

# Actionuni Grand Tour

## Tour 3 - Basel

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# Actionuni der Schweizer Mittelbau

Representing Scientific Staff in Switzerland

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# Overview

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What is **actionuni**?

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As an umbrella organization,  
we advocate the interests of our member organizations.

# Position of actionuni



**actionuni** represents scientific staff from all types of universities since 2014 (new HFKG)

## Swiss Higher Education System

Universities/  
ETHs

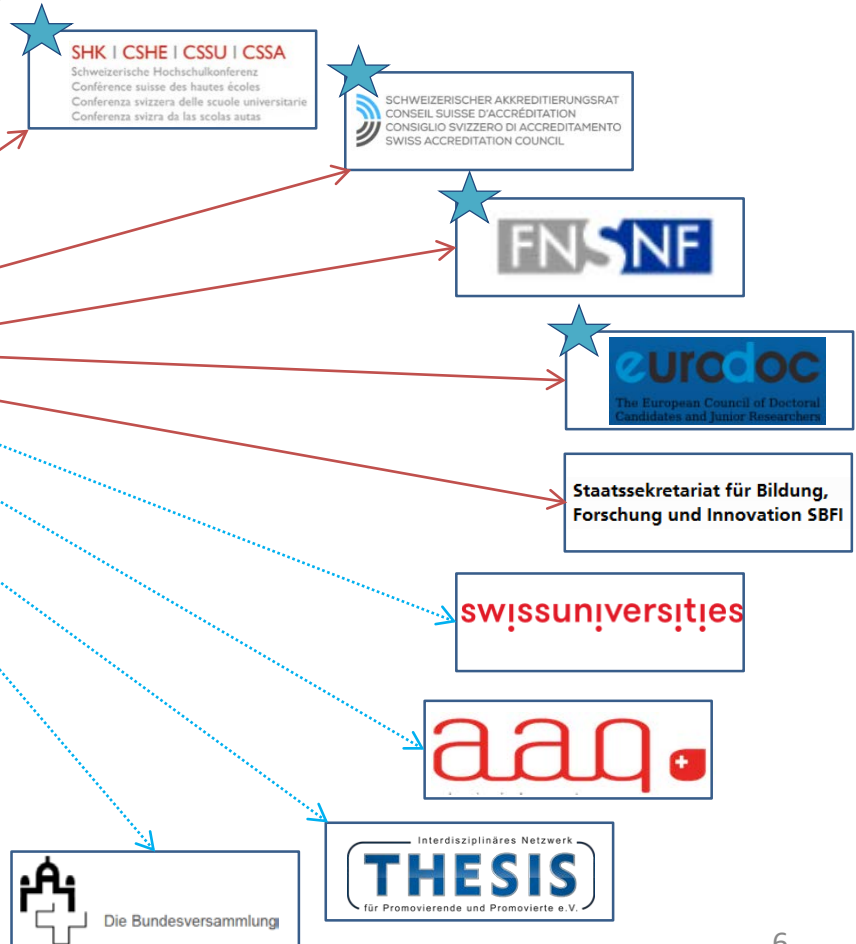
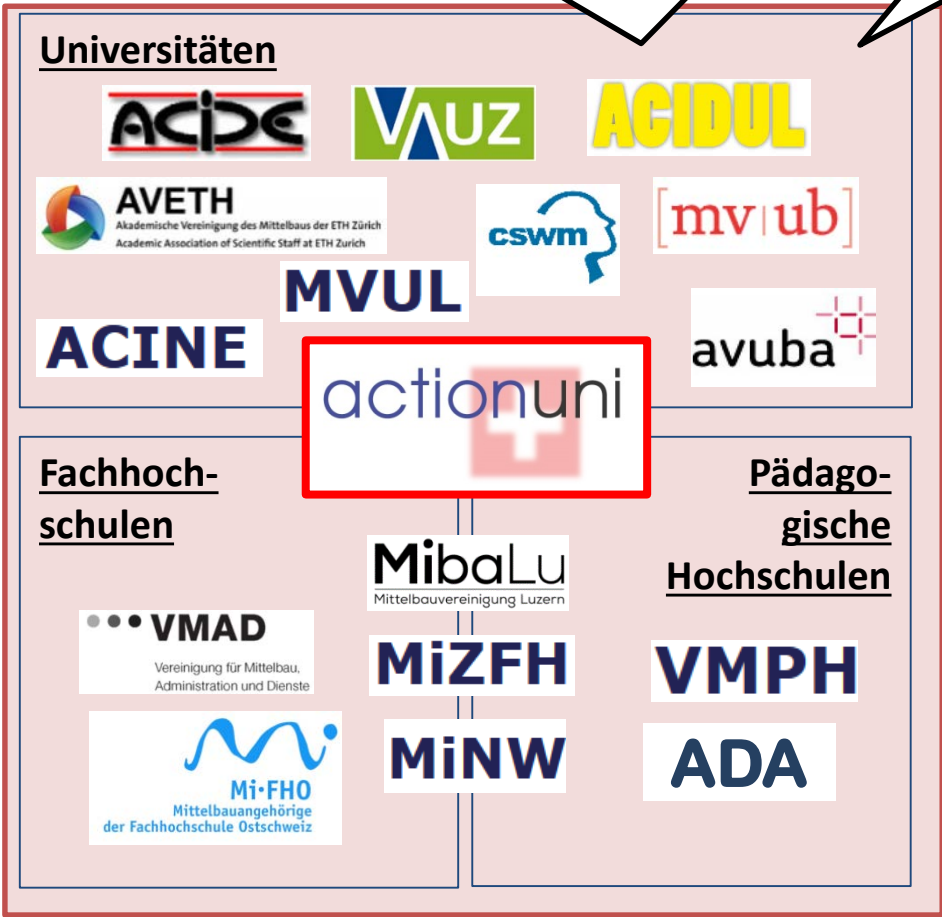
Universities  
of Applied  
Sciences

