



ERC MEETING
WITH MEMBERS OF THE ERC SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL

EVENT ACCOMPANYING THE ERC SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL MEETING IN KRAKÓW

THURSDAY 24.10.2019

NALĘCZ INSTITUTE OF BIOCYBERNETICS AND BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING PAS
(INSTYTUT BIOCYBERNETYKI I INŻYNIERII BIOMEDYCZNEJ IM. MACIEJA NALĘCZA POLSKIEJ AKADEMII NAUK)
UL. KSIĘCIA TROJDENA 4
WARSAW, POLAND

8:30-9:00 Registration and welcome coffee

Part I: Applying for an ERC grant

9:00-9:10 Welcome address by **Paweł Rowiński** (Vice President of PAS)

9:10-9:20 Welcome address by **Jarosław Gowin** (Deputy Prime Minister of Poland, Minister of Science and Higher Education) *to be confirmed*

9:20-9:40 "ERC – unique source for funding frontier research" **Jean-Pierre Bourguignon** (President of the European Research Council)

9:40-10:00 "ERC rules in a nutshell" **Andrzej Jajszczyk** (Member of ERC Scientific Council)

10:00-10:10 BDN PAN presentation, **Ewa Kuśmierczyk** (Director of Excellence in Science Department PAS)

10:10-10:30 *Coffee break*

ERC workshop sessions I-III

Session I: Applying for ERC grants in ERC grants in Physical Sciences and Engineering Panels

10:30-11:00 "Applying for ERC grants in PE panels – ERC's perspective", Barbara Romanowicz (Member of ERC Scientific Council)

11:00-11:30 "Applying for ERC grants in PE panels – ERC's perspective", Tomas Jungwirth (Member of ERC Scientific Council)

11:30-12:00 "Applying for ERC grants in PE panels – laureate's perspective", Piotr Achinger (Institute of Mathematics of Polish Academy of Sciences)

12:00-12:20 Questions and discussion



Session II: Applying for ERC grants in Life Sciences Panels

10:30-11:00 “Applying for ERC grants in LS panels – ERC’s perspective”, Nektarios Tavernarakis (Member of ERC Scientific Council)

11:00-11:30 “Applying for ERC grants in LS panels – laureate’s perspective”, Andrzej Dziembowski (Institute of Biochemistry and Biophysics PAS)

11:30-12:00 Questions and discussion

Session III: Applying for ERC grants in Social Sciences and Humanities Panels

10:30-11:00 “Applying for ERC grants in SH panels – ERC’s perspective”, Martin Stokhof (Member of ERC Scientific Council)

11:00-11:30 “Applying for ERC grants in SH panels – laureate’s perspective”, Michał Nèmeth (Jagiellonian University)

11:30-12:00 Questions and discussion

12:00-13:10 Lunch break and poster session

Part II – Discussion panel “Are ERC grants attractive for Polish young researchers?”

13:10-13:20 “Widening mechanisms in the ERC”, Nektarios Tavernarakis

13:20-13:35 “Polish Universities as research institutions – challenges, strengths, achievements”
Zbigniew Marciniak, President of the General Council of Science and Higher Education *tbc*

13:35-13:50 “PAS Institutes – the place for frontier research”, Paweł Rowiński, Vice President of the PAS

13:50-15:50 Discussion panel “Are ERC grants attractive for Polish young researchers?”

15:50-16:00 Closing remarks – Paweł Rowiński

16:00 End of the meeting