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## Gaspard Pardon

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Microbiology and Immunology

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#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Best Postdoc Poster award, Stanford - China Cardiovascular Research Symposium - Stanford Cardiovascular Institute (CVI) (2017)
- Stanford University Postdoc Hardship Fund award, Stanford University (2017)
- Early Postdoc.Mobility fellowship, Swiss National Science Foundation (2016)
- Finalist for Outstanding Student Paper award, IEEE MEMS 2014 conference, San Francisco (2014)
- Finalist for Outstanding Student Paper award (12 selected out of 909 submissions), IEEE 27th International Conference Micro Electro Mechanical Systems (MEMS) (2014)
- Seed-funding grant (18k\$) for patenting and market study., KTH Innovation Holding (2014)
- Travel award in the memory of Nils and Hans Backmark., KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden (2014)
- Travel award in the memory of Nils and Hans Backmark., KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden (2012)
- 1st rank at the Swiss University National Championship in Slalom and Giant Slalom alpine skiing, Swiss Academic Ski Club, Swiss-Ski (2008)
- 18th rank at the Swiss National Championship in Slalom alpine skiing, Swiss-Ski (2003)

#### BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Head of competition, Swiss Academic Ski Club (SAS) (2005 - 2007)

#### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy, Royal Institute of Technology (2014)
- Master of Science, Ecole Polytechnique Federale Lausanne (2008)
- Bachelor of Science, Ecole Polytechnique Federale Lausanne (2006)

#### STANFORD ADVISORS

- Helen Blau, Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor
- Helen Blau, Postdoctoral Research Mentor

#### PATENTS

- Gaspard Pardon, Tommy Haraldsson, Wouter Van Der Wijngaart. "United States Patent US20150203687A1 Modification of polymer surface properties", Gaspard Pardon, Tommy Haraldsson, Wouter Van Der Wijngaart

#### LINKS

- My Lab Site: <http://blaulab.stanford.edu/>
- My Previous Lab Site: <https://microsystems.stanford.edu/>

- My Personal Website: <http://gpardon.weebly.com>

## Research & Scholarship

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### CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

To advance our understanding of genetic cardiomyopathies, we need new tools to study how contractile & cellular function are affected by specific gene mutations.

Using cardiomyocytes derived from human induced pluripotent stem cell (hiPSC-CM) as in vitro model, my research focuses on understanding how the microenvironment affect genetic heart disease progression.

For this, I develop novel analytical platforms using microengineering and biomaterial technologies.

### LAB AFFILIATIONS

- Helen Blau, Blau lab (9/1/2018)
- Beth Pruitt, Microsystems and Mechanobiology lab (9/1/2016 - - 8/31/2018)

## Publications

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### PUBLICATIONS

- **Engineering hiPSC cardiomyocyte in vitro model systems for functional and structural assessment** *PROGRESS IN BIOPHYSICS & MOLECULAR BIOLOGY*  
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- **Pt-Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> dual layer atomic layer deposition coating in high aspect ratio nanopores.** *Nanotechnology*  
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