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# Science Talk 2019

Tuesday, 12 March 2019, 17:00 – 19:30

Small Ceremonial Chamber of the University of Vienna (Kleiner Festsaal)  
1010 Vienna, Universitätsring 1

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Join us on a journey through the world of EU-funded early stage research. Our academics present their research projects and talk about their life at the University. During the Science Talk, twelve awardees of the highly competitive ERC Starting Grant funding scheme present their major projects. Furthermore, six young post-doctoral fellows of the Marie Skłodowska-Curie mobility scheme talk about their research. In their presentations, these academics talk about the relevance of their results for the advancement of research and discuss how their research aims at promoting social and economic developments. Seize this opportunity to ask our researchers questions and engage in a dialogue with them.

## Programme

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**17:00**

### **Welcome address**

Jean-Robert Tyran  
(Vize-Rector for Research and International Affairs)

### **Keynote**

#### **ERC Starting Grant: An Idea 400 Million Years in the Making**

Jillian Petersen  
(Department of Microbiology and Ecosystem Science)

**17:30**

### **Science Talk with early stage researchers of the University of Vienna**

Choose different research topics and enjoy science and drinks.

### **Registration and information**

[www.univie.ac.at/en/research/research-overview/science-talk](http://www.univie.ac.at/en/research/research-overview/science-talk)

Please register until 28 February 2019.

The European Research Council awards ERC Starting Grants based on a competitive selection procedure. It thus enables early stage researchers, after obtaining a doctoral degree, to form their own research group. With the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowships, the European Union promotes the mobility of early stage researchers by enabling research stays at universities all over Europe and worldwide.