

# Biomedical Preparedness and Health Resilience



Prevention – Surveillance – Response

April 13, 2026 | Bayerische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Munich

## Agenda

14:30 Doors open & check-in

**15:00 Intro & Welcome**

Ralf Huss, Managing Director, Bio<sup>M</sup> Biotech Cluster Development

**15:10 Opening Note**

Bavarian State Minister Judith Gerlach,  
Bavarian Ministry for Health Care and Prevention

**15:20 Impulses Key Notes**

Session Chair:

**Martin Hrabé de Angelis**

Member & Spokesperson of the Executive Board, Helmholtz Munich

**Biomedical Preparedness - An International Perspective  
from a National Public Health Institute**

**Sabrina Weiss**

Unit Head Public Health Laboratory Support, Centre for International  
Health Protection, Robert-Koch-Institute

**Biomedical Preparedness in Zeitenwende:  
A Strategic Turning Point for Military Health Security**

**Roman Wölfel**

Institute Director, Bundeswehr Institute of Microbiology

*Q&A with Chair*



**PAM**  
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### 16:00 **Bavarian Flagship Programs for Biomedical Preparedness and Health Resilience**

*Session Chair:*

**Ulrike Protzer**

Director Institute of Virology, TUM/Helmholtz Munich

#### **Pandemic Alliance Munich**

Michael Hoelscher, Director Institute of Infectious Diseases & Tropical Medicine, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München/Fraunhofer ITMP/IIP

#### **Bavarian Competence Center for Climate Resilience and Prevention**

Claudia Traidl-Hoffmann, Special envoy for climate resilience and prevention of the Bavarian ministry of health

#### **Bavarian Center for Preventive Infection Medicine**

Klaus Überla, Director Institute of Virology,  
University Clinic of Erlangen-Nuremberg

#### **Bavarian Health Cloud**

Stefan Biesdorf, Managing Director, Bavarian Health Cloud

*Q&A with Chair*

### 16:40 **Panel discussion: What do we need to drive innovation in health preparedness and resilience?**

*Moderation:* Andreas Schmidt, Springboard Health Angels

Stephanie Combs, Executive Board M1 Medicine Alliance Munich,  
Dean TUM School of Medicine and Health

Hubertus Hochrein, Vice President Research, Bavarian Nordic

Christian Hösle, Managing Director, Palladion

Elke Glasmacher, Global Head of Discovery Sciences, Roche

### 17:30 **Networking Apéro**