# USER MANUAL FOR AUTHORITY TO RECRUIT / NEW APPOINTMENT (INCLUDING TRANSFERS AND REHIRES) PROCESS



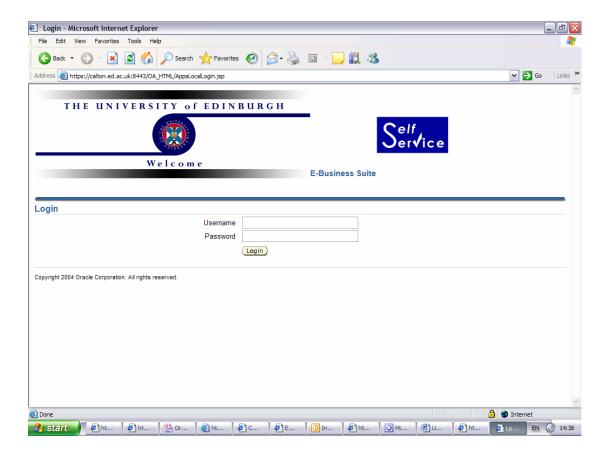
### **ORIGINATOR**

#### **SECTION 1 - LOGIN**

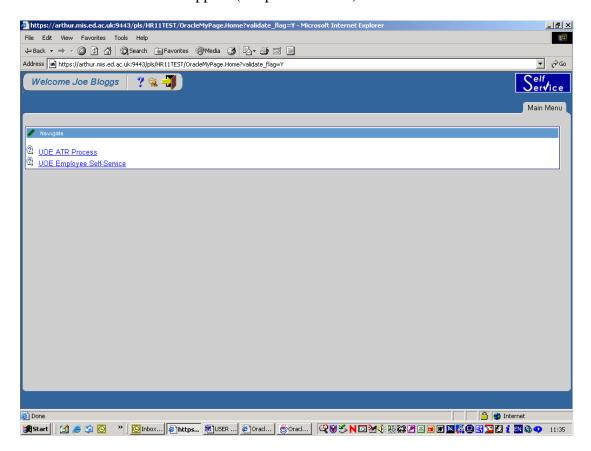
Open up Internet Explorer and go to the following URL:

https://fenton.mis.ed.ac.uk:8443/OA\_HTML/AppsLocalLogin.jsp

The login box will then appear with two fields requesting your username and password. Complete these and click on LOGIN.



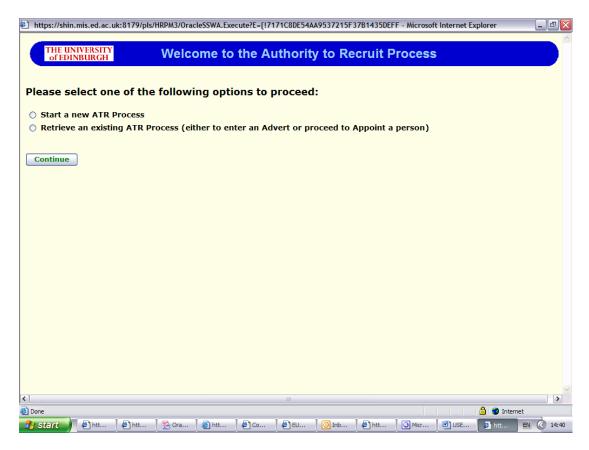
The Main Menu will then appear (see picture below)



#### Click on UOE ATR Process

#### Click on Authority To Recruit Process

A query screen will appear (see picture below):



There are 2 options.

To start a new ATR Process, the following pages will show you how to complete this.

To retrieve an existing ATR Process, see <u>Section 4</u>.

Click in the circle next to the relevant option then click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

#### **SECTION 2 – COMPLETION OF AUTHORITY TO RECRUIT (ATR)**

Authority to Recruit Screen (see example below)

Complete the following fields (\*mandatory fields):

- College/Support Group\*
- Organisation\*- (The level 5 unit to which the position belongs)
- Post\* (If New, a Grading Approval Number is mandatory provided by your HR Manager/Advisor. If existing the full name of the Current/Previous Position Holder must be provided)

Current/Previous Position Holder – (Existing positions only, see notes for Post)

Grading Approval Number – (New positions only, see notes for post)

- Job Title\* (Title successful applicant will have on their contract)
- Earliest Start Date\*
- Latest Start Date\* (Defaults to 6mths after earliest start but can be amended)
- Max Grade for Post\* (The highest grade you would wish to appoint at)
- Employment Category\* (The type of contract; choose from, Permanent,
   Fixed Term or Hours to be Notified. If Fixed Term chosen either FT End Date or Duration and FT Reason must be completed)

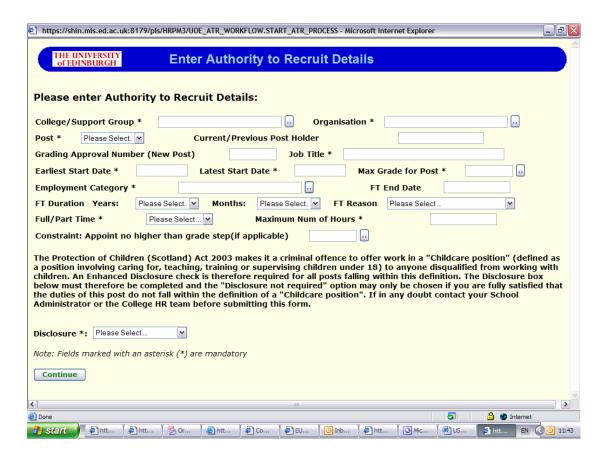
FT End Date – (Fixed Term only, see notes for Employment Category)

FT Duration - (Fixed Term only, see notes for Employment Category)

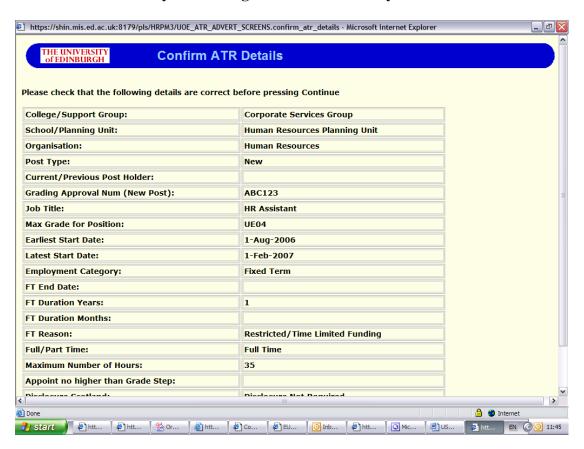
FT Reason – (Fixed Term only, see notes for Employment Category)

- Full/Part Time\* (If F/T is entered in the Full/Part Time field then the Maximum Num of Hours will automatically be populated with the correct full time hours. If P/T is entered then you must enter the number of working hours, except in the case of Hours to be Notified (Employment Category) the hours should be zero)
- Maximum Num of Hours\* (See notes for Full/Part Time)
- Constraint: appoint no higher than grade step (if applicable) (Only required if there is a constraint on funding for the salary e.g. appoint no higher than point 3 on UE07)

Wef 23/9/05 Disclosure Field \* - This field must be completed with one of the following 2 options, Disclosure Required or Disclosure not Required.
 Information regarding this field can be found on the screen (see example below)



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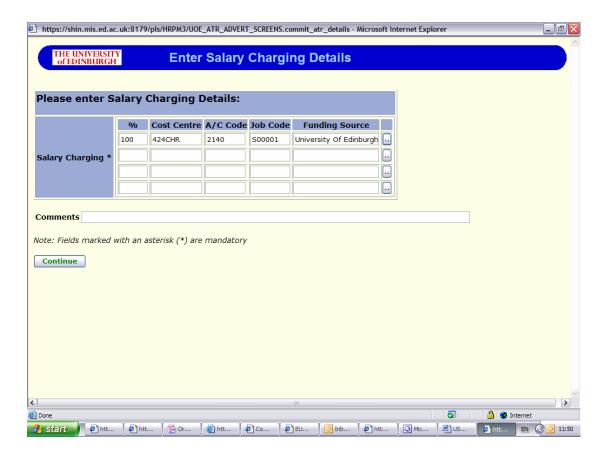
#### **Salary Charging Screen (see example below)**

Please complete the following fields:

