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Call for

ETH Zurich LATSIS Prize 2012
&
LATSIS-Symposium 2013

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of our executive board, I am very pleased to accept nominations for the annual **ETH Zurich Latsis Prize**. The award is a distinction for independent, excellent and completed scientific contributions by young researchers, academic staff members or Assistant Professors at the ETH Zurich.

The prize amounts to **CHF 25'000.-** and is not divisible. Only those candidates who have not yet reached the age of 40 by April 30, 2012 are eligible.

You are invited to send your nomination to the secretariat of the Research Commission by **March 1, 2012** (research.commission@sl.ethz.ch). Your nomination must be supported by a letter from the Head of your Department. Further, the nomination must be written in English and include:

- a letter with an **explicit justification** for the nomination
- a **curriculum vitae** of the nominee
- a list of **all the nominee's scientific publications**
- copies of the **nominee's three most important publications**
- a list of **five potential reviewers** (including contact information)

The same candidate may only be suggested twice in a row. Also, only individual candidates (not teams) may be nominated. The Research Commission is responsible for the evaluation of submissions and will submit a recommendation to the Latsis Foundation.

I would also like to encourage you to apply for the **Latsis Symposium 2013**. Each year, the Latsis Foundation supports the organization of a one- to three-day symposium with up to 50'000 CHF. Applications for a Latsis Symposium for 2013 must also be submitted to the secretariat of the Research Commission no later than **March 1, 2012**.

The secretariat is happy to assist you with further information. Please, also visit our websites at www.vpf.ethz.ch/services/LatsisPrize and www.vpf.ethz.ch/services/LatsisSymp.

Best regards,
Research Commission of the ETH Zurich
The President,