Specification of Competency Standards for Human Resource Management

Unit of Competency

Title	Design job / pay grade structure
Code	106969L6
Range	Designing job / pay grade structure for existing employees and maintaining equity among the jobs. This applies to the development of policies and guidelines on the job / pay grade structure for providing a structure for compensating all levels of employees, managing domestic and international payroll, reflecting relativity and enabling career progression within the organisation in a fair and equitable manner.
Level	6
Credit	6
Competency	 Performance Requirements 1. Knowledge in the Subject Area Understand that clear job / pay grade structure facilitates objective decisions on pay and career progression in respective operating markets and jurisdictions Understand the basic steps to design a job / pay grade structure (e.g. job analysis and evaluation, pay survey analysis, pay policy development, pay structure formation) Understand different job families / job functions and respective career progression and development opportunities in the organisation 2. Applications and Processes Develop career ladders and career paths for employees to enhance their knowledge and skills Determine an appropriate number of job / pay grades that clearly distinguish among different job levels and corresponding levels of knowledge, skills and responsibilities Define job / pay grade descriptions Design job / pay grade structure effectively to support employees' career progression and development opportunities (e.g. clarifying distinctions among grades, setting criteria for career movement) Investigate career paths and career ladders according to each job family and job / pay grade structure 3. Professional Behaviour and Attitude Proactively design policies and guidelines on job / pay grade structure to support organisational development and maintain internal equity Compare non-benchmark jobs to benchmark jobs within the same job family / job function in accordance with factors important to that job family / job function
Assessment Criteria	 The integrated outcome requirements of this UoC are: Establishment of career ladders and career paths within the organisation. Establishment of a job / pay grade structure with clear description of each job / pay grade that distinguishes among different job levels and corresponding levels of knowledge, skills and responsibilities. Establishment of policies and guidelines on job / pay grade structure in respective operating markets and jurisdictions to support organisational development and maintain internal equity.
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