

Is armheritage.am a scam? TrustSniffer's high-risk assessment: 0/100

armheritage.am

Verdict

0

OUT OF 100

CRITICAL RISK

armheritage.am shows high-risk / scam indicators.

This assessment found strong scam indicators. Do not pay, sign in, or share personal details with this site.

Sensitive Interaction Risk

Governance Risk

Assessed 2026-08-21 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Official-looking Armenian cultural heritage research center site. Provides news, programs, publications, restoration project descriptions, contact details and institutional information. No financial solicitations or suspicious forms detected.

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	10 flagged it VirusTotal	RISK
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	13 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2013 Public history exists	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	NOTED

The page as captured

<https://armheritage.am/>



What armheritage.am served when TrustSniffer captured it on 2026-08-21. The page may look different now.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Sensitive Interaction Risk.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2013.
- At least one reputation service TrustSniffer consulted had flagged this domain at assessment time.

Full analysis

Security Alert

Fortinet, Sophos flagged this site in external intelligence checks, indicating elevated compromise/scam exposure that requires immediate caution.

The website presents itself as an Armenian cultural-heritage research institution offering information on archaeology, monument preservation, restoration projects, publications, educational programs, international cooperation, and institutional activities. Its apparent operating model is informational and publicly oriented rather than commercial, investment-based, or transaction-driven.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

The site's institutional presentation is internally coherent: the homepage and navigation describe a cultural-heritage research center, archaeological work, restoration, publications, and educational programs, with no detected login form, financial solicitation, wallet connection, or suspicious submission mechanism. However, this benign page content is materially contradicted by external threat intelligence: the domain is reported as blacklisted, with multiple malicious detections and additional suspicious classification, including detections attributed to Fortinet and Sophos. The available evidence does not establish a brand-impersonation or phishing

mechanism on the observed pages, but the confirmed blacklist and malicious detections create a critical risk for sensitive interaction. Historical continuity does not remove that present-day reputation concern.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and institutional navigation describe cultural-heritage research, archaeology, restoration, publications, and educational programs; no sensitive form or login mechanism was observed.
- External reputation telemetry recorded 10 malicious and 1 suspicious detections from 16 evaluated results; Fortinet and Sophos were identified among the flagged vendors.
- The domain is blacklisted by the evaluated external blacklist sources, while Google Safe Browsing recorded no malicious result.
- Domain continuity dates to 2013, with an assessed age of 13.2 years; archival records report 152 snapshots spanning 2013–2026 across 14 years tracked.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site identifies itself through an Armenian institutional name and publishes an address in Yerevan, but the real-world operator remains independently unverified. The observed content does not state a license, registration number, or regulatory authority, and the available disclosure state is unclear; these are verification gaps rather than standalone proof of fraud. The site's institutional business model and absence of commercial solicitation are favorable content signals, but they cannot outweigh the external reputation contradiction. No matching broker-related third-party record was identified.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage title identifies a cultural-heritage research center, and the contact information lists “Փ. Բուզանդի 1/3, Երևան 0010, ՀՀ.”
- No license claim, license number, or licensing authority was identified in the observed institutional content.
- The domain registrar is globalar (GlobalAR LLC).
- Hosting telemetry identifies AS13335, CLOUDFLARENET—Cloudflare, Inc., US; the site's TLS certificate is issued by WE1 at DV validation level and is valid to 2026-09-21T04:26:12+00:00.

What to Verify Next

Before any sensitive interaction, an independent party should confirm that the institution named on the site is listed in the relevant Armenian government or public-institution registry and that the published address and institutional contact channels correspond to that entity. Any request to authenticate, download software, provide credentials, transfer funds, or disclose personal information should be validated through an independently sourced channel rather than through the website alone. The current blacklist status should also be rechecked through multiple independent security services before the domain is permitted in an enterprise environment.

EVIDENCE

- The “About,” staff, scientific council, and contact pages provide the primary identity claims requiring independent institutional confirmation.
- The site’s pages are informational and contain no observed sensitive forms, so any later request for credentials or payment would represent a material change in interaction profile.
- The external reputation conflict is sufficiently significant to warrant a fresh security review before access is expanded beyond reading publicly available content.

Summary Verdict

The overall posture is **critical and unsuitable for sensitive interaction**. Although the website’s content appears institutionally structured and non-commercial, the confirmed external threat findings create a decisive contradiction that prevents the site from being treated as trustworthy for credentials, financial activity, or other sensitive use. Operator identity also remains unverified.

Infrastructure Integrity

Cloudflare provides the site’s CDN and WAF protection, and all observed addresses were Cloudflare edge addresses on AS13335; the origin server was not observable in this analysis. This infrastructure reduces direct exposure of the origin and is a mitigating technical factor, but it does not resolve the domain’s external reputation risk or independently establish legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Access should be limited to passive review of publicly available material while the institution, contact channels, and current security reputation are independently confirmed; credentials, downloads, financial activity, and other sensitive interactions should not proceed unless those checks produce satisfactory evidence.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-21 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

2 findings contributed to this verdict, raised by registration and ownership, analysis engine, external reputation.

01 Governance Risk

- The public registration record for this domain is incomplete.

Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_INCOMPLETE

02 Sensitive Interaction Risk

- The analysis matched a pattern TrustSniffer treats as a direct threat to a visitor.

Analysis engine signal:direct_threat

- An external threat feed lists this domain: either Google Safe Browsing marked it malicious, or a significant number of malware engines flagged it.

External reputation rule:EXT_BLACKLIST_CRITICAL

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	50%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of armheritage.am.

- The request stayed on armheritage.am. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under globalar (GlobalAR LLC). CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2013-05-23. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	globalar (GlobalAR LLC)
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:3030::6815:8d6
Name servers	Not available
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-21
Domain age	13.20 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	Not available
Archive first seen	2013-05-23
Archive snapshots	Not counted (archive lookup incomplete)
Reputation	VirusTotal: 10 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about armheritage.am at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that

evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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