

Transcript – Introducing the RDF and the RDF Planner

- 00:04 When we think about research related activities, we often focus on the desired outcome, such as a paper or a presentation.
- 00:11 But the real growth can happen in the process of engaging in the activity when we meet new challenges and develop our skills.
- 00:18 The RDF helps you to capture this growth.
- 00:21 Originally developed by researchers in 2010 and embedded across the UK and international institutions, the RDF is a recognised tool for planning and supporting your personal and professional development.
- 00:33 It does so by providing a structured map of the broad skills and behaviours of an effective researcher and by empowering you to take ownership of your professional and career development, no matter what your current career aspirations.
- 00:48 We know that researchers juggle endless expectations and it can be challenging to gain a clear picture of your development.
- 00:54 The RDF and the RDF Planner help you to identify, organise and articulate the skills and behaviours that make you an effective professional researcher.
- 01:03 They can also help you build a professional development plan with a portfolio of your growing expertise, all while enabling you to consider the skills and capabilities which are important to you and future employers.
- 01:16 Want to find out more?
- 01:17 Explore our website today to understand how the RDF and the RDF Planner can support you further.