

Criteria for Nominations for TUM Ambassador

1. The nominee can be described in the following terms:
 - i. Has an association with TUM in **one** of the following capacities:
 - As a **visiting scientist** (research alumni) at TUM
 - Received a degree from tum (undergraduate, masters or doctorate)
 - ii. Works as a researcher in **at least one** of the following capacities (abroad or in Germany*)
 - At a scientific institution/university/government institution
 - At a company
 - iii. Is **currently** in a position of leadership such as:
 - A professor at a scientific institution/university
 - Management or researcher at a company or government institution
2. At the time of the nomination, the nominee fulfills the following criteria:
 - Spent **at least 3 months** at TUM (can also be a combination of shorter stays)
 - Is **not** currently at TUM (either as an employee or guest researcher)
3. The nominee has **an above-average commitment to higher education policy and has close contact to TUM**. Evidence of this can include positions in international and strategic science, involvement in global/international TUM university projects or collaborations between TUM and another institution/company/government organization, etc.
4. The nominee stands for **cutting-edge research** and **outstanding scientific achievements**. Evidence of this includes, but is not limited to, highly endowed prizes or grants, special awards or outstanding publications.

* In order to promote international collaboration, nominations from abroad are highly encouraged

Some Examples of TUM Ambassadors from recent years:

1. **Prof. Kai-feng Pan**

Close cooperation with TUM Institute for Medical Microbiology and Immunology. Since 2018 “Joint Key Laboratory” for carcinomas of the upper gastrointestinal tract:

<https://www.community.tum.de/en/kai-feng-pan/>

2. **Prof. Ben Feringa**

Nobel Prize winner in Chemistry, close research cooperation with the Chair of Organic Chemistry and the TUM-IAS: <https://www.community.tum.de/en/ben-feringa/>

3. **Prof. Subhasis Chaudhuri**

Director of IIT Bombay, close cooperation between TUM and Prof. Chaudhuri in the field of image processing: <https://www.community.tum.de/en/subhasis-chaudhuri/>

4. **Prof. Polly Arnold**

Supports projects between TUM and her university, intensively promotes young academics and especially young female researchers: <https://www.community.tum.de/en/polly-arnold/>

Information on all TUM Ambassadors since 2013:
www.community.tum.de/en/tum-community/researchalumni/

Nomination Form: TUM Ambassador (English)

Nominated person

Title, first name, last name

Position

Field

E-mail

Link to resume on the web (or as attachment)

Current Institution / Current Company

Name

Type of Institution (university, institute, etc.)

Country

TUM Stays (e.g. TUM-IAS Fellow, Visiting Fellow, Diploma studies, PhD etc.)

Stay from to Program:

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TUM Host or TUM Cooperation Partner

Title, first name, last name

E-mail

Phone

Position

Chair / Department



Suggested By (only if different from TUM host or cooperation partner)

Title, first name, last name

E-mail

Phone

Position

Field

Motivation for the Nomination (500-2000 characters)

Evidence of Above-Average University Political Commitment (e.g. cooperations)

Evidence of Outstanding Scientific Achievements (e.g. awards, etc.)