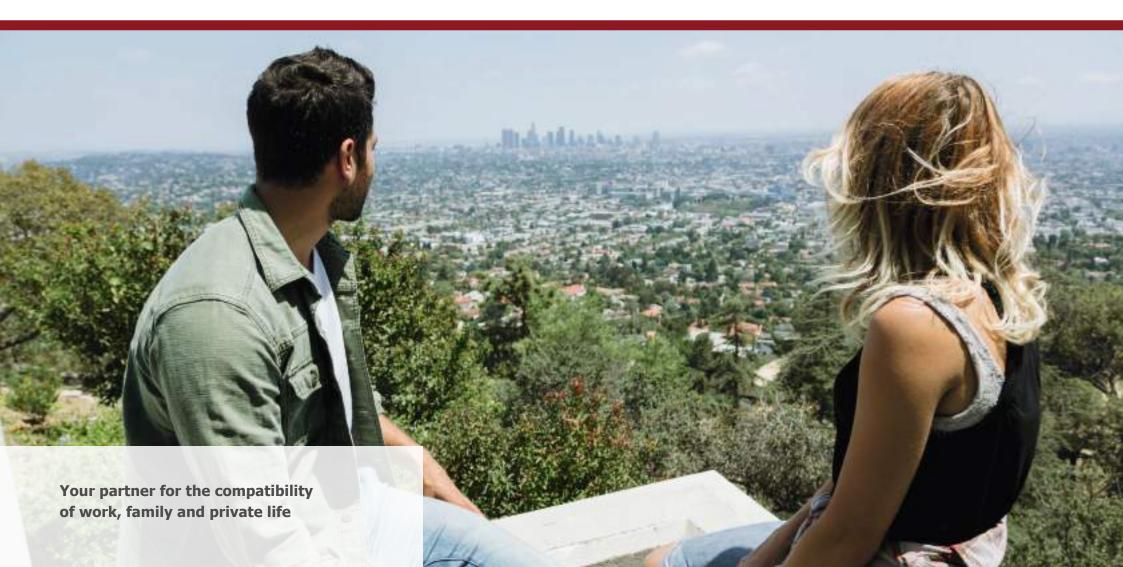


# **Shaping Sustainable HR Policy**





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### Greeting

Oliver Schmitz, Managing Director of berufundfamilie Service GmbH

Dear reader,

"The way is the goal," Confucius once stated. This also applies to a sustainable compatibility of work, family and private life – one of the biggest personnel policy tasks at the moment and one of the most urgent. An altering understanding of values combined with an increasing shortage of skilled workers as well as a work environment with high change dynamics are at length posing new challenges for employers.

The berufundfamilie Service GmbH, which emerged from an initiative of the Non-Profit Hertie Foundation, uses the unique strategic management tool audit berufundfamilie respectively audit familiengerechte hochschule to be a reliable partner while supporting the sustainability of organizations. Furthermore we offer specific training formats and consulting in our topic fields.

Join us on the path of designing your family- and lifephase-conscious personnel policy. Learn about us, our philosophy and 'our know-how for you' on the following pages.

With 'compatible' regards,

Oliver Schmitz



Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend



Lisa Paus, Federal Minister of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth, MP, patron for the audit berufundfamilie/ audit familiengerechte hochschule

Without employers who actively support their employees, the compatibility of family and work cannot be accomplished. By means of the audit berufundfamilie the companies send the clear message to their employees that they have comitted themselves to enabling a systematically and sustainable family-conscious world of work respectively family-friendly study conditions.

Here I would like to see many more companies that meet their responsibility and let family friendliness become a natural part of their corporate culture.

### **The Situation**

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# 49.7 %

of companies in Germany complain about a shortage of skilled workers

# 30 %30

of the people currently available on the German labor market will retire by 2036 85 %

of employees wish to organize their working hours flexibly and 60 % of employees under the age of 40 would like to work from home a few days a week

4.96 mill.

people in Germany

by 2030 probably

2050 7.25 million

5.75 million and by

are in need of care -

# 48 %

of fathers are seeking a partnership-based division of tasks with regard to work and family

73 %

of representatives

of Generation Z

expect family awareness from

their employer

# 52.4 %

of first-year students in Germany are female

### Living Individualized Personell Policy Living Employer Attractiveness

Emergency care for the child, flexible home office hours, support in the search for a nursing place for a relative, part-time offer in leadership...

