# **CIPD** The people profession in the Middle East in 2018

### Meaningful work

95% of people professionals in the Middle East feel that the work they do is meaningful



#### **Career progression**

One quarter cite organisational politics as the greatest barrier to advancing their career



# **Professional courage**

Two thirds of people professionals feel their job gives them the opportunity to fully express themselves as a professional



50% of practitioners have stated their views about an ethical issue to a manager

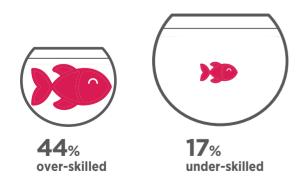




1 in 3 practitioners say that managers in their organisation often engage in behaviours they consider unethical

# **Mismatched skills**

People professionals are more likely to feel over-skilled than under-skilled



## Sources of evidence in decision-making

The most common sources used are:



Personal experience

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Organisational data



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