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## ERC Starting Grant Panel 2025

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The list below includes the panel chairs in the ERC Starting Grant peer review process, identified and invited by the ERC Scientific Council. There are in total 28 panels, divided between 3 domains as follows: 9 panels in Life Sciences (LS), 8 panels in Social Sciences & Humanities (SH) and 11 panels in Physical Sciences and Engineering (PE).

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#### PHYSICAL SCIENCES AND ENGINEERING

PE1 Mathematics  
PE2 Fundamental Constituents of Matter  
PE3 Condensed Matter Physics  
PE4 Physical and Analytical Chemical Sciences  
PE5 Synthetic Chemistry and Materials  
PE6 Computer Science and Informatics  
PE7 Systems and Communication Engineering  
PE8 Products and Processes Engineering  
PE9 Universe Sciences  
PE10 Earth System Science  
PE11 Materials Engineering

Prof. Satoru Iwata  
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Prof. Daniele Brida  
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Prof. Patrice Simon  
Prof. Mateja Jamnik  
Prof. Heike Vallery  
Prof. Yves Bamberger  
Prof. Andy Shearer  
Prof. Vicki Hansen  
Prof. Silvia Vignolini

#### LIFE SCIENCES

LS1 Molecules of Life: Biological Mechanisms, Structures and Functions  
LS2 Integrative Biology: from Genes and Genomes to System  
LS3 Cell Biology, Development, Stem Cells and Regeneration  
LS4 Physiology in Health, Disease and Ageing  
LS5 Neuroscience and Disorders of the Nervous System  
LS6 Immunity, Infection, and Immunotherapy  
LS7 Prevention, Diagnosis and Treatment of Human Diseases  
LS8 Environmental Biology, Ecology and Evolution  
LS9 Biotechnology and Biosystems Engineering

Prof. Titia Sixma  
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Prof. Rong Tian  
Prof. Eraldo Pauleso  
Prof. David Tarlinton  
Prof. Liesbet Geris  
Prof. Anna-Liisa Laine  
Prof. Alan L. Kelly

#### SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

SH1 Individuals, Markets and Organisations  
SH2 Institutions, Governance and Legal Systems  
SH3 The Social World and Its Interactions  
SH4 The Human Mind and Its Complexity  
SH5 Texts and Concept  
SH6 The Study of the Human Past  
SH7 Human Mobility, Environment, and Space  
SH8 Studies of Cultures and Arts

Prof. Florian von Wangenheim  
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Prof. Gabriella Vigliocco  
Prof. Maciej Eder  
Prof. László Kontler  
Prof. Tiit Tammaru  
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