Application Annex AA7-HIG

Center selection procedure and statistics

Helmholtz Center:

The Helmholtz Investigator Groups were invited to submit proposals on specific topics.

○ No ○ Yes

If yes, please note the focus of your Center's call:

Description of the selection procedure

- What are the main steps in the selection procedure?

- What are the most relevant selection criteria to the Center?

- Who takes the final selection decision?

- How do you ensure quality standards in the selection?

Selection statistics

I. Applications received
(Note: German / Non-German refers to nationality, not location of the home institution.)

Total count:

Of which
Women Men Diverse

A. Internal / from the Center
   - German
   - Non-German

B. External from Germany
   - German
   - Non-German

C. External from abroad
   - German
   - Non-German

→ For external from abroad, please indicate where the home institution is located[1] below

Home institution	Number
Europe (excluding Germany)	
United States	
Canada	
China	
Other Asian countries	
Africa	
South America	
Oceania (Australia, New Zealand, Pacific Islands)	
Not specified	

How did the candidates get to know about the call?

Information source	Count
• Helmholtz website	
• Advertisement on scientific job platforms (Nature, Research Gate, Academic positions, Euraxess, Jobs Ac UK, …)	
• Information of the Center (Center website, Center job advertisement, newsletter, information event, …)	
• Direct contact with scientific staff or counselling staff (e.g., former member of the Center, request at the career center, …)	
• Social media (e.g., LinkedIn, facebook, Instagram)	
• Other (please indicate below)	
• We do not know	

[1] For reporting purposes, frequently represented countries are listed individually, while all other countries are grouped by world region.

II. Internally declined applications

Total count:

III. Withdrawn applications

An application can be withdrawn either by a potential candidate before the internal selection or by a chosen candidate after the internal selection. In the first case, an application is considered withdrawn if a candidate has formally initiated the application process and then withdraws from it.

Total count: