

# How to Hire the Right People

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**Skill level**

Beginner

**Lessons**

19

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**Pre-requisites**

No prior experience needed

**Video duration**

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**Estimated study time**

1h 13m

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## Introduction

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### 1 Hiring the right people

Hiring the right people is important for organizational success, but how do you ensure you've got the best strategy?

## Lay the Foundation

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### 2 Checklist for hiring

Using a checklist when starting the recruitment process will help systematize your hiring process and keep track of your recruiting efforts.

### 3 The job posting

A good posting not only outlines the duties and responsibilities of the job, but also describes how the role fits within the organization.

### 4 Recruitment process

Recruiting the right people carries supreme importance for the continuation of the success of an organization.

### 5 The ideal candidate

Regardless of what type of role you are filling, if you want to hire the right person, you'll need to understand what the right person looks like.

## Adopt the Right Approach

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### 6 Networking connects talent

Finding the best people requires a systematic approach of outreach and relationship building that leverages your entire organization.

- 7 Casting the net**  
To get the best pool of candidates you need to attract both active and passive candidates.
- 8 Focus past the CV**  
Taking your recruiting beyond the resumé gets you to connect with a candidate beyond a piece of paper.
- 9 Prescreen candidates**  
Screening applicants is a great way to save both time and money by ensuring that employers don't have to sit through time-consuming interviews with applicants that are neither qualified nor suited to the open position.
- 10 The candidate experience**  
When you effectively communicate with candidates throughout each step of the recruiting process, they are considerably more likely to have a positive experience with your company.

## Interviewing Fundamentals

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- 11 Collaborative approach**  
By altering the hiring process so that the team is involved, you also eliminate some of the biases that hiring managers often have.
- 12 The three C's**  
Go beyond the standard interview and get out of the norm of asking a lot of boring and overused questions about skills, experience, and how the interviewee has reacted in situations in the past.
- 13 Aligning core competencies**  
Establishing the right framework for identifying and evaluating candidates during the interview process is an important part of the hiring process.
- 14 Set clear expectations**  
Establish a clear and straightforward process with the potential candidate during the interview process.

## Selection Process

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- 15 The best fit**  
Hiring "the one," the candidate who has the necessary skill, background, and behaviors to contribute positively to the team- will help your organization thrive.
- 16 Attitude over skills**  
Matching a candidate to your distinctive workplace culture and company's brand will drive your competitive advantage.

**17** **Avoiding unconscious bias**  
Hiring bias can negatively impact your recruiting practices.

**18** **Background and references**  
Screening, evaluating, and examining a potential employee's background and references are essential to your hiring process.

## Conclusion

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**19** **Hiring the best for your organization**  
Thank you for watching this course! Now you can confidently recruit and hire the best employees that will add value to your team.

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