Universities  
of Teachers  
Education

# Members

[VSS | UNES | USU] VERBAND DER SCHWEIZER STUDIERENDENSCHAFTEN

swissfaculty



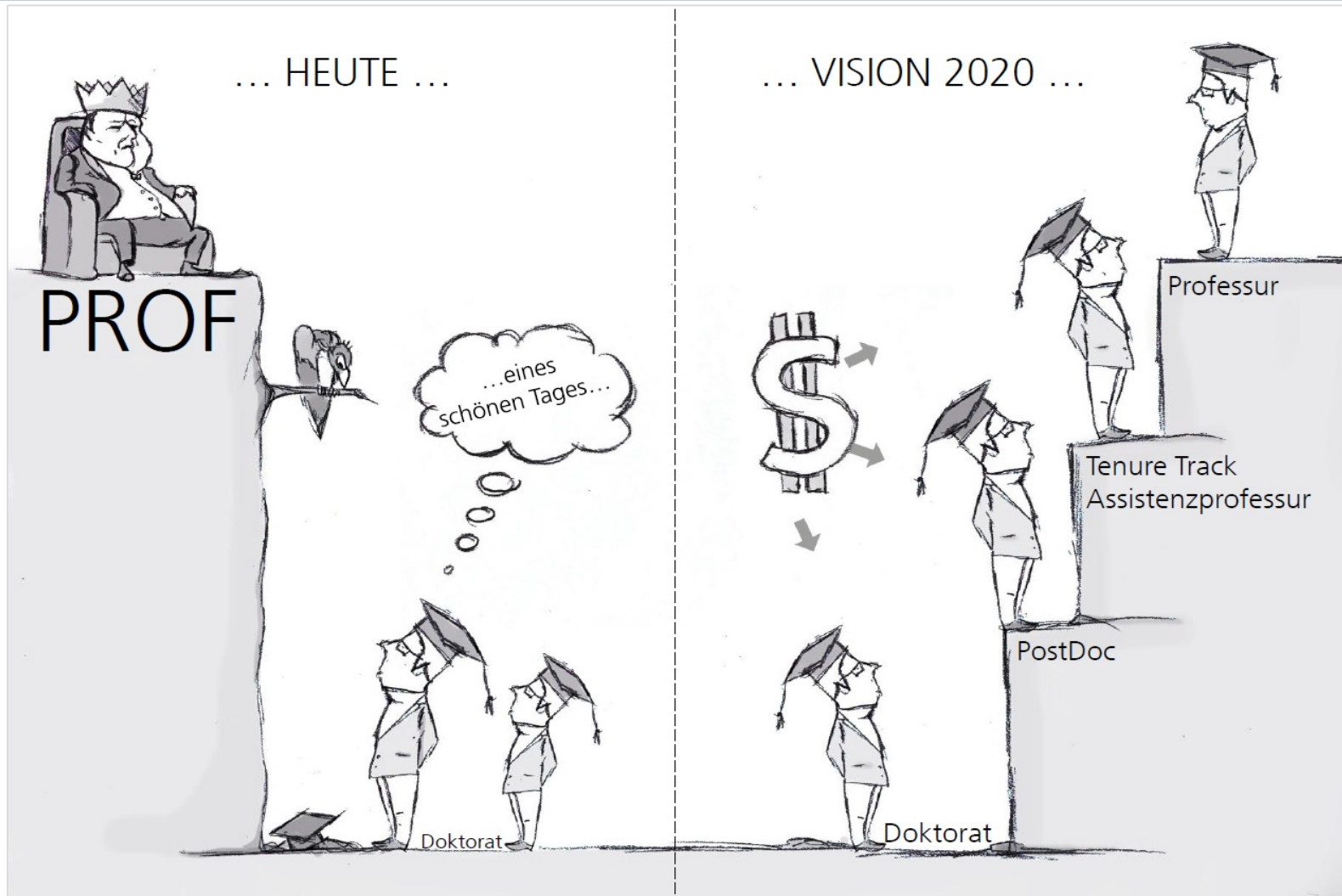


# Mission Statement (1)

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- We endeavour **to improve the work conditions** and **career perspectives** of the non-professorial academic staff at Swiss institutes of higher education
- We are a **constructive partner in fashioning the future development** of the Swiss academic environment.
- We **represent the interests of the non-professorial academic staff of all Swiss institutes of higher education** in open dialogue with the key political players, with government agencies, with further institutions concerned with research or higher education as well as the interested public.
- We are dedicated to an **improvement of the quality and attractiveness of our research and educational environment.**

# Main concern

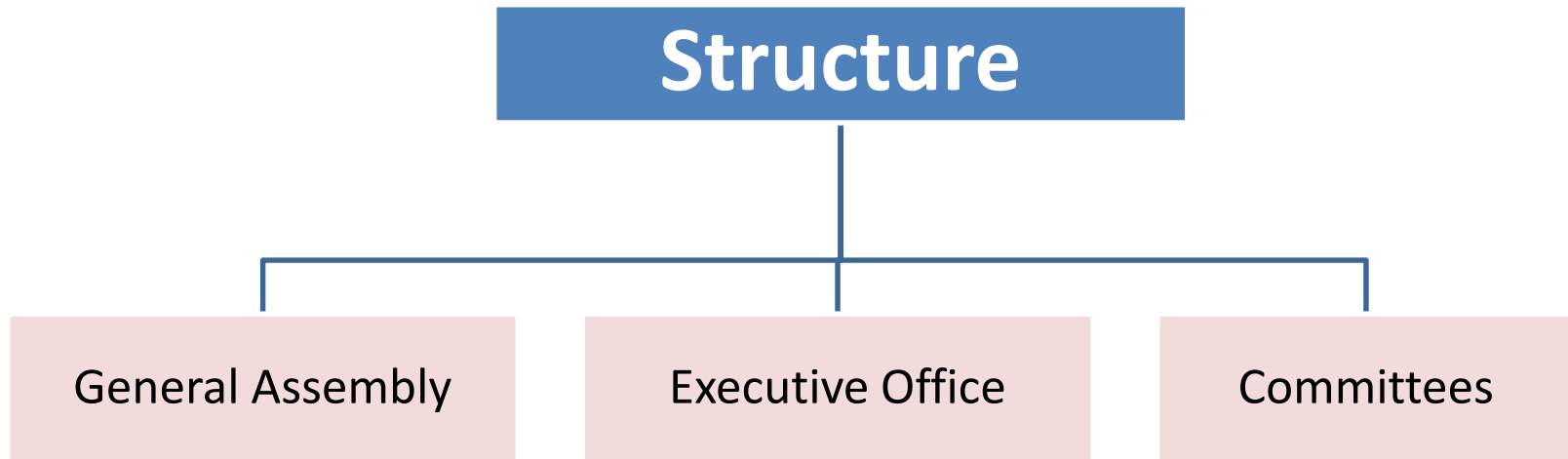




# Mission Statement (2)

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- We **exercise rights, assume duties and realise chances of participation.**
- We **keep our member associations informed and create networks.** We support coordinated actions and a strengthening of our member associations.
- We **take positions in debates about academic policy** in a national and international context and aim to further an open dialogue between all stakeholders.
