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17 March 2025

Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of Information request: FOI2025/00287**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 7 March in which you requested the following:

**Your request:**

*I would like to request the following information:*

1. *The full names, official email addresses, and official telephone numbers of the following managers in your organisation:*

*Procurement Manager  
Learning and Development Manager  
Training Manager  
PMO Manager  
IT Manager  
Information Security Manager  
Governance Manager  
Change Manager  
Project Manager  
Programme Manager  
Portfolio Manager  
Benefits Manager  
Data Protection Manager  
Operations Manager*

2. *If available, please provide the organisational structure or hierarchy of the department to clarify the roles of the managers.*

*If any of the requested information is exempt from disclosure under the FOI Act, please provide an explanation of the exemption(s) applied and any relevant public interest test considerations.*

**Our response:**

I can confirm that UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) holds some information relevant to your request. Please see the information below.

We are exempting the names, email addresses and telephone numbers of individuals under section 40(2) of the FOIA. Disclosing this information would contravene the first Data Protection Principle as defined under Section 86 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and Article 5 of UK General Data Protection Regulation (UK GDPR).

Section 40(2) is an absolute exemption and does not require a public interest test.

UKRI is a large, complex organisation containing a wide range of roles that could be interpreted to fall under the list of positions you have provided. Many of these positions exist across multiple different departments within UKRI

and the individual research councils that UKRI brings together. More information about UKRI and its structure is available [here](#)<sup>1</sup>.

Should you require more detailed information about a specific department within UKRI, please feel free to resubmit your request, providing as much detail as possible about the organisational area(s) in which you are interested.

If you have any queries regarding our response please do let us know. If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review, explaining which elements of this decision you disagree with and why. Internal review requests should be submitted within 40 working days of the date of our response and should be addressed to:

Head of Information Governance

Email: [foi@ukri.org](mailto:foi@ukri.org)

Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are still not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may apply to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review procedure provided by UKRI. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk).

If you wish to raise a complaint regarding the service you have received or the conduct of any UKRI staff in relation to your request, please see [UKRI's complaints procedure](#)<sup>2</sup>.

Yours sincerely,

  
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Information Rights Team  
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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.ukri.org/who-we-are/about-uk-research-and-innovation/>

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.ukri.org/who-we-are/contact-us/make-a-complaint/#skipnav-target>