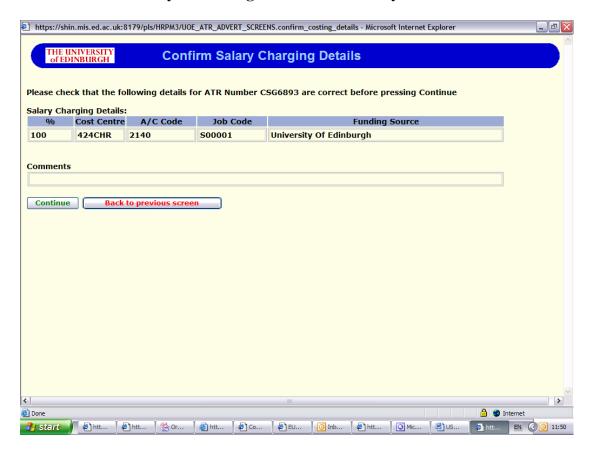
- Percentage of Salary Charging\* (enter the percentage of the new employees salary to be charged to a Cost Centre, Account Code and Job Code. You may enter more than one line if the funding is split (i.e. 50%-50%, 50%-25%-25%) as long as the total is 100%)
- Cost Centre\* (i.e. 424000)
- Account Code\* (i.e. 2140)
- Job Code\* (i.e. S00001)
- Funding Source\* this is the funding source/body that the employee's salary will be charged to, the following rules should be applied when completing this field:
  - Job Code = Snnnnn (i.e. S00001) then always use funding code UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
  - Job Code = Bnnnnn (i.e. B00001) then always use funding code DEPARTMENTAL INCOME
  - Job Code = Gnnnnn (i.e. G00001) then always use funding code DEPARTMENTAL FUNDS
  - Job Code = Dnnnnn then always use funding code DEPARTMENTAL DONATIONS
  - Job Code = Ennnn then always use funding code ENDOWMENT
  - For all other Job Codes (beginning R etc) please select the funding source/body from the pick list.

The system will check that each part of the costing is a valid code. It will also check that the job code can be used with the account code quoted e.g. job code R12345 account code must begin with a 3 i.e. 3012.

The comments box allows the Originator to inform the Approver of any further information required on salary charging.

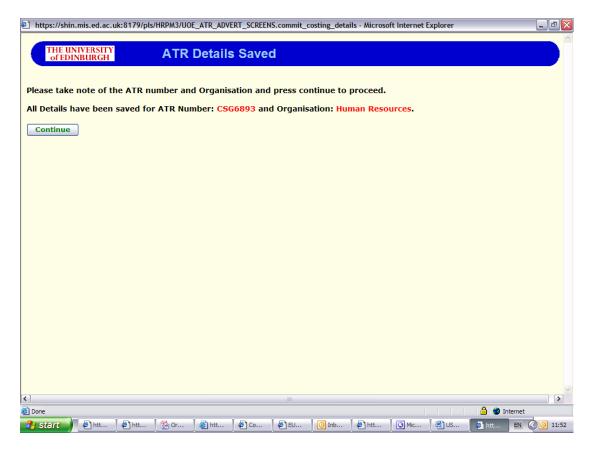


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A screen will then appear (see picture below) confirming the ATR details have been saved.

An ATR Number will be provided along with the name of the relevant Organisation, please ensure to take a note of both of these, as the information will be required to retrieve the completed process at a later stage (see section 4).



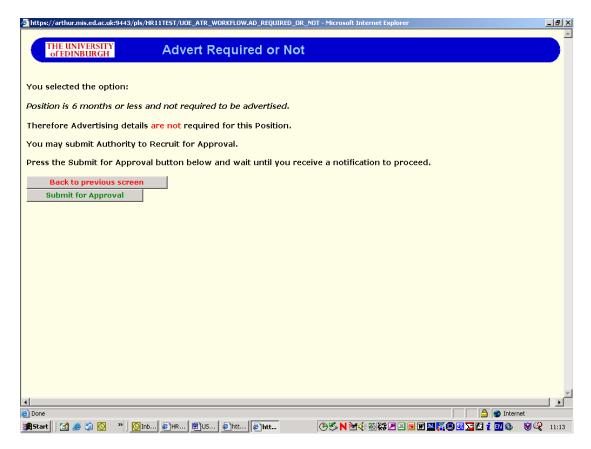
The following screen will appear asking you to choose an option that relates to the position to which you are recruiting (click in the circle next to the relevant one):



The following pages will deal with each of the three options noted.

Once the appropriate option has been selected click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

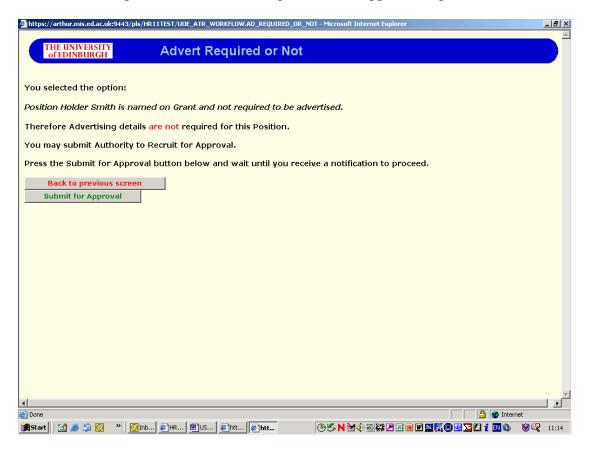
If you select 'Position is 6 months or less' the following screen will appear (see picture below):



#### Click on SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL.

Once you have submitted this you will receive notifications at different stages of the process (see Section 5).

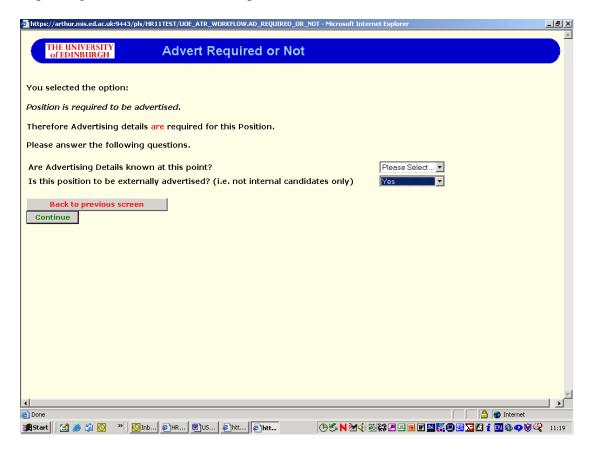
If you select 'Position Holder is named on Grant' you must also complete their full name in the box provided. The following screen will appear (see picture below):



#### Click on SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL.

Once you have submitted this you will receive notifications at different stages of the process (see Section 5).

If you select 'Position is required to be advertised' then a screen will appear requesting further information (see picture below):



The system will default to yes for 'Is this position to be externally advertised?' this can be amended to no for recruiting internal candidates only.

#### There are 4 options:

- 1. Advertising details known and externally advertised i.e. yes/yes
- 2. Advertising details known and not externally advertised (internal candidates only) i.e. yes/no
- **3.** Advertising details not known and externally advertised i.e. no/yes
- **4.** Advertising details not known and not externally advertised (internal candidates only) i.e. no/no

The following is how each of these should be dealt with.

Once the appropriate option has been selected click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

#### SECTION 3 – COMPLETION OF ADVERT DETAILS

### Option 1 - Advertising details known and externally advertised (see example below)

Complete the following fields (\*mandatory fields):

#### • Publications Listing

The system will automatically choose the University Jobs Site (jobs.ed.ac.uk). There are another 3 fields for further publications if required.

(If you choose the Scotsman the advert will also automatically be placed in the Evening News or the Scotland on Sunday. You cannot advertise singly in the Scotsman or Scotland on Sunday. If you want to advertise singly in the Evening News please select Ed Evening News from the list.)

Note: If the publication you require is not listed you can enter a new medium in the final box of the publications listing section.

#### • Charging for External Advertising

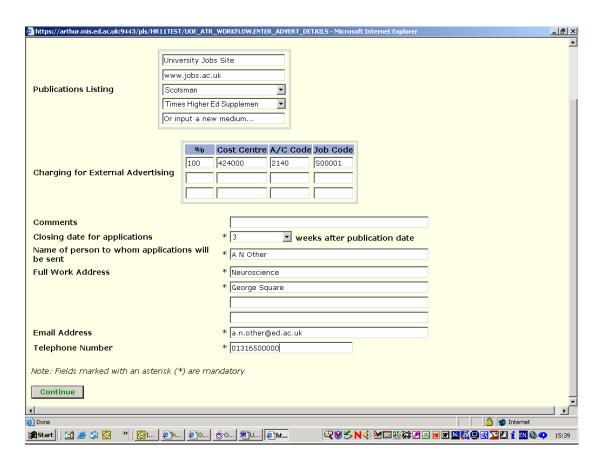
Percentage for External Advertising\* - (enter the percentage of the advertising costs to be charged to a Cost Centre, Account Code and Job Code. You may enter more than one line if the funding is split (i.e. 50%-50%, 50%-25%-25%) as long as the total is 100%)

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Cost Centre* - (i.e. 424000)
Account Code* - (i.e. 2140)
Job Code* - (i.e. S00001)
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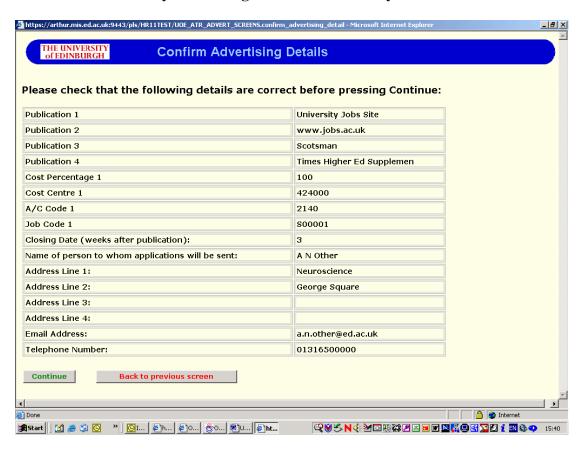
The system will check that each part of the costing is a valid code. It will also check that the job code can be used with the account code quoted e.g. job code R12345 account code must begin with a 3 i.e. 3012.

