EUR-ACE Implementation in Switzerland

World Engineers Convention, Geneva, 7th of September 2011
Legal framework: Order on accreditation (17a)

ETH / EPFL
Swiss Federal Institutes of Technology

FTAL
Swiss Universities for Applied Sciences

FFHS
(satus of silent partner)

OAQ (Accreditation Agency)

BBT
Swiss Government
Added-value for EUR-ACE label

- Education policy: Transparency and Quality Assurance
- Better reputation of Higher Education Institutes
- Easier mobility for students
- International recognition of diploma
- Easier access to international Master Programmes
- Active movement and common concern about accreditation of Engineering programmes in Europe
- Integration in an international network (access to information)
Steps for authorization

- 15th of October 2010: Application for authorization by OAQ
- 1st visit planned in fall 2011