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## ERC Starting Grant Panel 2027

### Panel Chairs of the ERC Peer Review Panels

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

Prof. Giulia Zanderighi

Prof. Jeroen Van den Brink

Prof. Donal Leech

Prof. Patrice Simon

Prof. Bart Preneel

Prof. Heike Vallery

Prof. Davide Bigoni

Prof. Vassilis Charmandaris

Prof. Vicki Hansen

Prof. Andrei Lavrinenko (Laurynenka)

#### 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. Andrea Mattevi

Prof. Karin Schumacher

Prof. Caren Norden

Prof. Rong Tian

Prof. Michaela Kress

Prof. Chiara Romagnani

Prof. Selena Zacchigna

Prof. Thomas Gilbert

Prof. Eckhard Wolf

#### 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 Arts, Culture and Societies

Prof. Fabian Waldinger

Prof. Frédéric Mérand

Prof. Nicolas Marquis

Prof. Gabriella Vigliocco

Prof. Robert Hawley

Prof. Christian Bonah

Prof. Tiit Tammaru

Prof. Ana Hofman