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Dear Dr Dittrich,

### **Outcome of the Spring 2008 ETSF evaluation of proposals**

Thank you for your proposal for a project entitled "Interactions between a Pd porphyrin molecule and a TiO<sub>2</sub> cluster".

All projects proposed have now been reviewed by the External Evaluation Panel of the European Theoretical Spectroscopy Facility (ETSF), and the Steering Committee has allocated resources accordingly. Although your proposal was evaluated positively, it was not among those that the panel has ranked highest and hence that could be funded within the available budget for this selection round. The Evaluation Panel, however, gave indications concerning improvements and recommended that these be discussed with ETSF scientists with a possibility to resubmitting the proposal in time for the next evaluation in Autumn 2008. If a meeting is useful for this purpose, ETSF will endeavour to give financial support for it.

The ETSF scientist who will contact you shortly about this possibility is Professor Eberhard Gross (hardy@physik.fu-berlin.de).

I hope this decision meets your approval and look forward to successful discussions.

Yours sincerely,



Lucia Reining  
(ETSF Vice President for Users and Technology)