



**ERC – European Research Council |
EU-Funding for Starting (StG) and Consolidating (CoG) Researchers**

Wednesday, 15 August 2018 | 9:30 to 11:30 h

SUB Göttingen Historical Building (Paulinerkirche) | Papendiek 14, 37073 Göttingen

Lecture Hall – 1st Floor

The European Research Council's mission is to promote the highest quality research in Europe by offering [ERC-funding schemes](#) that are “investigator-driven” or “bottom-up” thus allowing researchers a great degree of flexibility to identify new opportunities and directions in any field of research. ERC grants are awarded through open competition to projects headed by starting and established researchers, irrespective of their origins. The sole criterion is *scientific excellence*.

Research advisors from the EU Office at the University of Göttingen will explain the ERC-funding schemes, give details on how to submit a proposal and how to become an ERC expert. Moreover, Manuel Alcarazo (StG & CoG) will offer insight on firsthand experiences.

PROGRAMME

- 9:30 - 11:30** **STARTING GRANTS** | 2-7 years after PhD
 CONSOLIDATOR GRANTS | 7-12 years after PhD
 PROOF OF CONCEPT GRANTS | ERC follow-up
 ERC EXPERT EVALUATOR | Get involved – why & how

11:30 - 12:00 *Coffee and Networking*

REGISTRATION

Researchers and scholars in all academic disciplines are welcome to attend.

ERC Starting and Consolidating Grants are awarded to researchers within first 12 years after PhD. We will offer a workshop on ERC Advanced and Synergy Grants in Spring 2019.

Please register by Wednesday, 6 August 2018 by email.

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The EU Office at the University of Göttingen offers support services to researchers and scholars at all career stages with all aspects regarding EU Research Programs – from designing proposals for individual grants to major collaborative projects as well as in administering EU-funded projects.

Please contact us should you have any questions concerning EU-funding schemes or other opportunities, such as how to become an EU research expert.