This section is mandatory for all non-university funded positions or if you request more than one publication (excluding the University Jobs Site and Warwick Web).

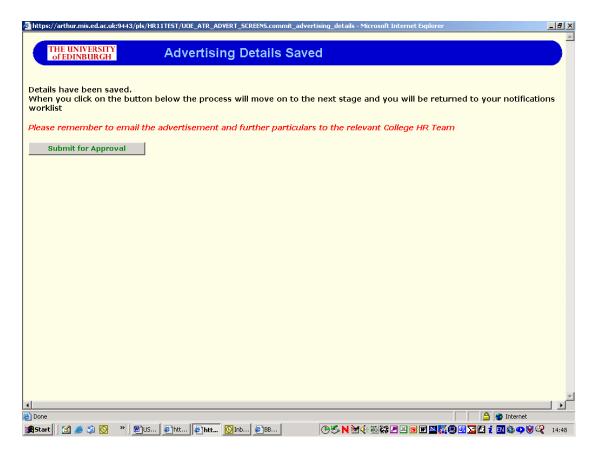
- Comments (Allows the Originator to inform HR of any further information required for advertising)
- Closing date for applications\* (Choose from drop down box either 2, 3 or 4 weeks. This will be set from the date of placement in the publication)
- Name of person to whom applications will be sent\* (Please use full name)
- Full Work Address\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)
- Email Address\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)
- Telephone Number\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)



A screen will then appear (see picture below) confirming all the information you have typed in, if this is correct then click on CONTINUE if not click on BACK TO PREVIOUS SCREEN to return to original screen and make amendments. **Once you click on CONTINUE you cannot go back and make any amendments.** 



A screen will then appear (see picture below) confirming the advertising details have been saved.



Click on SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL.

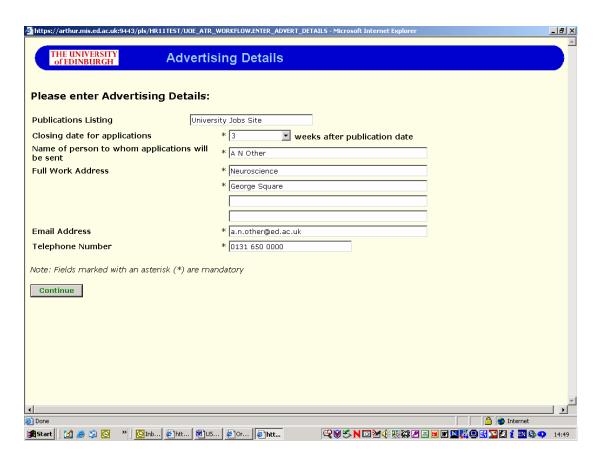
Once you have submitted this you will receive notifications at different stages of the process (see Section 5).

NOTE: Adverts cannot be placed in publications until HR has received both the advert and further particulars by email attachment.

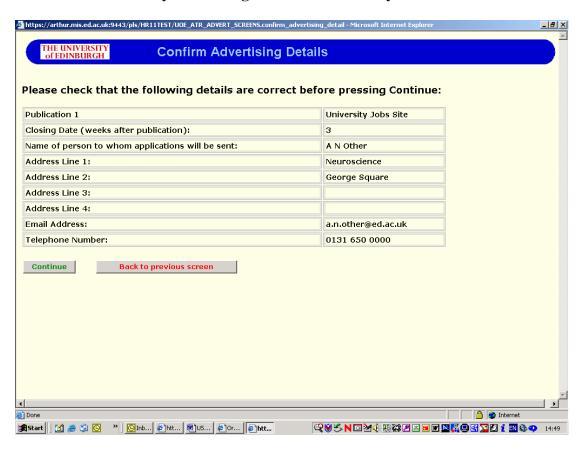
### Option 2 - Advertising details known and not externally advertised (internal candidates only)

Complete the following fields (\*mandatory fields):

- Publications Listing (The system will automatically choose the University Jobs Site (jobs.ed.ac.uk) for all internal candidates only positions)
- Closing date for applications\* (Choose from drop down box of either 2, 3 or 4 weeks)
- Name of person to whom applications will be sent\* (Please use full name)
- Full Work Address\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)
- Email Address\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)
- Telephone Number\* (Of person to whom applications will be sent)



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A screen will then appear (see picture below) confirming the advertising details have been saved.



Click on SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL.

Once you have submitted this you will receive notifications at different stages of the process (see Section 5).

NOTE: Adverts cannot be placed in publications until HR has received both the advert and further particulars by email attachment.

## Options 3 & 4 – Advertising details not known and either externally or not externally advertised

As the advertising details are not known at this point the ATR will go for approval.



Click on SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL.

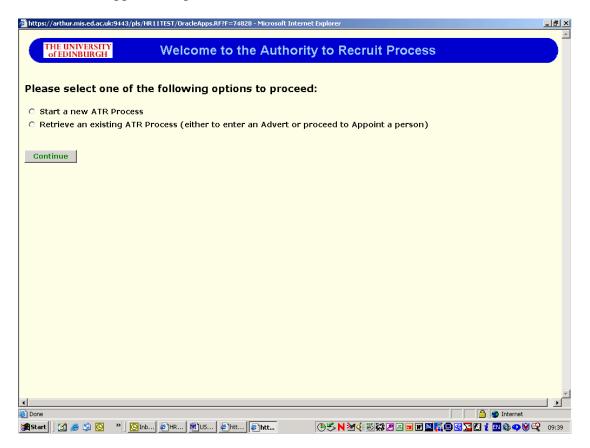
Once you have submitted this you will then receive notifications at different stages of the process (see Section 5).

You can then proceed to add advertising details when known.

#### SECTION 4 – RETRIEVING APPROVED ATR FOR CHANGES

If you are not already logged into the system follow the instructions on <u>pages 2, 3 and 4.</u>

A screen will appear (see picture below)



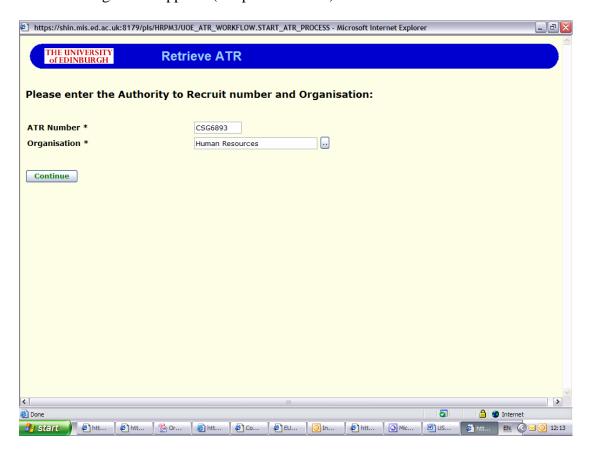
There are 2 options:

To start a new ATR Process, see <u>Section 2</u>.

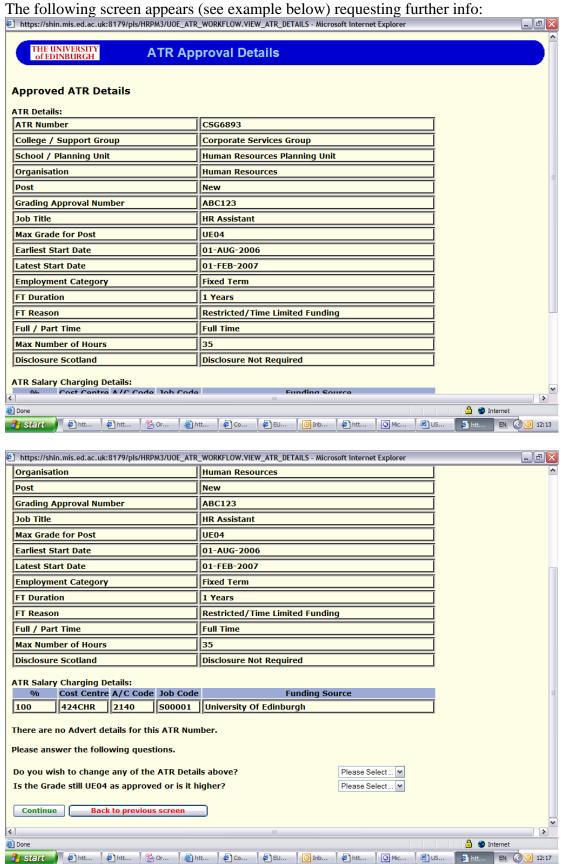
To retrieve an existing ATR Process, the following pages will show you how to complete this.

