There are two primary reasons why it is necessary for us to collect this information. Firstly, it is necessary for us to make your registration and provide you with an allocation of ISBNs, ISSNs and ISMNs. It is obligatory for a publisher to provide this information in order to enable us to supply the allocation of standard numbers.

The second primary reason for collecting this data is to pass it to the International ISBN Agency and the International ISMN Agency so that they may include it in their publicly-available Global Register of Publishers database and Music Publisher's International ISMN Database MPIID.

As a publisher it is not obligatory for you to share any personal data other than the publisher name and the allocation of ISBNs/ ISMNs. Other details can be held privately. We would nevertheless recommend that you choose to make your details publicly available because it will help improve your visibility: members of the public will be able to get in touch with you about your books and how to obtain them. You may increase sales of your publication!

If you prefer not to disclose your contact details in the GRP and MPIID, please indicate this during the creation of your account in the Publisher Portal. Note that we will still retain all of your information in our private records for the reasons outlined above, but if you do not provide consent we will not share your personal information with the third parties. Note that you can change your preferences by changing your publisher account contact details in the Publisher Portal or by sending an e-mail to isbn@nlib.ee/ismn@nlib.ee