



*Connecting researchers to great opportunities*



# PiirusMatch

## Matching your needs to cutting-edge research expertise

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Our new PiirusMatch consultancy service quickly connects international organisations, governments and policy makers with world-class researchers and academic experts around the globe. PiirusMatch provides access to great minds, high quality evidence and a global talent pool of independent researchers and academic researchers at HE institutions around the world.

**“Significant expertise can add value where evidence is incomplete or can be misrepresented or difficult to navigate.”**

## What are the benefits of PiirusMatch?

Connect to a global network of academics and researchers

Access the right expertise at the right time

Support small-scale projects with tight deadlines

Support projects that demand flexibility and responsiveness

Find trusted experts beyond your normal networks

**“PiirusMatch will match specialist experts to your specific needs.”**

## Why we've launched PiirusMatch

We can provide you with access to credible and renowned academic consultants who can support you in a number of different ways:



### Reviewing evidence

- Critical review
- Assessing research evidence
- Identifying best available evidence
- Determining applicability of evidence



### Thought leadership

- Expert witnesses
- Contributing to boards and seminars
- Taking part in “hack days” and “ideas jams”



### Change expertise

- Advising on end user needs
- Providing baseline positioning
- Advising on proven delivery processes
- Determining success criteria



### **Data analysis**

- Working with analytical teams
- Interpreting data
- Carrying out rapid reviews
- Providing insight



### **Expert advice**

- Ministerial correspondence
- Parliamentary questions
- Evidence-informed policy



### **Implementation**

- Supporting policy development
- Advice on project management
- Due diligence

**“With a growing demand for agile, ‘just in time’ access to trusted expertise, identifying experts from around the world can be challenging and time consuming. We take away this pain by quickly identifying suitable experts and brokering relationships.”**

## Our service - how it works



**“Just let us know who you’re looking for and together we will define the perfect candidate. We will then find you the talent that matches your brief and expectations.”**

5.  
WE SEARCH

...and provide a shortlist from our global talent pool

6.  
YOU SELECT

...from the shortlist and engage directly

7.  
WE EVALUATE

...jointly how things have gone when the assignment completes

**“Our consultancy service puts you in control, helping you to access a variety of experts to meet your different needs. You can engage directly with academic consultants with the support of our team.”**

## About our team

**PiirusMatch** is brought to you by **piirus.ac.uk**. We're a sister service to the leading academic jobs board **jobs.ac.uk**. Our relationship with **jobs.ac.uk** brings you a trusted, dedicated and capable team.

Our brokerage consultants will build an on-going relationship with your organisation so we can understand and be responsive to your needs. We recognise that you're not funding research – you're buying expertise. So we'll make sure that your requirements are at the forefront of our search and placement process.

To find out more or arrange a meeting with our team, visit

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