Individual situations and individual lifestyles require individual solutions. Employees are increasingly asking for more tailor-made solutions for their compatibility of work, family and private life.

Negotiation processes become the key to a futureoriented personnel policy. This is the basis of our philosophy – the compatibility trialogie: work together with us to develop and implement ways and instruments for successful negotiation of compatibility issues – focussing on the employee's tasks and company requirements, tailored to the employee's personal interests and matched with the needs of the team.

#### ACTIVITY/TASK

#### **Compatibility Trialogue**

#### The philosophy of berufundfamilie Service GmbH

Strengthen yourself in dealing with issues of the compatibility of work, family and private life. Manage the growing field of tension of operational, personal and team concerns with the help of our consulting services.



### **Attractive Employer** Benefitting from Potentials

The audit goes back to an initiative of the Non-Profit Hertie Foundation. The Federal Minister of Family Affairs is the patron of the audit, that is recommended by the top associations of the German economy: BDA, BDI, DIHK and ZDH. You and your employees benefit from a strategic family- and life-phase-conscious personnel policy respectively family-friendly research and study conditions.

A sustainable compatibility of work, family and private life provides you with answers to the shortage of skilled workers and the demographic development. You strengthen your employer attractiveness and support your employer branding.

www.berufundfamilie.de/arbeitgeber



The audit is the strategic management tool for tailor-made, profitable solutions for the compatibility

of work, family and private-life. Design a strategic HR policy with the audit berufundfamilie..

#### audit berufundfamilie

is a rewarding investment in the compatibility of work, family and private life. Whether large corporations, medium-sized businesses or small businesses, whether services, administration or manufacturing companies - employers of all sizes and industries win with the audit.

#### audit familiengerechte hochschule

is an instrument for the implementation and further development of family-friendly working and study conditions. Universities are also supported in shaping their statutory framework tasks and their social responsibility.

### HR Managers Shaping Sustainable HR Policy

#### The audit is doing a lot

We take you by the hand. With the audit, we pick up the compatibility potential in your company, show you how to reach your goal and stay at your side – also during the implementation phase. The procedure and the results are tailored to your company and your employees. You will get fit in questions of compatibility.

#### The audit is effective

Among the effects are the increased identification, motivation and satisfaction of the employees, the retention of skilled workers and an improved apllicants' quality.

#### The audit is structuring

The temporal structure of the audit leads to success. This is how we proceed:

- preparatory meeting
- status quo survey
- strategy workshop
- basic check\*
- auditing workshop
- management talk\*
- objective agreement
- issuing certificate

\* depending on the number of employees and students

# Auditing process – detailed and needs-based

Multilevel method and stringent process that adapts to the level of development of the organization. After the first audit, there will be two re-audits every three years. This is followed by the dialogue process.

#### Learning organization in the audit

Aim of the audit: A growing self-control of the topic compatibility of work, family and private life by the organization. In short, the organization grows with the audit. And: the audit adapts to the organization.

#### The audit is awarding

The successful audit will be rewarded with the certificate – the quality seal with a threeyear validity. After a successful dialogue process, the certificate with distinction is awarded – as special recognition for long-term sustainable reconciliation policy. You are the key factor in the further development and implementation of a family- and life-phase-conscious personnel policy.

You need a reliable and future-oriented instrument for the successful strategic alignment of the HR work and its further development.

www.berufundfamilie.de/personalverantwortliche



## **Employees** berufundfamilie – A Trademark for A Better Quality of Life



A family- and life-phase-conscious work environment offers relief of strain and supports you.

With measures for the compatibility of work, family and private life, you master the difficult balancing act. You gain time for family and friends as well as for social engagement while getting opportunities for flexible career planning.

www.berufundfamilie.de/arbeitnehmende

#### The audit brings about more

It creates a change in corporate culture towards a positive working atmosphere, open communication and frankness regarding the personal concerns of the staff.