Click in the circle next to the relevant option then click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

The following screen appears (see picture below)

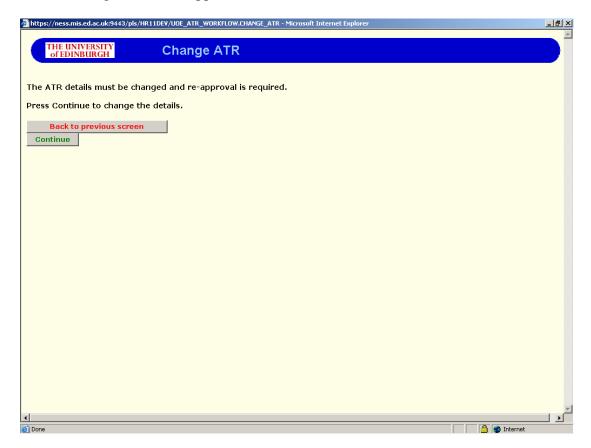


Enter the relevant ATR Number and Organisation (as provided on the ATR Details Saved screen, see page 11)



If you wish to make changes to the ATR before appointing answer 'yes' to the first question and 'higher' or 'same or less' (which ever is applicable) to the second question. Click on CONTINUE.

#### The following screen will appear

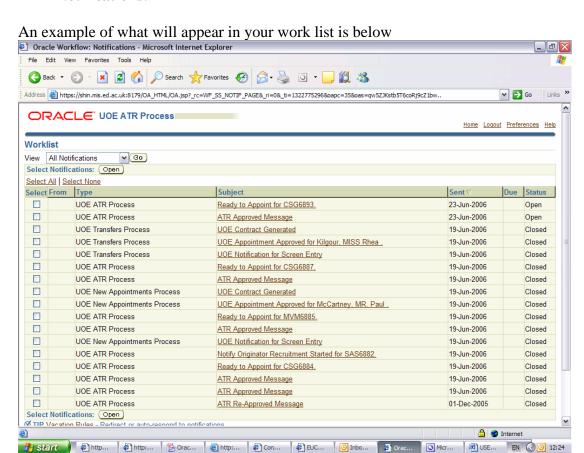


Click on CONTINUE to make changes.

Amend the relevant fields as required (see <u>pages 6-10</u>) then re-submit for approval. The ATR will then go through Approval,  $2^{nd}$  Approval and be returned to the Originator for appointment.

#### **SECTION 5 – NOTIFICATIONS**

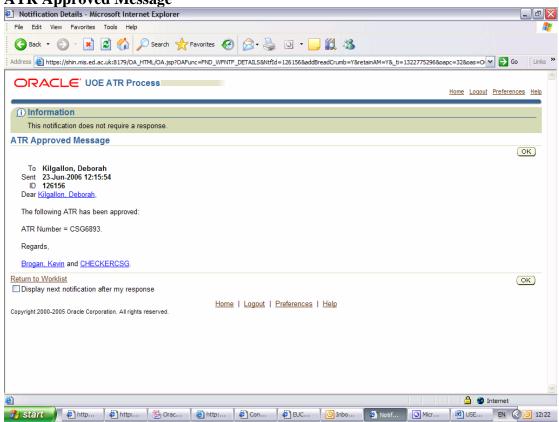
#### **ATR Notifications:**

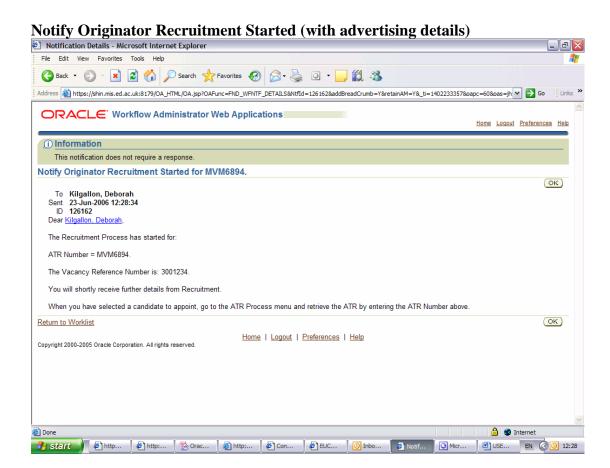


To view the ATR notifications click on the link within the subject column.

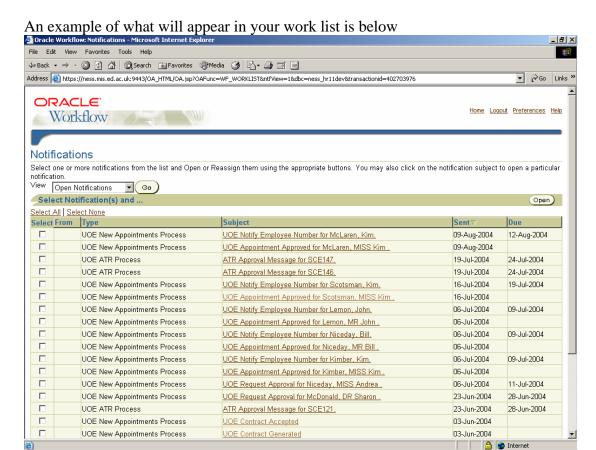
Examples of both the ATR Approved Message and Notify Originator Recruitment are shown on the following pages.

**ATR Approved Message** 





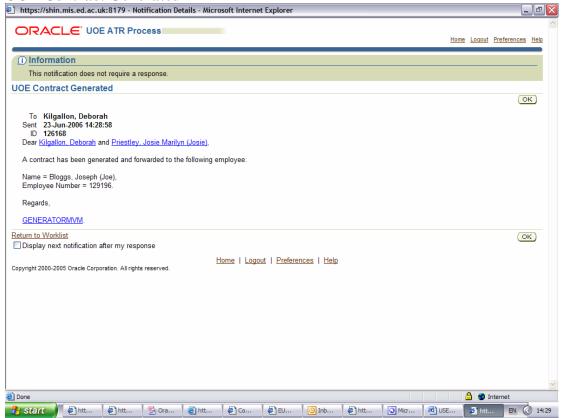
#### **Appointment Notifications:**



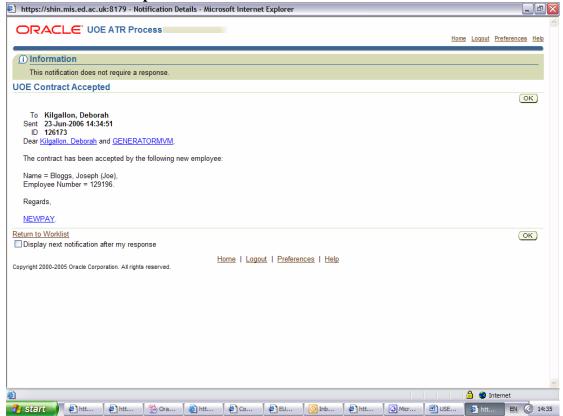
To view the Appointment notifications click on the link within the subject column.

Examples of both the UOE Contract Accepted or UOE Contract Generated screens are shown on the following pages.

#### **UOE Contract Generated**

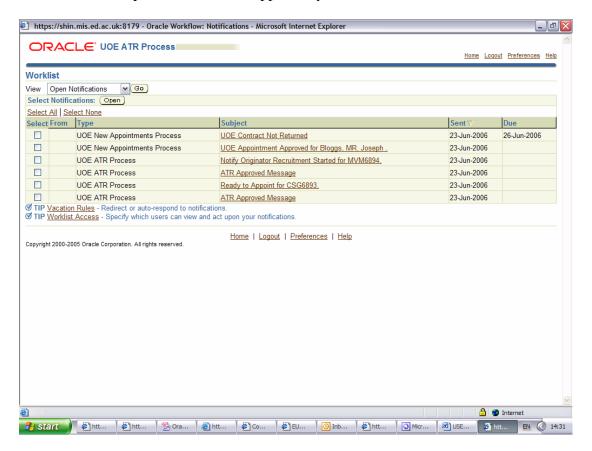


**UOE Contract Accepted** 

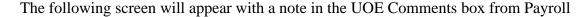


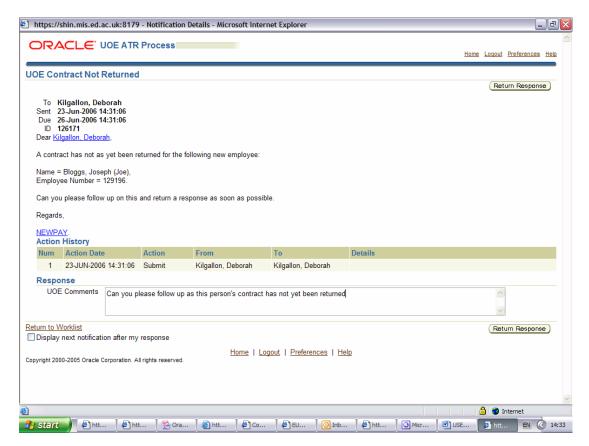
There is one final notification that the originator can receive, this is from Payroll (NEWPAY) and is sent when Payroll have not received the contract back from the new employee asking you to chase it up.

