#### **TOOL DESCRIPTION**

# **Change Project Inventory**





## Getting a clear picture on the current situation is the crucial first step in every project. Creating a Change Project Inventory makes this possible.

When initiating a change process, it is crucial to get a good understanding of the current situation and of the possible goals and a suitable procedure. Nine focus areas lead us through the inventory:

- 1. WHO, WHAT and WHY of the Change
- 2. Goals
- 3. Affected areas in the organization
- 4. Current stage of development
- 5. Hot topics
- 6. Previous experiences with change
- 7. Supporting and hindering forces
- 8. Timeline
- 9. Complexity and size of the change

By using the provided templates, you will get a clear picture of the "inventory" for your change initiative.

| Duration  | Participants                                                | Facilitation    |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1.0–1.5 h | sponsor with first allies and/or internal change consultant | templates, pens |

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### Change Project Inventory | Template

Initiator Organizational unit Title 2 Vision Affected organizational units Initial situation Developmental stage of the change process Affected roles (e.g., managers, employees) What has happened so far? What is already underway? What is next?

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Initiator Organizational unit **Experience with similar projects** Hot topics Supporting and hindering forces Timeline Supporting forces Hindering forces

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Initiator
Organizational unit

