

Charles University and the Technology Centre  
of the Czech Academy of Sciences  
take pleasure in inviting you to the workshop on  
**Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) and  
European Research Council (ERC) Grants**

- Date:** 24 April 2017
- Place:** Charles University, Big Conference Room, Karolinum  
Ovocný trh 560/5, Prague 1
- Target group:** Management of the Charles University and its faculties,  
project managers and administrators dealing with strategic  
planning, human resources for R&D and H2020 projects

**Speakers:**

**Zdeněk Strakoš**, *Charles University, Faculty of Mathematics and Physics*

**Petra Perutková**, *MSCA and ERC NCP, Technology Centre CAS*

**Gill Wells**, *Head of European Team, University of Oxford*

## PROGRAM

### April 2017

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| 09.00 – 09.30 | <b>Registration</b>  |
| 09.30 – 09.40 | <b>Opening</b>   |
| 09.40 – 10.30 | <b><u>Researcher Mobility – Why do we need it? Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions</u></b><br><b>Petra Perutková</b> , <i>MSCA and ERC NCP, Technology Centre CAS</i> |

After mentioning the benefits of mobility (based on results of EC and our studies) and basic information about the participation of the Czech Republic in the program Ms. Perutková will present basic information about MSCA (types of funding schemes, rules for participation, proposal structure and evaluation). Ms. Perutková could also briefly mention

other programs supporting mobility at national level (e.g. those funded from ESIF).

- 10.30 – 11.30**      **Oxford perspectives on mobility and best practice example: Institutional support of early career researchers and MSCA applicants**  
**Gill Wells**, University of Oxford
- 11.30 – 12.00**      **Discussion**
- 12.00 – 13.00**      **Light lunch and networking ...**
- 13.00 – 13.40**      **ERC - Supporting 10 years of Excellence in Frontier Research**  
**The rules for participation, proposal structure and applicants' support in the Czech Republic**  
**Petra Perutková**, MSCA and ERC NCP, *Technology Centre CAS*
- Ms. Perutková will explain the idea of ERC, types of funding schemes, eligibility rules, profiles of competitive candidates and finally mention the Technology Centre and the role of the NCPs (+ ERC CZ and the ERC visiting fellowships).
- 13.40 – 14.20**      **How are ERC projects evaluated? - View of PE6 panel chair**  
**Zdeněk Strakoš**, ERC evaluator and panel chair, *Charles University, Faculty of Mathematics and Physics*
- Prof. Strakoš will focus on the evaluation procedure in its complexity from the perspective of a panel chair, highlighting the consequences for proposal writing.
- 14.20 – 15.00**      **Effective networking and influencing the European research policy landscape**  
**Gill Wells**, University of Oxford
- You could speak about LERU as you mentioned and other "Brussels institutions" etc.  
Any other suggestions are welcomed.
- 15.00 – 15.30**      **Discussion and closing of the workshop**

The language of the event will be English.