

Curriculum Vitae of Failure

Your curriculum vitae of failure serves as a supplement to your regular CV of successes. It includes everything that went wrong, that was rejected or that was unsuccessful in other ways. You may present it to peers that have recently “failed” and feel alone in this situation.

Personal Data

Name	
Current position	

Failed Qualifications and Missed Career Opportunities *mixture of table/free text*

Please list the missed or unsuccessful stages of your (academic) career. If you wish, you can also describe on how you perceived to have failed at each activity.

Stages	Periods and Details
Study Programmes/doctorate(s)	<i>...that you did not finish or failed at</i>
Stages of academic/professional career that did not work out	<i>Unsuccessful job, professorial or fellowship applications, activities in industrial research, start-ups, voluntary service...</i>

Supplementary Career Information *optional; free text*

You may **voluntarily** enter supplementary information relating to your career or special personal circumstances, e.g., if you did not take a career opportunity because you were discouraged or did feel unsuited or unqualified.

Failed Activities in the Research System *optional, free text*

Here you can provide information on other activities you have not pursued within the research system. This includes rejected activities in the field of academic self-governance, failed organisation of academic events, activities in teaching and mentoring.

Failed Supervision of Researchers in Early Career Phases *optional, free text**Please list name, duration of PhD, reason for drop-out or failure.***Rejected, unpublished or failed Scientific Results***Please indicate your most important rejected scientific results. Feel free to highlight your contribution.***Category A – Articles that were rejected in peer-reviewed journals, or at peer-reviewed conferences or as book publications**

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Category B – Any other form of unpublished results *optional**Any other – especially negative – result of your unpublished or unrecognised work.*

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Unsuccessful Academic Distinctions *optional, free text**Grants or awards that you did not get (with or without application).***Other Information** *optional, free text**Here you can refer to further points that you feel you failed at...*