Below is an example of what would appear in your work list.

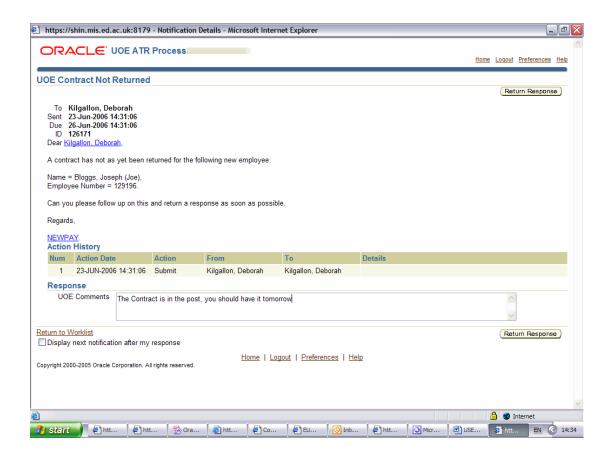


To view the notification click on the words highlighted in blue 'UOE Contract Not Returned'.





You should then chase up the contract with the New Employee and once you have an answer, go back into the notification remove the note in the UOE Comments from Payroll, type in your own reply (see example below) and press **Return Response.** This will send the notification back to payroll.



#### SECTION 6 – RETRIEVING APPROVED ATR FOR APPOINTMENT

If you are not already logged into the system follow the instructions on <u>pages 2, 3 and 4.</u>

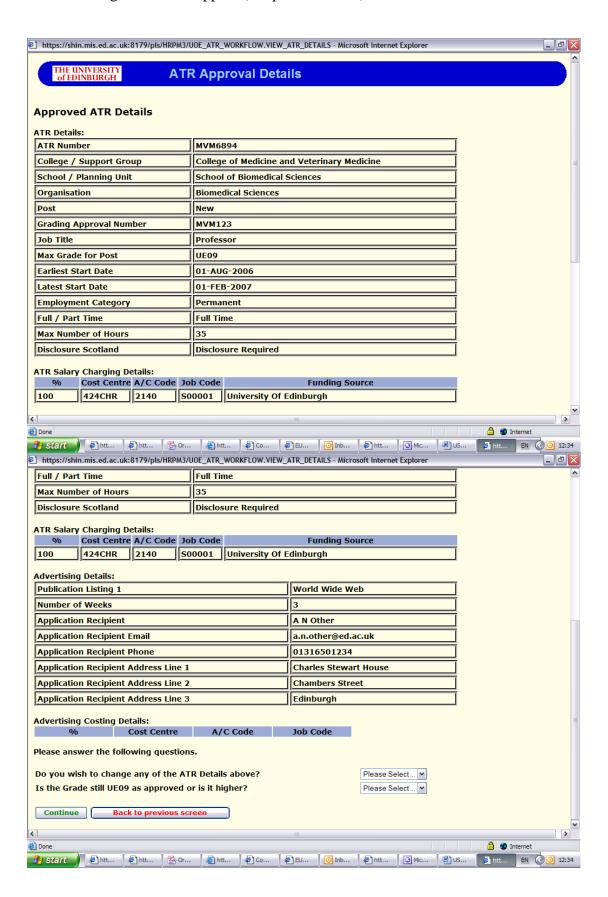
Click in the circle next to retrieve an existing ATR Process.

Click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

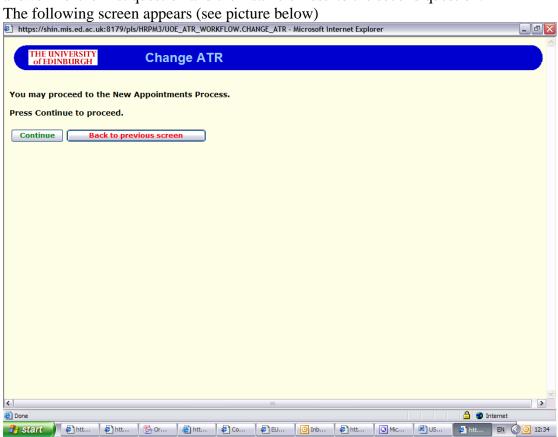
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Enter the relevant ATR Number and Organisation (as provided on the ATR Details Saved Screen see page 11).

The following screen will appear (see picture below)

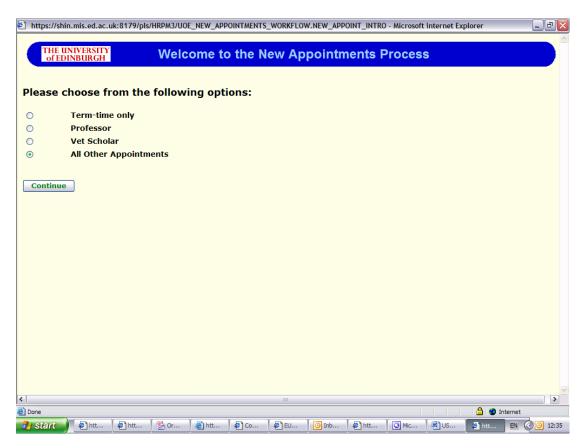


If you have no changes to make and wish to continue to appoint using this ATR answer 'no' the first question and then 'same or less' to the second question.



Click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

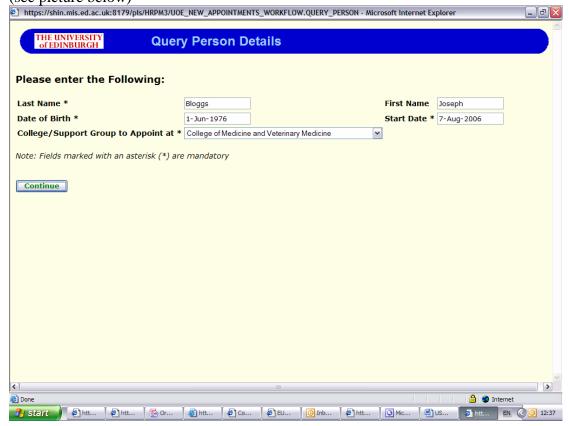
A box will appear (see picture below) asking you to choose which of the following relates to the appointment you are dealing with (click on the relevant one, the system defaults to All Other Appointments):



Click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen

If you have selected Term-time only, Professor or Vet Scholar the following message will appear: "This is an exceptional New Start. Please appoint this person external to the system, using the manual process in place."

If you selected 'All Other Appointments' then the following screen will appear (see picture below)



requesting you to complete the fields with the following information:

- Last Name\* (Initial Capitals i.e. Bloggs)
- First Name (Initial Capitals i.e. Joseph)
- Date of Birth\* (dd/mm/yyyy or dd/mmm/yyyy)
- Start Date\* (dd/mm/yyyy)
- College/Support Group to Appoint at\*

(\*Mandatory Fields)

Click on CONTINUE to move to the next screen.

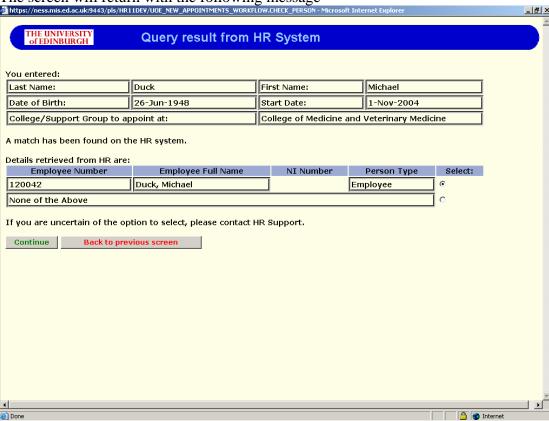
If the person exists on Oracle they will be 1 of 4 things

- An existing employee on the Main Payroll
- An existing employee on the Casual Payroll
- An ex-employee with a final process date
- An ex-employee without a final process date

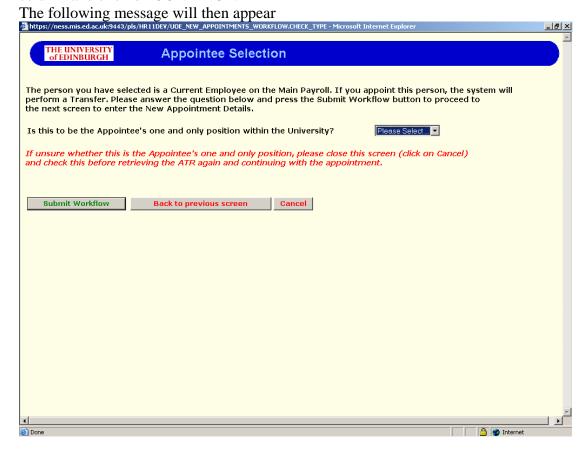
The following is how each of these should be dealt with

# An existing employee on the Main Payroll

The screen will return with the following message



If this is the person you wish to hire then click in the circle in the 'please select' column and click on CONTINUE.



