

VENDOR
SELECTION
CHECKLIST: AI

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When vetting vendors, HR tech buyers should prioritize their unique organizational needs, ensuring the solution not only has advanced AI capabilities but is also ethically designed, user-friendly, offers value for the money, and is a financially sound organization. 1. General Questions: \_What specific AI technologies does your product incorporate? \_\_\_Can you provide case studies or examples of how your AI has been successfully used in similar organizations or industries? \_\_\_\_What benefits can we expect from your AI features as compared to non-AI solutions? 2. Functionality & Integration: ——How does the AI feature integrate with the existing functionalities of your product? \_\_\_\_Is the AI embedded within the product? If not, can the AI components integrate seamlessly with our current HR systems and other enterprise software? \_How customizable are the AI features to suit our organization's unique needs? 3. Data Handling & Processing: \_What type of data is required for the AI to operate optimally? \_\_\_\_How is data sourced, and can we use our historical HR data? \_\_\_\_How does your system ensure the data quality feeding into the AI? 4. Ethics & Bias: \_\_\_\_How do you handle potential biases in your AI algorithms, especially in sensitive areas like recruitment? \_What steps have you taken to ensure the AI operates ethically and transparently? \_\_\_Can the Al's decisions be easily explained and understood by HR professionals? 5. Security & Compliance: ——How do you ensure the security of our data when using AI functionalities? \_\_\_Is the AI component compliant with relevant data protection and privacy regulations (e.g., GDPR, CCPA)? \_\_\_\_What safeguards are in place to prevent misuse or unauthorized access to Al-driven insights? 6. Scalability & Performance: \_\_\_How scalable is the Al feature, especially if our organization grows or data volume increases? \_What are the hardware and software requirements to ensure optimal performance of the Al functionalities? \_\_\_\_How do you handle updates and improvements to the AI component without causing disruptions? 7. Support & Training: \_What type of training and support do you provide to help our HR team utilize the AI features

effectively?

\_\_\_\_How regularly do you update your Al algorithms, and how are customers informed and trained on these updates?

\_\_\_\_Do you have a dedicated team to address Al-specific issues or concerns?

| 8. Cost Implications:How is the AI functionality priced? Is it separate from the core product or bundled?Are there any additional costs related to data storage, processing, or third-party integrations reto AI?What are the potential ROI and long-term cost savings we can expect from incorporating AI into                                       |         |
|---|---------|
| HR processes?   |         |
| 9. Feedback & Continuous Learning:How does your AI system adapt to feedback and continuously improve its algorithms?Can we easily adjust or refine AI outputs based on our organizational preferences?How regularly is the AI model trained with new data, and can we contribute to or influence this process?  | trainin |
| <ul> <li>10. Vendor's Al Expertise:</li> <li>What is your company's experience in developing and deploying Al technologies?</li> <li>Do you collaborate with any academic or research institutions for Al development?</li> <li>How do you stay updated with the latest advancements in Al and ensure that your product rem the forefront?</li> </ul> | nains a |



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