



University
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Department of
Biomedical Engineering

DBE Newsletter

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Congratulations



to Prof. Georg Rauter on his appointment as Associate Professor for Surgical Robotics

The University Council has appointed Prof. Georg Rauter as Associate Professor for Surgical Robotics in the Faculty of Medicine. Prof. Rauter has been Assistant Professor for Medical Robotics and Mechatronics at the DBE since 2016, financed by the Werner Siemens Foundation as part of the MIRACLE project (Minimally Invasive Robot-Assisted Computer-Guided Laserosteotomy). The University Council decided to keep him permanently at the DBE and his position starting on March 1, 2022.

Moreover, we congratulate Prof. Rauter on his nomination as a Member of Strategic Commission for Information Supply & Information Technology which is a newly founded institution of the University of Basel that is supposed to actively shape the digital transformation in teaching, research and administration at our university. Find more information on [DBE News](#).



to Prof. Pablo Sinues on the appointment as associated professor in the Faculty of Medicine

Prof. Sinues has been promoted as associated professor by the University Council starting this spring semester as well. He has held a tenure track assistant professorship since 2017 in pediatric environmental medicine at the UKBB, endowed by Fondation Botnar. In parallel he was granted an SNSF Eccellenza at the Department of Biomedical Engineering, where his associate professorship will be hosted. More information can be found [here](#).

Events



Tech4Eva Opening Ceremony, March 31, 2022

EPFL Innovation Park and Groupe Mutuel invite you to the 2022 opening ceremony - [Tech4Eva](#). Discover disruptive technologies for women's health and meet 20+ selected FemTech start-ups and projects at the 2nd opening ceremony of the equity free global Tech4Eva accelerator program. Furthermore apply [here](#) for the Femtech community and a 9-month equity free Femtech start-up acceleration program for companies developing innovative solutions to improve technologies relating to women's health (deadline March 1, 2022).



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3rd UZB Research Day 2022 - "The Challenges of managing successful Projects"

The UZB announces its next research day on May 6, 2022, with Speakers from the University of Basel and Bern, from the SSO and from the Ethics Committee Northwestern and Central Switzerland. Find the registration and the new program [here](#).

Calls & Research Funding Deadlines



Stern-Gattiker Prize

The SAMS is awarding the [Stern-Gattiker Prize](#) for the third time. This award honors women in academic medicine and is intended to specifically motivate young women. The submission deadline is March 25, 2022.



Schweizerischer
Nationalfonds

JPND JTC call 2022 - EU Joint Program Neurodegenerative Disease Research

The [EU Joint Program – Neurodegenerative Disease Research \(JPND\)](#) launches a transnational call aimed at understanding the mechanisms of non-pharmacological interventions. Submission Deadline: March 1, 2022.

ERA-NET NEURON JTC Call 2022

The [NEURON Network](#) has launched a joint transnational call for projects on "Cerebrovascular diseases including small vessel and brain barrier dysfunction". Submission Deadline: March 8, 2022.

New scheme: SNSF Consolidator Grants 2022

The [SNSF Consolidator Grant](#) is aimed at researchers who want to consolidate their scientific independence in Switzerland. Submission deadline: June 1, 2022.

Find [here](#) all open calls of the SNF like [Doc.CH](#), [Project Funding](#), [BRIDGE Proof of Concept](#) & [Discovery](#), [R'Equip](#), [COST](#) or [Sinergia](#).

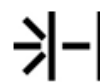
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