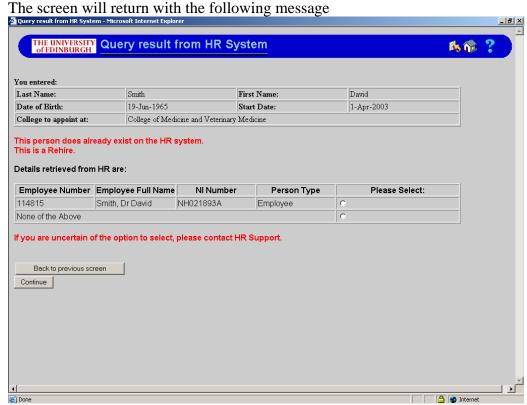
You should now answer the question (by selecting Yes or No from the pick list) 'Is this to be the Appointee's one and only position within the University'.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THIS QUESTION IS ANSWERED CORRECTLY THEREFORE IF YOU ARE UNSURE THIS IS THE APPOINTEE'S ONE AND ONLY POSITION PLEASE CLOSE THIS SCREEN (CLICK ON CANCEL BUTTON) AND CHECK (EITHER WITH THE EMPLOYEE OR YOUR HR TEAM) BEFORE RETRIEVING THE ATR AGAIN AND CONTINUING WITH THE APPOINTMENT.

Once you have answered the question (YES or NO from pick list) click on the Submit Workflow button.

Please then follow instructions from page 46 of this manual

## An existing employee on the Casual Payroll

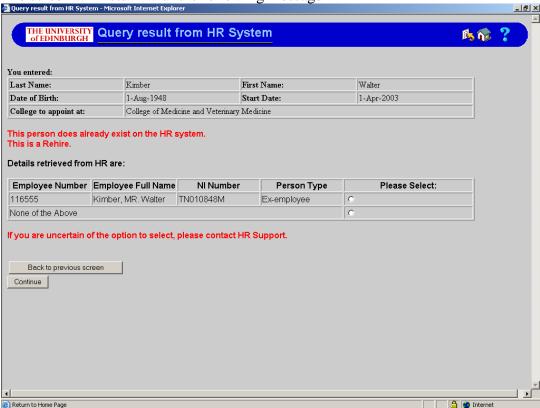


If this is the person you wish to hire then click in the circle in the 'please select' column and click on CONTINUE.

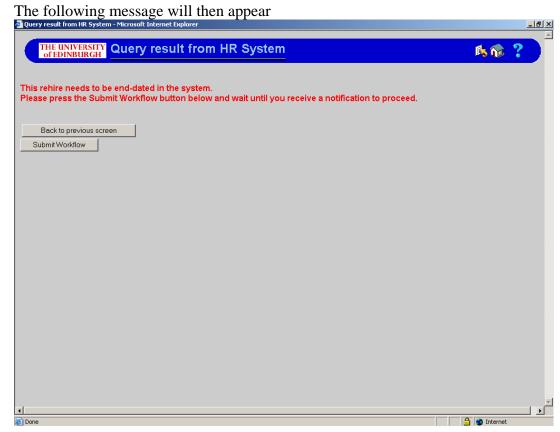
The following message will then appear

# An ex-employee without a final process date

The screen will return with the following message

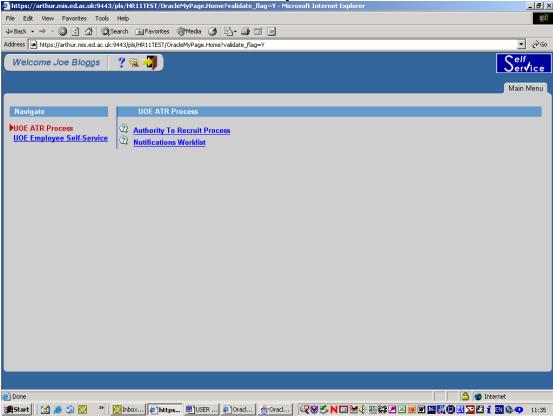


If this is the person you wish to hire then click in the circle in the 'please select' column and click on CONTINUE.



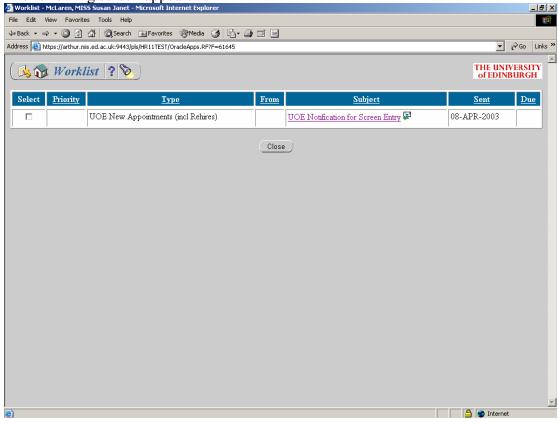
Click on Submit Workflow. Then wait until you receive a notification to continue.

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Once you receive the notification click on Notifications Worklist (see example of screen above) in your UOE ATR Process Screen.

The following screen appears



Click on UOE Notification of Screen Entry and follow instruction from page 46+

# An ex-employee with a final process date

The screen will return with the following message



If this is the person you wish to hire then click in the circle in the 'please select' column and click on CONTINUE.

The following message will then appear

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You may proceed to rehire this person by going to the next screen to enter the New Appointment Details.

Please press the Submit Workflow button below.

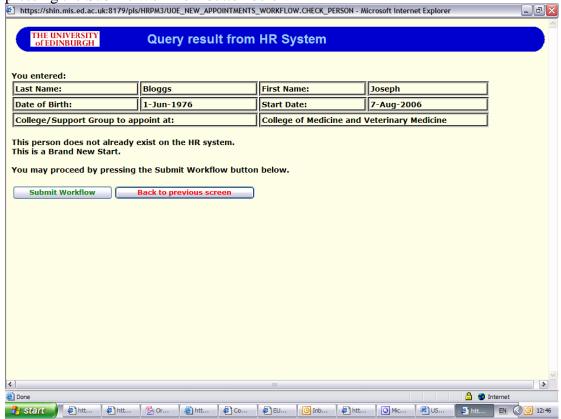
Back to previous screen

Submit Workflow

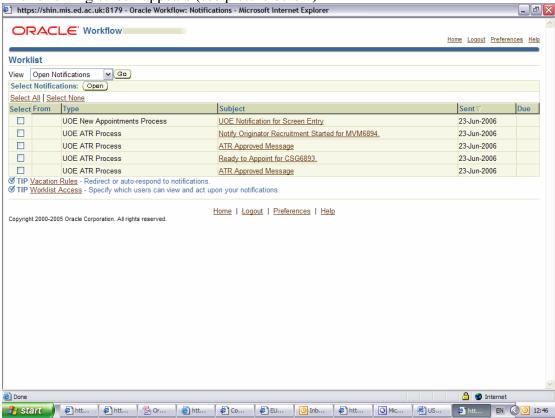
Click on Submit Workflow and follow instructions from Page 46

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If the person does not exist on Oracle a screen will appear (see picture below) confirming the details you entered and show the following message "This person does not already exist on the HR system. This is a brand New Start. You may proceed by pressing the Submit Workflow button below"

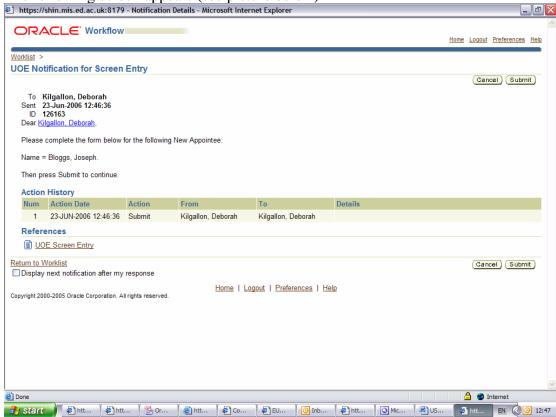


The following screen appears (see picture below)



