

TEMPLATE 3 – OTM-R Checklist

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OTM-R Checklist

A specific self-assessment checklist is provided for Open, Transparent and Merit-Based Recruitment (OTM-R). Please report on the status of achievement, also detail on the indicators and the form of measurement used.

OTM-R checklist for organisations						
	Open	Trans- parent	Merit- based	Answer: ++ Yes, completely +/-Yes, substantially -/+ Yes, partially No	*Suggested indicators (or form of measurement)	
OTM-R system						
1. Have we published a version of our OTM-R policy online (in the national language and in English)?	x	x	x	++	https://www.fjd.es/iis-fjd/es/estrategia- hrs4r/politica-otm-r-open-transparent-and-merit- based-recruitment	



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2. Do we have an internal guide setting out clear OTM-R procedures and practices for all types of positions?	х	х	x	+/-	Our entity has an internal guide setting out clear OTM-R procedures and practices. Indicators: Date of latest update
3. Is everyone involved in the process sufficiently trained in the area of OTM-R?	x	х	х	-/+	Indicators: • Existence of training programs for OTM-R • Number of training activities organized
4. Do we make (sufficient) use of e-recruitment tools?	х	х		+/-	Indicators: Link to Job portal The share of job adverts posted on EURAXESS.
5. Do we have a quality control system for OTM-R in place?	x	х	х		Indicators: • Date of the latest internal audit performed.
6. Does our current OTM-R policy encourage external candidates to apply?	х	х	х	+/-	Indicators: • Trend in the share of applicants from outside the organization.
7. Is our current OTM-R policy in line with policies to attract researchers from abroad?	x	х	х	-/+	Indicators: Number of nationalities. Percentage of foreign applicants.



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8. Is our current OTM-R policy in line with policies to attract underrepresented groups?	х	х	x	++	 Indicators: Trend in the share of applicants among underrepresented groups (frequently women).
9. Is our current OTM-R policy in line with policies to provide attractive working conditions for researchers?	х	х	х	+/-	Indicators: • Trend in the share of applicants from outside the organization.
10. Do we have means to monitor whether the most suitable researchers apply?					Indicators: • Annual revision of OTM-R results.
Advertising and application phase					
11. Do we have clear guidelines or templates (e.g., EURAXESS) for advertising positions?	х	x		+/-	All our job offers are adjusted to the same own template. Indicators: Templates availability. Number of jobs offers published on the EURAXESS.
12. Do we include in the job advertisement references/links to all the elements foreseen in the relevant section of the toolkit?	х	х		-/+	Indicators: • Number of elements referenced / linked



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13. Do we make full use of EURAXESS to ensure our research vacancies reach a wider audience?	x	x		-/+	 Indicators: The share of job adverts posted on EURAXESS. Trend in the share of applicants recruited from outside the organisation/abroad.
14. Do we make use of other job advertising tools?	х	х		-/+	Indicators: • Number of job positions published in other webs or using other advertising tools.
15. Do we keep the administrative burden to a minimum for the candidate?	х			++	Indicators: • Number of documents required.
Selection and evaluation phase					
16. Do we have clear rules governing the appointment of selection committees?		х	х	-/+	Indicators: • Statistics on the composition of committees.
17. Do we have clear rules concerning the composition of selection committees?		х	х	-/+	Indicators: • Written guidelines
18. Are the committees sufficiently gender-balanced?		х	х	+/-	Indicators: Number of selection committees gender balanced. www.women.



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19. Do we have clear guidelines for selection committees which help to judge 'merit' in a way that leads to the best candidate being selected?			x	-/+	Indicators: • Written guidelines.
Appointment phase					
20. Do we inform all applicants at the end of the selection process?		х		+/-	Indicators: • % of applicants notified.
21. Do we provide adequate feedback to interviewees?		х		+/-	Indicators:
22. Do we have an appropriate complaints mechanism in place?		x		++	Indicators: • Statistics on complaints.



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Overall assessment					
23. Do we have a system in place to assess whether OTM-R delivers on its objectives?					Indicators: • Date of the latest revision of the OTM-R results