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## Detailed Regulations for Titular Professors in D-HEST

The Department of Health Sciences and Technology decrees, in addition to Art. 11 Abs. 1 lit. b of the D-HEST Rules of Procedure, the following detailed regulations concerning applications for the awarding of the title of Professor (titular professor):

1. The guidelines of the ETH Board (see [RSETHZ 514.20](#)) govern the awarding of the title of professor<sup>1</sup>.
2. The Habilitation Committee checks all filed applications for the awarding of the title of professor.
3. As a rule, for the Habilitation Committee to consider an application the following criteria must be fulfilled:
  - a) Teaching activity of a conceptual character in lectures of one of the Bachelor, Master or continuing education courses of the Department;
  - b) Active and continuous publication activity, mainly as first or last author;
  - c) Independently gained research funding (second or third party funding);
  - d) The call to a professorship at another university either in Switzerland or abroad, respectively fulfilling the requirements of being appointed as a professor at ETH Zurich;
  - e) Application through a full professor of ETH Zurich;
4. A Habilitation is not a pre-condition.
5. For the awarding of the title of professor, the Professors' Conference takes into account the individual qualifications of the candidate, the recommendation of the Habilitation Committee and the future planning of the Department regarding professorships and strategy.
6. The professor who submits the application is the contact person for the Habilitation Delegate and the Department administration in all matters pertaining to the application.
7. In consultation with the mentor, all candidates must submit a list of at least 8 reviewers, of which 5 must be external.
8. The procedure is shown step by step on page 2 of these detailed regulations.

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