

# Mission Statement

**Mission:** The ETH Alumni Association maintains and promotes lifelong bonds between ETH alumni and their alma mater. By actively sharing knowledge and experiences, the Association is able to have a visible impact in society and achieve and maintain leading positions.

## 1. Our Image

We promote lifelong links among our alumni as well as between the alumni and their alma mater. We embrace a «we» spirit within the alumni community and thereby deepen the emotional attachment that alumni have with ETH Zurich

By providing various activities and offers, we are committed to the continuous further development of our members.

We are inspired and fascinated by technical innovations and the latest developments produced by ETH Zurich. We enthusiastically communicate new knowledge to the outside world.

## 2. Duties

We continually ensure the future of our active and broadly diverse network with attractive activities and are always expanding these.

We encourage relationship building between ETH alumni as well as with ETH Zurich in faculty and inter-disciplinary matters in Switzerland and worldwide.

## 3. Provided Services

We provide services through voluntary committees (board members, delegates and working groups) as well as through our professional administration office.

The administration office offers services and products that are tailored to the needs of the ETH Alumni Association, and aligned with its mission.

The administration office promotes relationship building among the ETH alumni and supports the affiliate organisations in their work and organisational structure.

## 4. Collaboration / Cooperation

We work in close collaboration with ETH Zurich and the ETH Foundation and coordinate processes as best we can.

The ETH Alumni Association also cooperates with alumni organisations at other universities as well as with the appropriate public and private institutions.

## 5. Organisation

The ETH Alumni Association is a legally constituted entity. The Association consists of members, affiliate organisations and the administration office as a central service provider.

Affiliate organisations are structured as regional, faculty or topic-specific groups in Switzerland; while abroad the chapters are adapted to the local conditions.

## 6. Funding

The ETH Alumni Association is self-supporting and has hospitality rights on the premises of the ETH Zurich.

The Association is funded by membership dues, alumni donations, revenue generated from product and service sales and through sponsorship of events.