

Vetting Specification for External Staff UNITED KINGDOM

Valid as of 03 January 2020

		Current State		
Check	Sources / Tools	Requirement / Validation	Successful Vetting Check Criteria	Timing
Identity Check		This check is the responsibility of the supplier.		Pre-UBS start date
Right to work verification		This check is the responsibility of the supplier.		Pre-UBS start date
Global Background Check (COSIMA, GTS, Rehire)	Cosima, GTS, Internal HR systems	Background check to identify records of terrorist/criminal activities or networking; personal misconduct / reputation problem / hostility against UBS or conflict of interest with UBS, negative references concerning trustworthiness, work ethics, reputation. Use UBS internal HR systems to review potential previous engagement information (e.g. termination reasons).	No hits	Pre-offer, latest pre-UBS start date
Family Relationship	Self-declaration	Candidate needs to be asked whether he/she has family or personal relationships with UBS employees. - Family relationship: spouse, domestic partner or civil partner (or similar as recognised by law), parent (or parent-in-law), sister or brother (or in-law), child, step child. - Personal relationship: management reporting line. Answers are adequately documented.	No family relationship with UBS.	Pre-offer, latest pre-UBS start date
External Directorship and Positions (self declaration)	Self-declaration	Candidate needs to be asked whether he/she has any external directorship that could raise a conflict of interest with UBS to disclose. Answers are adequately documented.	No external directorship and positions.	Pre-offer, latest pre-UBS start date
Registered Status / Statutory Disqualification	FCA Individual Search and FCA Registration Search	Document required - only applicable to regulated roles. FCA Individual Search and FCA registration Search	Search confirms that the person is registered and that no statutory disqualification exists.	Pre-UBS start date
Criminal Record Check	Disclosure Scotland Certificate (DS Basic Report) - for non-regulated and certified roles that are based outside of England and Wales Disclosure Barring Service Certificate (eBasic Disclosure Report) - for all non regulated and non certified roles based in London or Wales Disclosure Barring Service Certificate (DBS Standard Report) - for regulated roles (Asset Management) and Senior Management Function holders (SMF)	Document(s) need to be original and current; e.g. dated not older than 2 months from receiving. Onboarding: Document(s) must cover all the jurisdictions / countries where the candidate has resided, was employed, attended school or lived more than 3 months over the last 5 years (required address history). Periodic Vetting: Document(s) must cover all the jurisdictions / countries where the candidate has resided, was employed, attended school or lived more than 3 months over the period equal to the frequency of periodic vetting (e.g. if the frequency of periodic vetting is 3 years, the check / address history must cover the last 3 years). For both Onboarding and Periodic Vetting an appropriate address verification shall be performed for the current address. Further proof of residence shall only be requested if circumstances (applicable legal and regulatory requirements) demand such. Identification of any records associated with the candidate.	No entries found in respective document(s).	Pre-UBS start date, latest 4 weeks after UBS start date

Credit Check	Credit report from a recognized credit agency, e.g. equifax	<p>Document(s) need to be original and current; e.g. dated not older than 2 months from receiving.</p> <p>Onboarding: Document(s) must cover all the jurisdictions / countries where the candidate has resided, was employed, attended school or lived more than 3 months over the last 5 years (required address history).</p> <p>Periodic Vetting: Document(s) must cover all the jurisdictions / countries where the candidate has resided, was employed, attended school or lived more than 3 months over the period equal to the frequency of periodic vetting (e.g. if the frequency of periodic vetting is 3 years, the check / address history must cover the last 3 years).</p> <p>For both Onboarding and Periodic Vetting an appropriate address verification shall be performed for the current address. Further proof of residence shall only be requested if circumstances (applicable legal and regulatory requirements) demand such. Check the summary of the candidate credit and bankruptcy history and compare with the address history.</p>	No debt defaults (overdue amounts, collections, litigations) Candidate has not been legally declared a bankrupt.	Pre-UBS start date, latest 4 weeks after UBS start date
External Directorship (Database Search)	Public database	Database check to identify any external directorships and assess candidate integrity based on external directorship self-declaration.	No hits, no discrepancies between self-declaration and database search	Pre-UBS start date, latest 4 weeks after UBS start date