



News release

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**Second ERC Starting Grant call attracted 1112 proposals in
the "Physical Sciences and Engineering" domain**

A total of 1112 proposals were submitted in the domain of "Physical Sciences and Engineering" in the second ERC Starting Grant competition. The deadline for applications was 29 October. In the two remaining domains – "Social Sciences and Humanities" and "Life Sciences" – the respective deadlines are 19 November and 10 December 2008.

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