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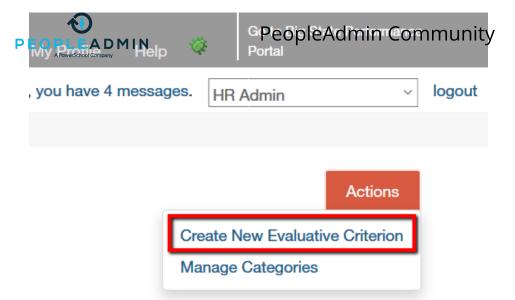
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HigherEd Platform: Search Committees: Creating and Managing Evaluative Criteria

There are two ways to create **evaluative criteria** (which may be labeled **ranking criteria** in your site). The first is done in the **Admin** module, and the second is done on individual postings.

Creating an Evaluative Criterion in the Admin Module

Select **Assessment Factors > Evaluative Criteria**. Next, select **Actions > Create New Evaluative Criterion**.



Fields

Next, fill out the following fields:

- **Name/Label** These fields are searchable in the **Evaluative Criteria** menu, and therefore will help you locate a criterion to modify or inactivate.
- Status You can set a criterion to active, pending, or inactive.
- **Category** Use this field to group your criterion with similar criterion. Select **Actions** > **Manage Categories** to review, edit or create categories. This is the only optional field.
- **Description** This field displays to users when viewing the **Evaluative Criteria** tab on a posting. As a best practice, **Description** should be a specific request or prompt.









Name *	Interview Skills
Label *	Interview Skills
Status *	active ~
Category	Interview
Description *	Please rate the applicant's interview skill based on the phone interview.

Response Type

There are two types of responses to an evaluative criterion: **open-ended** and **pre-defined**. An open-ended criterion prompts for a text response from the evaluator. A pre-defined criterion provides a set list of options. To add pre-defined responses, select **Predefined Answers** and enter a **Possible Answer**. Every time you add an answer, HigherEd Platform will create new blanks. Once you click **Create Evaluative Criteria**, any blank responses will be discarded. You can drag responses to re-order them.







Predefined Answers

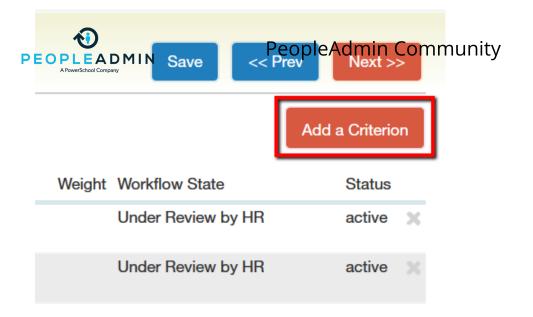
Empty answers will be excluded. Click and drag possible answers to reorder them.

Possible Answer 1 : Poor	×
Possible Answer 2 : Fair	×
Possible Answer 3 : Good	×
Possible Answer 4 : Great	×
Possible Answer 5 :	×

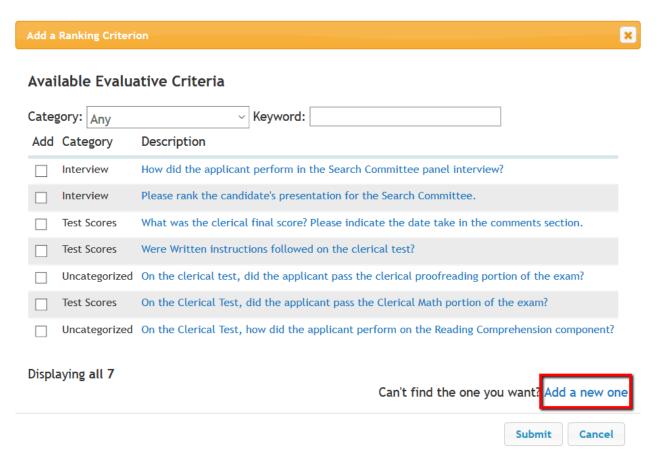
When you have finished adding and ordering responses, click **Create Evaluative Criteria**.

Creating an Evaluative Criterion on a Posting

Navigate to the posting, then click the **Edit** next to the **Evaluative Criteria** tab. Click **Add a Criterion**.



Next, click **Add a new one**.



In the popup, create the criterion as detailed in the **Fields** and **Response Type** sections above. When you click **Submit**, the criterion will be added to the posting. By default, the workflow state associated with this criterion will be **Draft**. To change the workflow state, click the criterion's **Description**.

Deactivating and Deleting Criteria





Criteria associated with postings or positions can be **deactivated**. Criteria not associated with any object can be **deleted**.

Predefined Options	Active		Actions 🗸
Predefined Options	Active	Test Scores	GENERAL View
Predefined Options	Active		evaluative criterion
Predefined Options	Active	Interview	Edit evaluative
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			Deactivate evaluative criterion
			Delete evaluative criterion

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