

Practical information for participants

How to get to the Bernoulli Center, EPFL

The Bernoulli Center is located on the EPFL campus, [map](#).

Address: Chemin des Alambics, Bâtiment GA, Station 5, 1015 Lausanne. Telephone: +41 21 693 64 30
The entrance is on the north side of the building, and you will find us on the third floor.



Whether you land in Geneva airport (GVA) or Zurich Airport (ZRH), the train stations are located in the airports and direct trains travel regularly.

Geneva airport is the nearest airport from Lausanne, around 50 minutes by train. To reach the Bernoulli Center from Geneva airport, you have three options: direct train to Lausanne, to Renens or to Morges.

Zurich airport is a 2.5-hour train ride to Lausanne. Make sure you select a direct train.

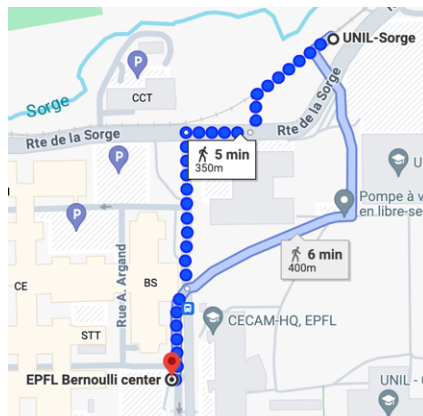
To reach the Bernoulli Center from these different train stations, please follow the instructions below:

From Lausanne train station

- Take the metro line M2 from *Lausanne Gare Station* in the direction *Croisettes*, get off at the next stop *Lausanne-Flon* and change to metro line M1. Travel on metro line M1 in the direction *Renens Gare*, get off at *Unil-Sorge* and walk 5 minutes to the Bernoulli Center (see map below).

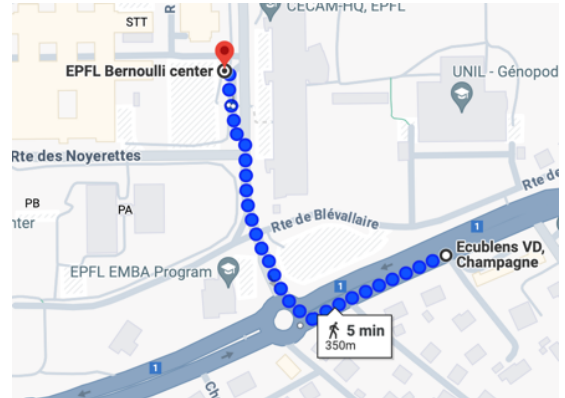
From Renens station

- Take the metro line M1 in the direction *Lausanne-Flon*, get off at *Unil-Sorge* and walk 5 minutes to the Bernoulli Center (see map below).



From Morges station

- Take the bus no 701 from *Morges gare* in the direction *Lausanne Bourdonnette*, get off at *Ecublens VD, Champagne* bus stop and walk 5 minutes to the Bernoulli Center.



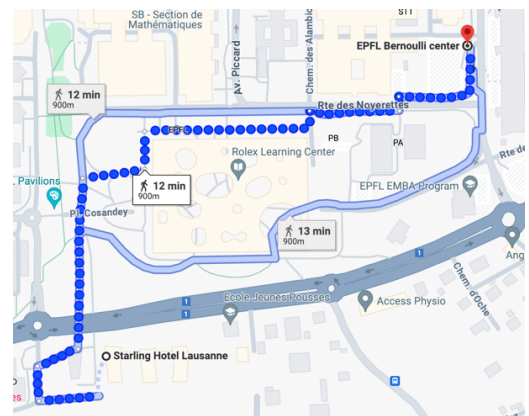
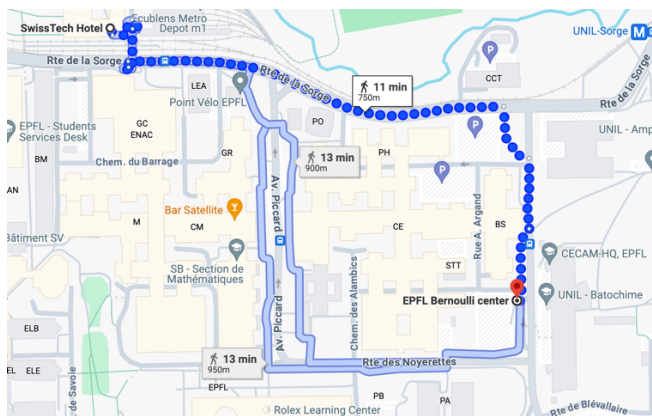
From the studio apartments in Lausanne

(VisionApartments, rue Caroline 23, 1003 Lausanne)

- Take the metro line M2 from *Bessières* in the direction of *Ouchy*, get off at *Lausanne-Flon* and change to metro line M1. Travel on metro line M1 in the direction *Renens Gare*, get off at *Unil-Sorge* and walk 5 minutes to the Bernoulli Center (see map above).

From SwissTech and Starling Hotels on the EPFL campus

Both hotels are located just about 10 minutes' walk to the Bernoulli Center (see maps below).



