

# From blue-sky research into breakthrough innovations

## How to enable synergies between the European Research Council (ERC) and the European Innovation Council (EIC)

WEBINAR

Thursday, 16 December 2021

Time: 10h00 - 12h00

### AGENDA

#### 10:00 - 10:10 Welcome by the Organisers

**Ewa Kocińska-Lange**, Dyrektor Biura NCBR w Brukseli / BSP

**Tomasz Poprawka**, Dyrektor Biura PolSCA PAN w Brukseli

#### 10:10 - 10:40 Key notes speech

**Kurt Mehlhorn**, Director of the MPI for Informatics and Professor of Computer Science at Saarland

University, Chair of the ERC WG on Innovation and Relations with Industry of the ERC Scientific Council

**Špela Stres**, Head of Center for Technology Transfer and Innovation, Jožef Stefan Institute, EIC Board Member

#### 10:40 - 11:00 Q&A Session with key note guests

#### 11:00 - 11:40 Panel Discussion: From ERC to EIC – lessons from the grantees and new incentives

Moderator: **Piotr Garstecki**, CEO Scope Fluidics S.A., Institute of Physical Chemistry of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Member of the FNP Scientific Council, ERC & EIC grantee

#### Panelists:

**Piotr Sankowski**, CEO at IDEAS NCBR, Associate Professor at the University of Warsaw and CSO at MIM Solutions, ERC grantee (StGr, PoC, CoG)

**Magdalena Król**, CEO at Cellis, Associate Professor at the Warsaw University of Life Sciences. ERC grantee (StGr, PoC)

**Jakub Jasiczak**, CEO, Poznan University of Economics and Business Knowledge Transfer Company (SPV)

#### 11:40 - 11:55 Q&A Session

#### 11:55 - 12:00 Conclusions & closing remarks