

Welcome

Suggested way to use this guide:

- 1. Read through this list (if you need a model for how to do this, [here's an example career plan from me \(Elika\)](#))*
- 2. Make a copy of this document*
- 3. Spend 15 mins - 45 mins filling it out*
- 4. Wait a bit, think it over, talk to someone in your network*
- 5. Come back to your plan in a week or so and make any adjustments*
- 6. Before the conference, send this out to people you're having a 1-1 with (or people you want career advice from)*
- 7. Take good notes during the conference*
- 8. After the conference (and after taking a break because EAG's can be busy), come back and make some edits (hopefully exciting ones) to your plan :)*

Bonus: Look through our [Next Steps guide](#)

[Name] Career Plan

As of [Date]

About Me

Pre-EAG

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What is your definition of positive impact?
What global problems do you think are most pressing?
- 2. What kinds of work are you most suited for?**
What do you most enjoy? What jobs do you think you could become good at?
- 3. What are your options?**
- 4. What are your key uncertainties?**
- 5. What are key decisions/uncertainties/things in need of advice at EAG?**

During EAG

Person Name:

Notes:

Action items:

Post-EAG

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- 2. How have my views on EA, careers, my life, etc changed?**
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3. What are your options?

Below are your plans. Consider longer-term options. Briefly write about why they might and might not be the right option.

4. What are your key uncertainties?

Information that you could go and get (like by speaking to someone), could change your options. Under each one, write out how you could answer this key uncertainty (what small concrete actions could you take over the next month to answer questions/uncertainties?).

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Notes during EAG:

Person Name:

Notes:

Action items:

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Post-EAG:

Also consider, do you want to amend your career plan above? If so, add more (ideally in another font / colour so you can track your changes in views)

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