THE HIRING PROCESS AT BALL STATE UNIVERSITY

To add or replace a position in your department, start here:

1. Assess and define your hiring need. Will the position type be:
   - Faculty? (Tenure Track, Contract, Semester? FT, PT or Temporary?)
   - Professional? (Continuing Contract, Contract or 10-Month? FT or PT? Exempt or Hourly?)
   - Staff? (Nonexempt or Exempt? FT, PT or Temporary?)
   - Service? (Affiliated? Bargaining Unit? FT or PT?)

   Click here to view the E-class list to help determine type of position.

2. Discuss budgetary items with your Budget Director or the Budget Office.

3. For Faculty or Professional vacancies: if there is a circumstance that the hiring need is so urgent that the timeline of a normal search is unreasonable or not possible, contact Julie Dominguez, Affirmative Action and Employee Relations Specialist, at 5-1822 or email jgdominguez@bsu.edu.

4. Determine recruitment plan for professional and faculty positions. Identify any discipline-specific advertising sources.

5. Initiate the request process:
   - Faculty, Professional, Staff and Service - Create or modify the position description in HR-TMS (HR-Talent Management System). Approvals to post will also be obtained through the position description request. You may utilize the HR-TMS training resources found by clicking here.
6. **Posting is created.** Postings for Faculty, Professional, Staff, and Service positions are created in HR-TMS.

7. **Managing Applicants:**

   ✓ Applicants for Professional and Faculty positions are reviewed in TMS and must be moved through the Request to Interview workflow in TMS.

   ✓ Applicants for Staff and Service positions are first reviewed by HR in TMS for minimum qualifications before being released to the department for review.

Need **search committee** training? Please contact Melissa Rubrecht, mrubrech@bsu.edu, to schedule a session.

8. **Offer of Employment:** Once interviews and reference checks are complete and a final candidate identified, notify HR:

   ✓ Faculty and Professional: offer of employment is extended by department and candidate is moved into “Recommend for Hire” state in HR-TMS, which prompts a background check from HR. A New Person Identity Form will also be sent to the candidate by HR.

   ✓ Staff and Service: candidate is moved into “Recommend for Hire” state in HR-TMS, which prompts a background check from HR. A New Person Identity Form will also be sent to the candidate by HR.

9. **Establishing the employee record:**

   ✓ Faculty, Professional, Staff and Service: the department will submit a Hiring Proposal in HR-TMS. Once approvals are obtained, HR will update the hiring proposal so that it can be used to establish the employee record in Banner.
10. **Communication prior to first day**: New employees will receive information from Human Resources regarding verification for employment, parking, orientation, and a reminder to submit their original transcripts to HR.

11. **Department Welcome**: There is no better time to foster a positive work attitude than on the first day an employee joins your team. Click [here](#) for the Managers and Supervisors Toolkit.

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**Questions?**

Please contact your HR Representative:

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- Facilities Planning and Management  
- Sports Facilities Management  
- Temps/Casuals – shared with Jim Rockhill  
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