## Flinders University

## GUIDELINES FOR ESTABLISHING PROFESSIONAL STAFF SELECTION CRITERIA

	HEO2	HEO3	HEO4
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Completion of Year 11 or 12 or</li> <li>Knowledge/training/experience relevant to duties to be performed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Certificate qualification or</li> <li>Completion of Year 12 with relevant work experience or</li> <li>A combination of relevant experience &amp; education/training</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Progress towards completion of Associate Diploma with relevant work-related experience or certificate level qualifications with post-certificate relevant work experience or</li> <li>Completion of post-trades certificate or advanced certificate + extensive relevant experience or</li> <li>Equivalent combination of relevant experience and/or education/training</li> </ul>
Personal Abilities			
(a) Communication/ Interpersonal Skills	Capacity to liaise with students/ teaching staff and visitors (personally/phone)	<ul> <li>Effective oral &amp; written communication skills (including cross-cultural skills)</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to use discretion with confidential &amp; sensitive information</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated oral &amp; written communication skills (including cross-cultural skills)</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to communicate and liaise with broad range of staff/students/public</li> <li>Good interpersonal skills</li> </ul>
(b) Organisational Skills	Able to complete tasks within a set timeframe	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to prioritise and meet deadlines</li> <li>Demonstrated organisational skills</li> <li>Attention to detail</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to prioritise and meet deadlines</li> <li>Good organisational skills</li> <li>Attention to detail</li> </ul>
Work Experience/ Knowledge	<ul> <li>Practical knowledge of and competency with tools/word processing/data entry</li> <li>Ability to answer routine queries</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience in dealing with student/academic queries</li> <li>Basic book-keeping skills</li> <li>Competent keyboard skills</li> <li>Knowledge of databases/spreadsheets</li> <li>Clerical/secretarial experience</li> <li>Petty cash/reconciliation experience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sound knowledge of equipment/methods/materials/ procedures applicable to work area</li> <li>Well developed word processing skills &amp; clerical experience</li> </ul>
Supervision	No supervisory responsibilities	Ability to provide training/guidance to other staff within own area	Demonstrated ability to supervise &/or provide training/guidance to staff in routine matters
Teamwork	Ability to work in a busy team environment	Demonstrated ability to work effectively in a busy team environment	Demonstrated ability to work independently and as part of a team
Independence/Flexibility	<ul> <li>Flexibility to adapt to changes in work area</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to perform straightforward tasks</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated flexibility to adapt to changes in the work area</li> <li>Able to use initiative within work area</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated flexibility to changes in the work area</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to use initiative within work area</li> <li>Some problem solving skills</li> </ul>

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	HEO5	HEO6
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Degree or</li> <li>Associate Diploma with relevant work experience or</li> <li>Post-trades certificate or advanced certificate + extensive relevant experience or</li> <li>Equivalent combination of relevant experience &amp;/or education &amp;/or training</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Degree with subsequent relevant experience or</li> <li>Extensive experience and specialist expertise or broad knowledge in technical or administrative fields or</li> <li>Equivalent combination of relevant experience &amp;/or education/training</li> </ul>
Personal Abilities (a) Communication/Interpersonal Skills	<ul> <li>Well-developed report writing skills</li> <li>Effective oral/written communication skills</li> <li>Sound/well-developed interpersonal skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Well-developed report writing skills</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to develop proposals</li> <li>Excellent oral/written communication skills</li> <li>Sound/well developed interpersonal skills</li> </ul>
(b) Organisational Skills	<ul> <li>Good/well-developed organisational &amp; administrative skills</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to identify priorities and work to deadlines</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Excellent organisational &amp; administrative skills</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to identify priorities and work to deadlines</li> <li>Demonstrated time management skills</li> </ul>
Work Experience/Knowledge	<ul> <li>Effective research skills</li> <li>Data analysis skills</li> <li>Knowledge of University's courses/structures</li> <li>Knowledge of University's policies and procedures</li> <li>Proficiency in work area's rules/regulations/procedures &amp; techniques</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Extensive research skills and experience</li> <li>Demonstrated skills in statistical analysis</li> <li>Knowledge of University's courses/structures</li> <li>Knowledge of University's policies and procedures</li> <li>Proficiency in work area's rules/regulations/procedures &amp; techniques and in relation to University environment</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to use computer based information sources</li> </ul>
Supervision (Refer to Section 8.3 in the Guide)	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to supervise lower level staff, coordinate &amp; prioritise work, monitor work flow &amp; develop procedures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to supervise a team</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to set priorities, monitor work flow</li> </ul>
Team Work	Demonstrated ability to work both independently and effectively as part of a team	Demonstrated ability to work both independently and effectively as part of a team
Independence/Flexibility	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to use initiative &amp; work independently</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to take initiative in problem-solving and exercising judgement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>High level of initiative</li> <li>Discretion to innovate within own function</li> <li>High level diagnostic &amp; data analysis skills</li> </ul>

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	HE07	HEO8
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Degree with subsequent relevant experience or</li> <li>Extensive experience &amp; management expertise or</li> <li>Equivalent combination of relevant experience &amp;/or education/training</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Postgraduate qualifications or progress towards postgraduate qualifications &amp; extensive relevant experience or</li> <li>Degree qualification plus extensive experience &amp; management expertise or</li> <li>Equivalent combination of relevant experience &amp;/or education/training</li> </ul>
Personal Abilities (a) Communication/Interpersonal Skills	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to consult, coordinate &amp; work effectively with wide variety of people</li> <li>High level of verbal and interpersonal communication skills</li> <li>Ability to interact/liaise effectively with staff/students</li> <li>Excellent written skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Highly developed written and oral communication skills</li> <li>Cross-cultural sensitivity</li> <li>Ability to liaise at all levels (members of University community, business &amp; public)</li> <li>Demonstrated interpersonal and negotiation skills</li> </ul>
(b) Organisational Skills	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to compile/analyse data &amp; prepare reports &amp; submissions</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to provide reports for high level internal/external bodies</li> <li>High level administrative and organisational skills</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to establish priorities and meet deadlines</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to identify priorities &amp; work to deadlines</li> <li>High level of administrative skills</li> </ul>
Work Experience/Knowledge	<ul> <li>Detailed knowledge of academic/administrative policies &amp; significant experience in higher education administration</li> <li>Knowledge of line structures</li> <li>High level of theoretical/practical knowledge in design &amp; production of</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to collect, synthesise &amp; interpret information</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Substantial relevant experience in administration</li> <li>Good appreciation of work area's program</li> <li>Good knowledge and understanding of higher education sector</li> <li>Extensive administrative experience, preferably in higher education sector</li> <li>Experience with high level project work</li> <li>Experience in planning &amp; policy formulation</li> </ul>
Supervision	Demonstrated supervisory skills &/or training	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to provide leadership to &amp; manage team of staff</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to work with limited/minimum supervision/direction</li> </ul>
Team Work	Proven demonstrated ability to work and contribute significantly     as part of team	Proven demonstrated ability to work and contribute significantly     as part of team
Independence/Flexibility	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to work under broad direction</li> <li>Demonstrated personnel management skills &amp; ability to develop strategies, procedures &amp; work practices</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to work independently to relate policy to work assignments</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to exercise initiative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated ability to make independent judgement</li> <li>Demonstrated ability to achieve objectives within complex organisational structures</li> <li>High degree of independent judgement &amp; initiative within broad guidelines</li> <li>Demonstrated confidence, initiative, sound judgement &amp; tact</li> </ul>