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Re: Opinion of tenujre and ranking application Nominee Jan Antoni Rutowski MD PhD required position - full profdessor branch programme Pulic health referee Thomas Szekeres MD PhD Professor in Public Health ,Profesor in Lab Med. and prof in Med Technology chair of the Inst of Lab Med AKH Gen hosp Vienna Austria

## Opinion

I.teaching experience

Teaching experience is declared by the nominee in his CV and also by certificates from numerous universities, the most important is a letter from the Dean of Catholic Univ in Ruzomberok, which declares teaching experience in Public Health for more than 10 years.

2. Publication activity

Summary of various categories is sufficient with 179 titles which about n 50 possess the category of research papers, required minimum for the Univ is fulfilled, required minimum by the accrediting natl body in SK is 5 in web of science and 4 first authorships, the author declares 19 and 16 abd 6 what is sufficient, quoted by about 220 citations in Scopus or WOS database

3. Students in PhD training, BSc and MSc leadership
The CV declares 2 students after defense in phd program, the list of master or bsc
defenses not in the encl files, however the minimum requirement -1 graduate and 1 aft small
defense is fulfilled with 2.

4.International reputation

More than 15 papers have sufficient impact factor for europe-8 more than I and the rfest more than 0.5. Author declares also a large list of lecturing events and posters, more than 30 internatikonal and about 10-12 invited. He is teaching out of his country of residence-what is another sign of internatl reputation. Morethan 200 quotations in WOS are also a sign of internatl acceptability.

5. Scientific activity

Pharmacoepidemiology and public health impact of uncontrolled drug use and adverse event s prevention-all three are related to Public Health relevance. Part of the lectures and papers however are more related to pharmacology, but pharmacology is a organic subject in the Public Health curricula in 1st and 2nd year of studies as seen in the yearbook of the nomination university.

## Conclusion

Points 1-5 suggest, that the univ requirements for the tenure and ranking process of dr Rutowski are fulfilled and in point 2 in quotations exceeded and therefore I recommend his nomination. The council shall consider his inaugural speech where the candidate must document his lecturing art and public health relevance.

Prof dr med dr rer nat Thomas Szekere