

Configuring Communication Templates

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To establish messaging templates for recruiters to use to communicate with applicants, follow the steps below.

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1. From the main menu, search for *communication* (or navigate **Admin>HR Setup>Applicant Tracking/Recruitment>Templates Library>Communication Templates**). This page lists all predefined messaging templates for the Recruitment module.

HR Setup > Applicant Tracking/Recruitment > Templates Library > Communication Templates

← Applicant Communication Templates

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	Name	Attachments	Enabled	Created	Description
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	X Phone Screen Interview		Y	03/25/2019 04:05p	
	X Candidate Not a Fit		Y	03/25/2019 04:06p	
	X Offer Letter Comm		Y	10/29/2020 11:36a	

2. To edit an existing template, click the edit icon. To create a new one-click **NEW TEMPLATE**

NEW TEMPLATE

← Applicant Communication Template

SAVE

Template Description

Name*

Description

Active

Recipients

		Append CC	Append BCC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	User <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Email <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Allow Manual Email Entry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Email/Mailbox Message

Enabled

From*

Subject*

Message

Attachments

TAGS

- {ACCOUNT_ADDRES
- {ACCOUNT_ADDRES
- {ACCOUNT_CELL_PH
- {ACCOUNT_CITIZEN
- {ACCOUNT_CITY}
- {ACCOUNT_COLONY
- {ACCOUNT_COUNTR
- {ACCOUNT_FIRST_N

Field Name	Definition
Name	Template name.
Description	Description of the template so recruiters know how to use it.
Active	Whether the template is available for recruiters to use.
Global	Whether the template is available to all users listed under Admin>Company Settings>Global Setup>Notifications under the system category, (APPLICANT TRACKING)
Recipients	Who will receive the emails and how those emails will be delivered: Email: the default email address to receive a copy of this template. Applicant: if the applicant is an internal applicant or an existing employee when this box is checked, they will receive the template message just as an outside applicant would. (Cc) section: the email for the recipient who should be cc-ed. (Bcc) section: the email for the recipient who should be bcc-ed.
Message	The body of the email message is to be used every time the user initiates a message.
AVAILABLE TAGS	Use these tags in the body of the message to automate information the system will use to pull information.

If you have SMS Integration with Twilio, you can also set whether the message will go out as a text message (for a small extra SMS fee) in the **SMS Message** area.

The screenshot displays the 'SMS Message' configuration screen. At the top left, there is a section for 'SMS Message' with an 'Enabled' checkbox that is checked. Below this is a large text area labeled 'Message' for entering the message body. At the bottom of this area, it indicates 'limit: 1400 characters. remaining: 1400'. To the right of the message area is a 'TAGS' list with a 'Download Tags' button. The list contains the following tags: {ACCOUNT_ADDRESS_NUMBER}, {ACCOUNT_ADDRESS_NUMBER_ADDITION}, {ACCOUNT_CELL_PHONE}, {ACCOUNT_CITIZEN_SERVICE_NUMBER}, {ACCOUNT_CITY}, {ACCOUNT_COLONY}, {ACCOUNT_COUNTRY}, and {ACCOUNT_FIRST_NAME}. Each tag has an information icon (i) next to it.

Once you select this option, an additional area displays where you set up the text message.

To see a sample of the message that would generate using this template, add your email address in the **Email** field. Then go to the Recruitment module and initiate a message. Once you have reviewed the message to your liking, return to the screen above and remove your email address.

3. Click **SAVE** to finish. The template will then be available for quick re-use by recruiters and/or global users.