- We **act and take decisions based on consent** and we ensure that all our actions are transparent.



# Structure: Executive Office (EO)



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EO is responsible for decision making related to daily operations, representation, committees, etc.

- (1) Eurodoc: Rashmi Rai-Rawat and Alexey Evstratov
- (2) Federal Commission for scholarships for Foreign Students: Sophie Girardin
- (3) OA Ambassador: Gilles Kratzer, Melanie Röthlisberger and Nino Willi
- (4) Social Media: Salome Adam and Lauriane Nallet - Koshroffian
- (5) Swiss Accreditation Council (SAR): Florian Lippke and Carla Duss
- (6) Swiss Conference and Council for higher education (SHK): Isabel Bolliger
- (7) Swissuniversities - Lehre: Cosima Locher and Antoine Chollet
- (8) Swiss National Science Foundation (SNF): Katharina Prautsch

Committees are responsible for diverse activities.

e.g. **Motion 2 working group** to prepare a blueprint for the professionalization of actionuni



# Strategic Aims 2020-1, Projects

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- Position paper about career models for young researchers
- Professionalization and full emancipation
- Strengthening relations with partners: SNF, SHK, eurodoc, VSS and swissfaculty.
- Stronger negotiation position with swissuniversities and the SBF
- Enlarging and solidifying the network

# Questions

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- Thank you!

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