#### The audit is picking up

The substantive structure of the audit: active in eight fields of action that reflect the core areas of a strategic HR policy.

working conditions	anchoring	accompanying measures	
working time/ research and study time	information & communications	financial benefits resp. student financing	Ge.
work organization/ research and study organization	<b>(5)</b> leadership/ management	8 services	1
Work location/ research and study location	6 human resources development and scientific qualification	de production	

### **Puplic Relations Professional and Practical**



Attract attention and increase your visibility.

Enhance your reputation as an attractive employer to employees, potential employees and the general public.

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The annual certificate ceremony (designed as a certificate online event during the Corona pandemics) is your high-profile platform. The event is present in the media and offers you the highlight for your internal and external communications. Eye-catching due to the participation of the Federal Ministry for Family Affairs.

#### Our support for your communication

Participate in the discourse on the compatibility of work, family and private life. With our information and materials, we support the internal as well as the external communications of certified companies, institutions and universities.

#### **Our channels:**





**Media relations** press releases and exclusive reporting in print, radio, tv and online media

Direct communications newsletter, mailings



Web und Social Media website, blog, podcast, twitter, xing, linkedin, YouTube

Studies, surveys, publications, tools, etc.



Benefit from our knowledge management

### **Consulting** Consulting for Analysis and Implementation in HR and Organizational Development



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#### Analysis and consulting

Counseling as a practical and individual support – purposefully and effectively designing measures to promote the compatibility and to increase the employer attractiveness!

#### **Tri-Check**

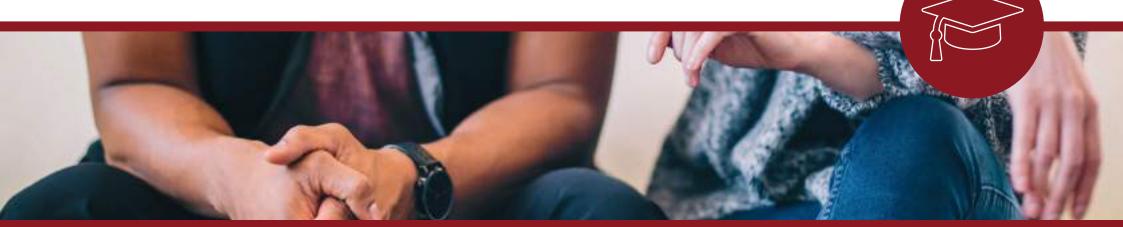
The Tri-Check is a comprehensive and tailormade consulting service for solution-oriented handling of individual compatibility issues. The Tri-Check consists of the procedural guideline for executives and checklists on individual topics that help manage negotiation processes.

#### **Employee survey**

Job satisfaction analysis – strategic information for management. Important insight: how your employees evaluate the company offers for the compatibility of work, family and private life, what their wishes are and how they assess the leadership culture and encouragement of employees.

# berufundfamilie Akademie

**Training for Specialists and Executives** 



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#### Seminars

Modern leadership and expertise. Learn "to think compatibility beyond".

#### Inhouse

From negotiation processes to time management. Always needsoriented and tailor-made.

#### **Network meetings**

Exchange experiences, collect ideas. Exclusively and free of charge for our audit network.

#### **Online – digital training**

Online trainings for small groups, webinars as compact knowledge units and the remote café with keynote speeches.

### berufundfamilie Service GmbH

Your Team of Experts for the Compatibility of Work, Family and Private Life



berufundfamilie Service GmbH successfully accompanies companies, institutions and universities in the implementation of a sustainable family- and life-phase-conscious personnel policy and the design of family-friendly research and study conditions.

#### Benefitting from experience and knowledge

# berufundfamilie

- Established for almost 25 years
- About 1,900 audited organizations companies, institutions and universities
- Benefits for currently about 2 million employees and 1.4 million students
- Established employer network
- On the spot everywhere in Germany with experts
- With Europe-wide rights for the audit via partners also represented in Austria and northern Italy. Conducting audits in other European countries
- Tailor-made solutions for small businesses, medium-sized and large employers
- Individual solutions for manufacturing and service companies, public service, universities and research





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