



Data Protection Notice for publication of HaDEA staff in the official directory of the European Union (EU Whoiswho)

This Data Protection Notice describes the measures taken to protect your personal data with regard to the action involving the present data processing operation and what rights you have as a data subject.

European Health and Digital Executive Agency (HaDEA or Agency) protects the fundamental rights and freedoms of natural persons and in particular your right to privacy and the protection of your personal data.

Your personal data are processed in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 2018/1725¹ on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data.

What is the purpose(s) of this processing activity?

The Official Directory of the European Union – EU Whoiswho (<https://op.europa.eu/en/web/who-is-who>) – is a directory of staff and members at all EU institutions, bodies and agencies. Its data is published to promote the transparency of the institutions and to enable European citizens and persons or organisations interested in European affairs to find contact persons.

Who is the data controller?

The data controller of the processing operation is the Head of Unit C3 – Staff, Communication and Support of the HaDEA. The following **entities process** your personal data on our behalf:

- Publication Office of the European Union (OPOCE) (info@publications.europa.eu);
- Directorate-General for Informatics (DG DIGIT) (DIGIT-SYSOPER2-INTERNAL-SUPPORT@ec.europa.eu).

Which personal data is collected?

The following personal data are processed: generic job title and organisation (department, unit, sector), surname and first name (initials of the first name for non-management staff) and professional address, professional telephone number.

Who has access to the personal data of data subjects and to whom can they be disclosed?

The recipients of your personal data will be the authorised staff of the Publications Office of the EU and general public, as the data is publicly visible on <https://op.europa.eu/en/web/who-is-who>.

Your personal data **will not be transferred** to third countries or international organisations. However, the Whoiswho directory is publicly available online and it can be accessed from third countries and/or by international organisations.

The processing of your data will **not include automated decision-making** (such as profiling).

Which is the legal basis for processing your personal data?

The legal basis for the processing activities is Article 5(1)(a) of Regulation EU 2018/1725 because processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest (or in the

¹ Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC (OJ L295/39 of 21.11.2018).

exercise of official authority vested in the Union institution or body)² and recital 22³ of the same Regulation.

How long do we keep your personal data?

Personal data appear on the EU Whoiswho as long as the data subject is an active staff member of the HaDEA. The annual complete directory version is retained in the Archive section of the Publication Office web site for historical purposes. Bi-monthly extracts per EU institution are updated regularly, each new version overwrites the previous one (which is not archived). The retention period for the data backup is maximum 5 years.

What are your rights regarding your personal data?

You have the right to access your personal data and to request your personal data to be rectified, if the data is inaccurate or incomplete; where applicable, you have the right to request a restriction of or to object to processing, to request a copy or erasure of your personal data held by the data controller. If processing is based on your consent, you have the right to withdraw your consent at any time, without affecting the lawfulness of the processing based on your consent before its withdrawal.

Your request to exercise one of the above rights will be dealt with without undue delay and within **one month**.

If you have **any queries** concerning the processing of your personal data, you may address them to the Head of Unit C3 Staff, Communication and Support (entity acting as data controller) via HADEA-COMMUNICATION@ec.europa.eu or to HaDEA Data Protection Officer at HADEA-DPO@ec.europa.eu.

The EU Publication Office record of this processing operation is available online: <https://ec.europa.eu/dpo-register/detail/DPREC-00447>

You shall have right of recourse to the European Data Protection Supervisor at <https://edps.europa.eu>.

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² Act of Establishment: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/173 of 12 February 2021 establishing the European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency, the European Health and Digital Executive Agency, the European Research Executive Agency, the European Innovation Council and SMEs Executive Agency, the European Research Council Executive Agency, and the European Education and Culture Executive Agency and repealing Implementing Decisions 2013/801/EU, 2013/771/EU, 2013/778/EU, 2013/779/EU, 2013/776/EU and 2013/770/EU.

³ Processing of personal data for the performance of tasks carried out in the public interest by the Union institutions and bodies includes the processing of personal data necessary for the management and functioning of those institutions and bodies.