

The selection procedure



Applicants



Foundation



Notification

Nomination

Nomination documents

Laudation

Receipt of nomination

Acknowledgement of receipt to nominator

Examination approx. 1-2 months

Formal eligibility check

if applicable: formal rejection to nominator

Completeness check

if applicable: request of additional documents from nominator and supply thereof

Review Process approx. 3-4 months

Request of usually 2 independent peer reviews

3-4 weeks for preparation of each review

Forwarding of the reviewed applications to selection committee members

approx. 5 weeks before selection meeting

Selection committee meeting

(2 times a year in Mar. and Oct.)

Information about decision to nominator

1-3 working days after selection meeting

Conferral

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Delivery of conferral documents
approx. 4 weeks after selection meeting

Acceptance of the Award

Rejection

Opportunity for information on the competitive situation and the selection criteria