Technology Centre of the Czech Academy of Sciences
together with Charles University
take pleasure in inviting you to the

National information day about the
European Research Council (ERC)

The event will highlight the funding philosophy of ERC as well as rules for participation, proposal structure and evaluation process of ERC grants under the Horizon 2020 programme. You will have a unique opportunity to meet a representative of the ERC Scientific Council, ERC grantees and evaluators. The event is intended for potential ERC applicants, even more importantly for representatives of the management of research institutions and project managers.

Date: 6 November 2019, 9:00 – 16:00 (registration at 8:30)
Place: Czech Academy of Sciences, Národní 3, Prague 1 (room 206)
Registration: http://geform.tc.cz/ercinfoday2019

DRAFT PROGRAMME

08.30 – 09.00  Registration

09.00 – 09.15  Opening

09.15 – 09.55  ERC – Its impact in Europe and the Czech Republic
Tomáš Jungwirth, ERC Scientific Council Member

09.55 – 10.35  Evaluators’ experience – do’s and don’ts for proposal writing and how to prepare for the interview in Brussels: different panel perspectives
Jiří Matas, PE6 Starting and Consolidator grants Panel member, Czech Technical University in Prague
tbc, SSH Panel member

10.35 – 10.50  Coffee break

10.50 – 11.30  Panel Chair experience - ERC evaluation process – Do we consider ERC important for our institutions and for science in the Czech Republic?
Zdeněk Strakoš, Advanced Grants Panel Chair and Evaluator, Charles University
The event is free of charge, however, a registration via 
http://geform.tc.cz/ercinfoday2019 is required. The capacity is limited (first come, first served).
Contact for more information about the programme: capkova@tc.cz.
The event is held within Czech Republic in the European Research Area 3 project framework (CZERA 3, MŠMT LTI18020) supported by the Ministry of Education of the Czech Republic.

11.30 – 11.50 **Support for applicants**
Zuzana Čapková, _ERC NCP, Technology Centre CAS_
Adéla Jiroudková, _European Centre, Charles University tbc_

11.50 – 12.15 **Independence in the early scientific career: PRIMUS programme**
Jan Kňvařilka, _Vice-Rector for Research, Charles University_

12.15 – 12.30 **Discussion**

12.30 – 13.20 _Lunch break and networking_

13.20 – 14.40 **Examples of ERC (ERC CZ) projects**
tbc, _ERC Starting Grant_
Libor Barto, _ERC Consolidator Grant, Charles University_
Vojtěch Novotný, _ERC Advanced Grant, Biology centre CAS_
Marek Piliarik, _ERC-CZ, Institute of Photonics and Electronics CAS_

14.40 – 15.50 **Discussion**

15.50 – 16.00 **Closing of the event**

The information day will be held in English. Translation will not be provided.