



PSC Anniversary Symposium

The impact of plant sciences on our lives

13.30 **Opening by**
(Aula) **Michael Schaeppman**, Rector of University of Zurich
Bernhard Schmid, Founding member of PSC
Bruno Studer, President of PSC, ETH Zurich
Manuela Dahinden & Melanie Paschke, Managing directors of PSC

8 December 2023

University of Zurich
Aula KOL-G-201
and
Lichthof KOL-D-49

13.50 **Food**

Frank Ewert, Leibniz Centre for Agricultural
Landscape Research
hosted by **Nina Buchmann**, ETH Zurich



14.30 **Environment**

Yvonne Buckley, Trinity College Dublin
hosted by **Jake Alexander**, ETH Zurich



15.10 **Health**

Jürg Gertsch, University of Bern
hosted by **Cyril Zipfel**, University of Zurich



15.50 **Coffee break (Lichthof)**

16.20 **Knowledge of Science**

David Baulcombe, University of Cambridge
hosted by **Célia Baroux**, University of Zurich



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17.00 **Panel Discussion: What's next? (Aula)**

Key research questions for the future

moderated by **Chris Luebke**, Head of Strategic Foresight, ETH Zurich

Guests: **Christian Wolfrum**, Vice President for Research at ETH Zurich; **Nina Buchmann**, Professor of Grassland Sciences at ETH Zurich; **Meredith Schuman**, Assistant Professor of Spatial Genetics at the Departments of Chemistry and Geography at the University of Zurich; **Philipp Langer**, Deputy Director-General EU Framework Programs & ERA, State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation SERI

18.15 **Moments of Discovery**
Artistic poster exhibition & Apéro
(Lichthof)

