

Talent Exchange Program

Roles and Responsibilities

Parallax – Program Manager

- 1. Solicit relevant candidate and organization information from interested parties.
- 2. Actively recruit qualified candidates and organizations for consideration.
- 3. Provide names of candidates and/or organizations with pertinent background information to host sponsor.
- 4. Facilitate completion of the Talent Exchange Agreement and Commitment.
- 5. Conduct regular check-ins with participants and sponsors.
- 6. At the conclusion of the assignment, conduct a formal evaluation of the experience.
- 7. Goal: Foster partnerships between Academia, Industry, and Government to build a pipeline of talent to fulfill ongoing business needs.

Host Organization - Supervisor

- 1. Update participant on job security requirements/procedures, conflicts of interest, confidentiality issues, etc.
- 2. Provide necessary resources (workspace, computer, phone, building access, travel/training expenses, etc.).
- 3. Agree on work schedule and flexibilities (e.g., office, remote).
- 4. Provide a beneficial on-boarding experience to accelerate the participant's ability to perform on the job.
- 5. Craft meaningful work plans and developmental assignments and evaluate participant progress throughout the term of the exchange.
- 6. Give frequent feedback/coaching to participant and provide performance review input to home supervisor.
- 7. Host organization should also consider potential financial impacts (e.g., participant salary, travel, equipment).

Home Organization – Supervisor

- 1. Assist in developing the participant's Individual Development Plan.
- 2. Remain actively engaged with Employee throughout exchange.
- 3. Seek performance input from host supervisor.
- 4. Implement plan to transition the participant's work during the rotational assignment.
- 5. Stay available to participant and continue to maintain employee records (e.g., payroll, personnel).
- 6. Support the participant's meaningful reintegration into the home organization.
- 7. Home organization should also consider potential financial impacts (e.g., participant salary).



Participant

- 1. Prepare for the exchange.
- 2. Create an Individual Development Plan with the home supervisor.
- 3. Perform the assigned work.
- 4. Alert home organization and Parallax project team contact if problems/issues occur.
- 5. Establish relationships and expand his/her network.
- 6. Participate in a comprehensive evaluation of the program.