Click on UOE Notification for Screen Entry

The following screen appears (see picture below)



As an Originator you should Click once on the **small document icon** above the wording UOE Screen Entry

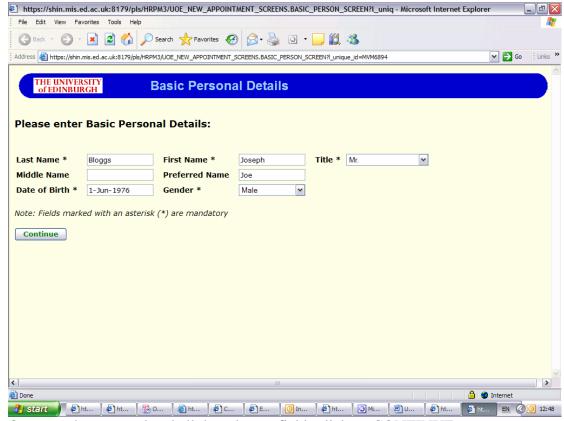
The screen's, which now follow, are split into 6 sections

- Basic Personal Details
- Address Details
- Other Person Details
- Appointment Details
- Costing Allowance Details
- Additional Contract Details

These should be completed as follows: (if the person you are appointing is a Transfer or Rehire the detail on the Basic Personal Details Screen will already be completed for you)

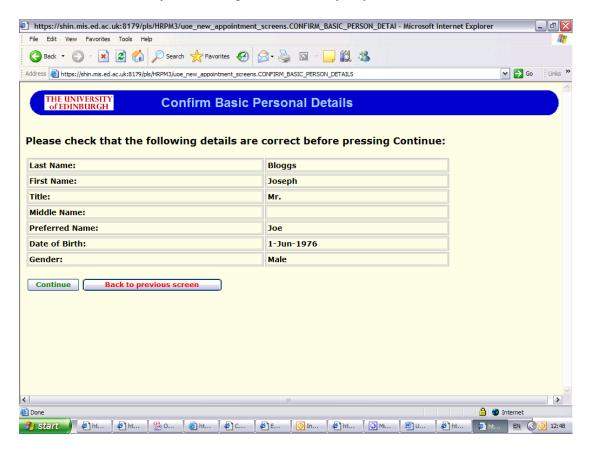
## **BASIC PERSONAL DETAILS SCREEN (see picture below)**

- Last name\* (Initial Capitals i.e. Blogg)
- First name\* (Initial Capitals i.e. Jo)
- Title\*
- Middle Name (Initial Capitals i.e. John)
- Preferred Name (Initial Capitals i.e. John)
- Date of Birth\* (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Gender\*



Once you have completed all the relevant fields click on CONTINUE

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# **ADDRESS DETAILS SCREEN (see picture below)**

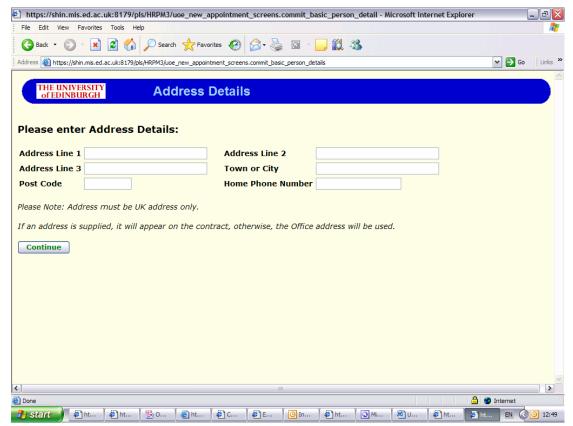
If you have the Home Address for the new employee please complete the following fields, if not the system when producing the contract will automatically default to the pay address.

#### These details are for the new employees HOME address only.

(If this appointment is for a Transfer then any Home address we hold will be displayed for you to view but you will not be able to update it, this must be done by the employee through Employee Self-Service)

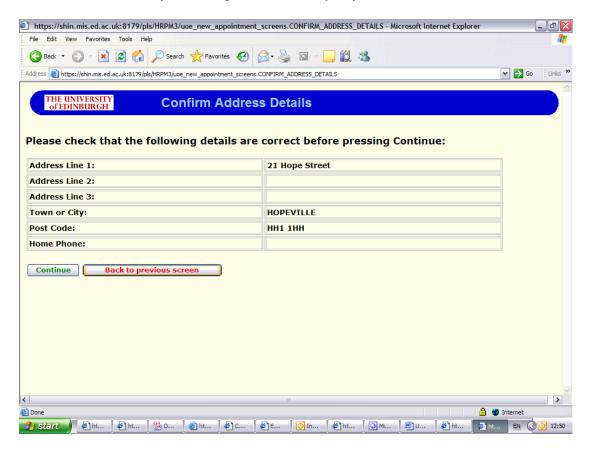
- Address Line 1 (Initial Capitals e.g. 21 Hope Street)
- Address Line 2 (Initial Capitals)
- Address Line 3 (Initial Capitals)
- Town
- Postcode (Capitals e.g. HH1 1HH)
- Home Phone Number

## **Note: UK Address only to be entered**

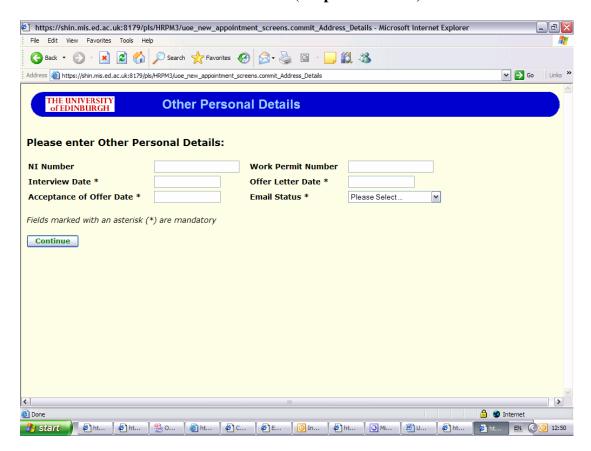


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# **OTHER PERSON DETAILS SCREEN (see picture below)**



- NI Number\* (If unknown leave blank)
- Work Permit No. (If applicable, enter number from Work Permit)
- Interview Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Offer Letter Date (dd/mm/yyyy, should be after Interview Date)
- Acceptance of Offer Date (dd/mm/yyyy, should be after Offer Letter Date)
- Email Status:

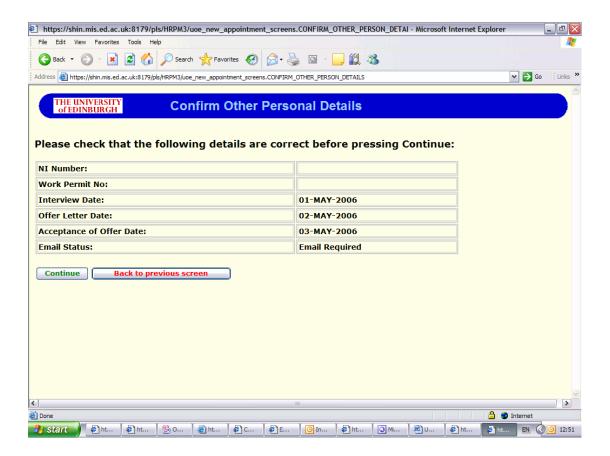
Not Required – (Not required to do the job)

Required Private – (Email held by HR and used for official correspondence but not visible publicly)

Required – (Email held by HR and visible publicly)

Once you have completed all the relevant fields click on CONTINUE

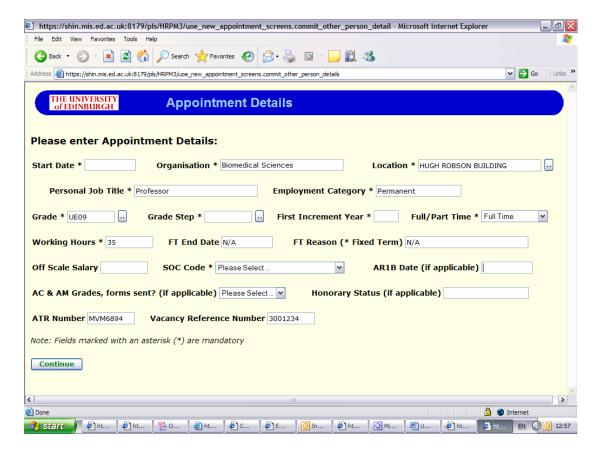
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## **APPOINTMENT DETAILS SCREEN (see picture below)**

Complete the following fields (\* mandatory fields):

