

1st ECAP General Assembly

- Defining the governance of ECAP
 - research centre organised in topical research areas
 - Areas are spanning across different FAU institutions/organisational units
- General regulations:
 - Principle of cooperative management
 - Consensus as decision guideline, free votes with majority of all voting members
 - Secret votes if requested
 - Disputes are resolved following the ECAP Code of Conduct



ECAP Research Areas (RA)

- Astronomy and Astrophysics
- Gamma-Ray Astronomy
- Mathematical and Statistical Physics
- Medical Physics
- Neutrino Astronomy and Neutrino Physics
- Laboratory Astrophysics
- Quantum Gravity
- Technology Transfer

ECAP Participating Organisational Units (OU)



- Chair for Astronomy and Astrophysics (Prof. Dr. Wilms)
- Professorship for Astronomy and Astrophysics (Prof. Dr. Heber)
- Professorship for Multiwavelength Astronomy (Prof. Dr. Sasaki)
- Chair for Experimental Physics (Astroparticle Physics) (Prof. Dr. Katz)
- Professorship for Experimental Astroparticle Physics (Prof. Dr. van Eldik)
- Chair for Physics (Prof. Dr. Funk)
- Professorship for Experimental Astroparticle Physics, especially Radiodetection of Neutrinos (Prof. Dr. Nelles)
- DFG Emmy-Noether-Group (Dr. Alison Mitchell)
- Chair for Experimental Astroparticle Physics (Prof. Dr. Kopper)
- Chair for Theoretical Physics (Prof. Dr. Mecke)
- Chair for Theoretical Physics (Prof. Dr. Thiemann)
- Professorship for Theoretical Physics (Prof. Dr. Giesel)
- Professorship for Theoretical Physics (Prof. Dr. Sahlmann)

ECAP Governance Structure

Steering Group (SG)

Governing body, strategic
development, finances,
infrastructure and personell

Implementation Group (IG)

Advising and Implementation

General Assembly (GA)

Information, Discussion
and Representative
Election

Acting Director

Heads of OUs

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Permanent
Researchers in
RA

Representatives
for G&D,
Science-Support
Staff and 3 ECS

All employed
members of RA

permanent
science-support
staff

- One for the Science-Support Staff (Science-support staff can vote): Tamás Gál
- One for Gender and Diversity (ECAP members can vote): Katharina Egg
- Three for the ECS (ECS members can vote – PhDs and PostDocs):
Anna Eimer
Markus Pirke
Pedro Silva Batista

Votes need to be free, by majority and secret if requested.

Eligible are the participants of the respective group (need to be FAU-employed ECAP members)

- Rules for elections need to be laid down in the by-laws.

- Summer Feast on 08/07/2025 11.00 – 14.00h
 - Organised by Markus
 - Register and bring posters: <https://indico.ecap.work/event/131/>
 - Support needed: BBQ by scientists this year
- Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften: 25/10/2025 14:00 – 24:00h
 - Kids Programme (foyer) and Exhibition (Construction Lab)
- DPG Frühjahrstagung : 16. – 20/03/2026 all days, downtown Erlangen
 - Full section meeting ~2500 participants

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- relocation of smoking area on the ground floor \Rightarrow no good solution available, please discuss with Kay
 - Common exchange within ECAP:
 - Highlight talks at the ECAP seminar timeslot
 - Need to include also groups outside of ECAP lab

Vielen Dank
für Ihre Aufmerksamkeit!