- Start Date\* (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Organisation\* *already completed*
- Location\* (This will be populated with the default for the level 5 unit but can be amended by clearing the field and entering the required location from pick list)
- Personal Job Title\* *already completed*
- Employment Category\* already completed
- Grade\* *already completed* (this can be lowered if required e.g. UE04 to UE03)
- Grade Step (Please complete with the relevant point of the scale to which the
  new appointee is to be appointed (see scales on HR web page
  <a href="http://www.humanresources.ed.ac.uk/pay/payscales">http://www.humanresources.ed.ac.uk/pay/payscales</a>). The FT value for this
  will then appear on the confirmation screen. Do not complete if the new
  appointee is off-scale.
- 1st Increment Year\* (enter the year the new appointee is to receive their first increment. Please note the new appointee should be in post by the 1<sup>st</sup> of May in a year to be eligible for an increment in the same year).
- Full/Part Time\* already completed (if FT can be lowered to PT if required)
- Working Hours\* *already completed* (hours can be reduced if required)
- FT End Date\* (dd/mm/yyy) Mandatory only if the Employment Category is Fixed Term
- FT Reason\* Mandatory only if the Employment Category is Fixed Term
- Off Scale Salary (Only to be entered when the new appointee's salary is not on an existing grade step)
- SOC Code\* (This is a HESA code that identifies the new appointees job function)
- AR1B Date (If applicable)
- AC & AM Grade, forms sent? (If applicable)
- Honorary Status (If applicable)
- ATR Number *already completed*
- Vacancy Reference Number *already completed*

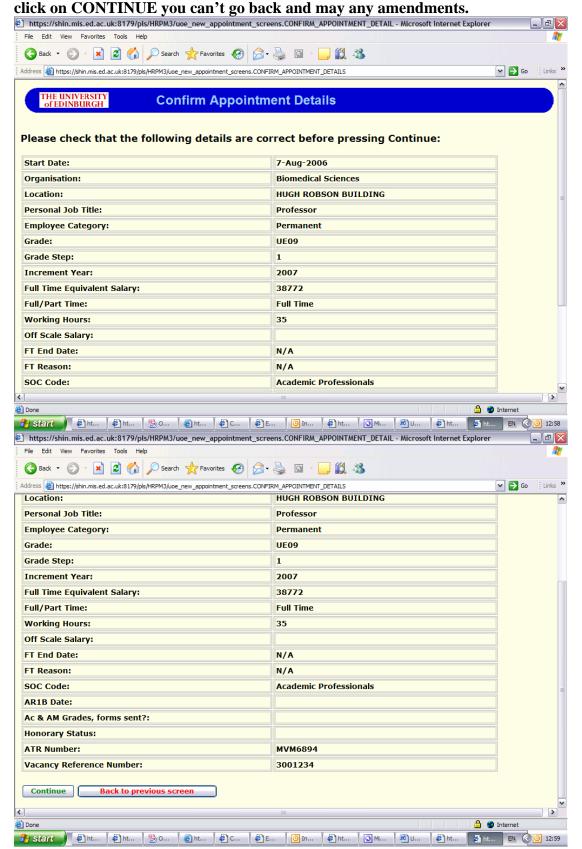


There are other details relating to a new appointee, which have been automated in the system. They are as follows:

- Pension Scheme This has been set to pick up the correct scheme for the Grade appointed to.
- Increment Month This has been set to pick up the correct month for the Grade appointed to.
- Destination of Pay Slip This has been set to go automatically to the new appointees level 5 unit.
- Probationary Period This has been set to automatically record 26 weeks if the new appointee is on grades UE01 to UE05.

Once you have completed all the relevant fields click on CONTINUE

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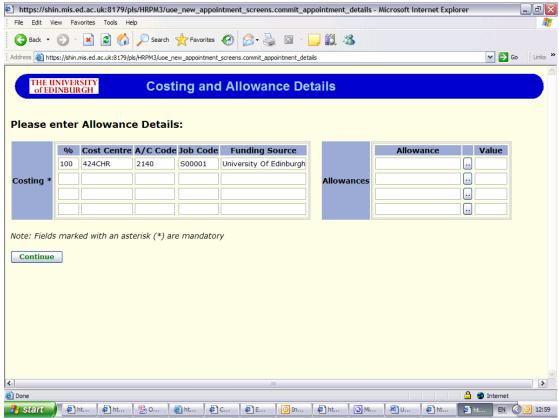
#### **COSTING**

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#### **ALLOWANCE**

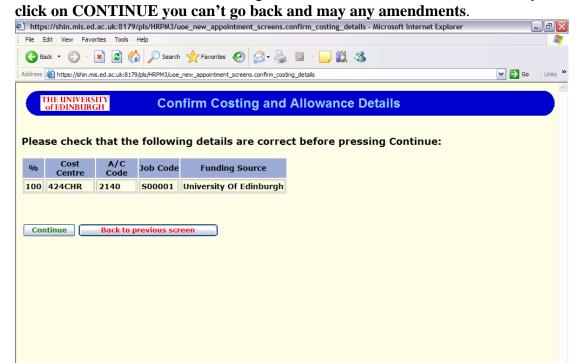
If the new appointee is to receive any allowances, then the allowance fields should be completed

- Name of Allowance (choose the allowance from the list of values)
- Value enter either the annual value of the allowance or the percentage of salary



Once you have completed all the relevant fields click on CONTINUE

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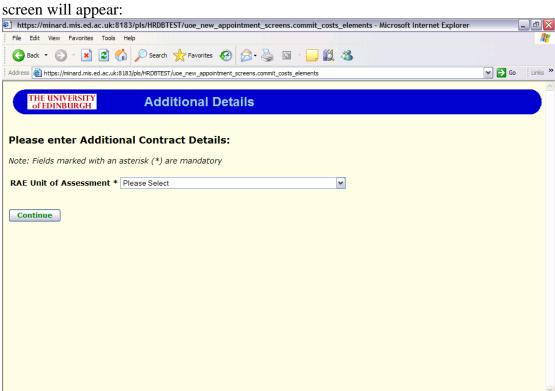


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If the appointment details that have been entered mean that the new employee is eligible to be included in the Research Assessment Exercise (RAE) then the following

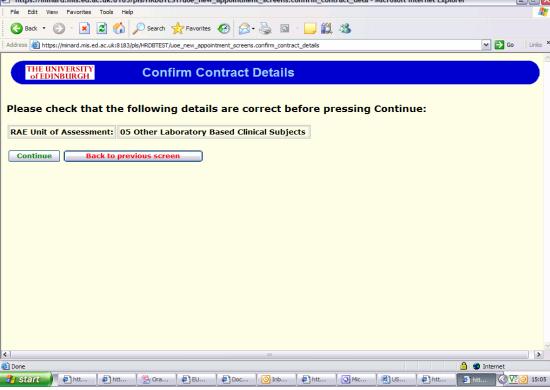


This is a mandatory field and you should select a value from the pick list to complete it. If you are unsure of the value that should be entered you should contact your School Administrator for advice.

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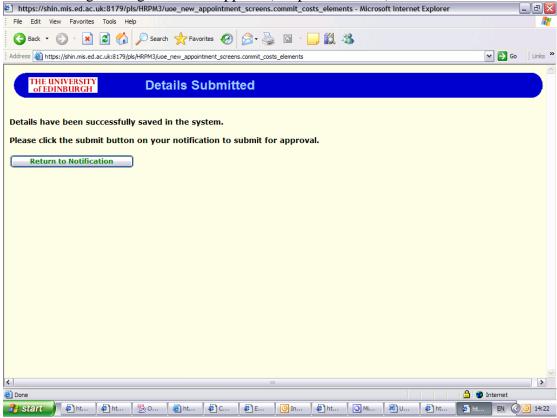
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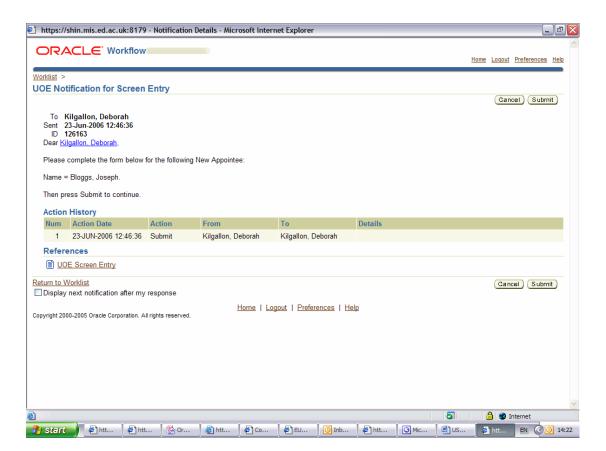


Click continue

The following message will then appear: (see picture below)



Your Notification Details Screen should now be on the screen (see picture below) Click on SUBMIT (if you decide at this stage to press CANCEL this will stop the work flow and ALL information will be lost)



Once you have submitted this then the notification carries on to the Approver, Contract Generator and finally Payroll. You will at different stages receive further notification's regarding the appointment. These will be from the Contract Generator and Payroll informing you when the contract has been produced and sent out and when the contract has been accepted and returned to Payroll