From Victoria Hotel in Lausanne

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Access by car

From the highway, follow the direction *Lausanne-Sud* and take the exit *EPFL-Ecublens*. For visitor parking spaces, please refer to the [website](#). Further detailed information on how to get to EPFL is also available on the EPFL website ([Coming to EPFL](#)).

A campus map can be found at <https://campus.epfl.ch/map/> and on the “EPFL CAMPUS” app.

Timetable & transport tickets

Train timetables and information on how to buy a ticket are available on the website: <https://www.sbb.ch/en>

Fairtiq is a good app if you are staying for a longer period (i.e. not in a hotel).

Your hotel will provide you with a [transport card](#) allowing free public transport within the greater Lausanne area (trains, buses, and metros) for the duration of your stay (max 15 days). This also covers Renens but does not cover Morges. Please note that stays in apartments are not eligible for this offer.

Please note that you can also use local public transportation for free on your day of arrival (e.g. from Renens or Lausanne station to EPFL or your hotel), you would need to show your hotel reservation confirmation, should there be a ticket controller.

For long-term visitors and if you intend to travel intensively in Lausanne or Switzerland, you may purchase a “half fare card” or Lausanne passes or Swiss passes. Use apps such as Fairtiq and Swiss mobile app to reduce hassles.

Swiss half fare card is available for tourists at CHF 120 per month:

<https://www.sbb.ch/en/leisure-holidays/inspiration/international-guests/swiss-halffare-card.html>

Travel passes for Switzerland:

<https://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/planning/transport-accommodation/tickets-public-transport/swiss-travel-pass/>

Lausanne 2-zones monthly travel pass is at CHF 78.-, weekly pass at CHF 39.-. (otherwise, this is CHF 3.90 per trip, or CHF 2.40 with half fare card):

<https://www.t-l.ch/en/travelcards-and-tickets/travel-passes/mobilis-travel-passes/>

<https://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/en/public-transportation/>

Travel office in EPFL

On the EPFL campus, the travel agency *Kuoni* and the *Lausanne Public Transport* information and sales desks are located at the *Maison de la mobilité* (BI A0 432).

Internet

Internet / WIFI on campus - Connect to the (SSID) **freewifi-epfl**

In your browser click **Open network login page** or enter **login.monsoon.net**

Info @ <https://www.epfl.ch/campus/services/en/it-services/network-services/wifi/visitors/>

In Switzerland, type J or C plugs and sockets are used. Don't forget to bring your adapter!



Shops

Shops in Lausanne are usually open from 8am to 7pm from Mondays to Fridays, until 6pm on Saturdays. Shops are closed on Sundays and during public holidays.

- There are large supermarkets (Coop and Migros) south of the main Lausanne train station.
- The Coop Supermarket Lausanne Caroline (rue Caroline 6) is a good place to find services and various shops for everyday use, groceries, electronics, repairs, etc.
- The small Coop at the Lausanne train station is open on Sundays and late evenings.
- Coop, Migros, and Manor sell prepared meals. It's easy to find good cheese, dry meats, and good bread. Most hotels and apartments provide also microwaves and hot water kettles either in the room or in a common area.

A real Lausanne institution, the town centre market sets out its stalls every Wednesday and Saturday mornings from *Place de la Palud* and *Place St-François*.

Cash machines

Cash withdrawals on the EPFL Lausanne Campus:

ATMs:

- SwissTech Village: at the entrance to the parking lot, next to the Migros entrance
- Rolex Learning Center

Postomat

- BI Building

Restaurants

There are several cafeterias, self-services and restaurants on the EPFL campus:

<https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/restaurants-4/>

Some restaurants outside the EPFL campus

Toriko

(Japanese restaurant)

Address: Rte Cantonale 97B, 1025 Saint-Sulpice

Phone: +41 21 320 40 40

Website: <https://www.torikorestaurant.ch/>

Restaurant Petit Port

Address: Chemin du Petit-Port 11, 1025 St-Sulpice

Phone: +41 691 95 05

Website: <https://www.petitport.ch/>

Restaurant L'Abordage

Address: Av. Du Léman 67, 1025 St-Sulpice

Phone: +41 21 691 93 93

Website: <https://abordage-restaurant.ch/>

Restaurant Le Skipper

(Nice terrace in summer)

Address: Rue du Centre 43, 1025 St-Sulpice

Phone: +41 21 691 97 15

Website: <https://www.leskipper.ch/>

Restaurant du Débarcadère

(French restaurant by the lake)

Address: Chemin des Crêt 7, 1025 St-Sulpice

Phone: +41 21 691 61 18

Website: <https://restaurant.ledebarcadere.ch/>

La boulangerie Pultau

(Bakery and tearoom)

Address: Rue du Centre 70, 1025 St-Sulpice

Phone: +41 21 691 60 10

Website: <https://kpultau.ch/>

Some restaurants in Lausanne

Nandanam

(Indian restaurant)

Address: Av. Louis-Ruchonnet 11, 1003 Lausanne

Phone: +41 21 312 23 00

Website: <https://www.nandanam.ch/>

Café de Grancy (Bistrot)

Just below Lausanne's main train station

Address: Avenue du Rond-Point 1, 1006 Lausanne

Phone: +41 21 616 86 66

Website: <https://www.cafedegrancy.ch/cartes/carte-du-soir/>

Le Ticino

(Food from Ticino - Italian part of Switzerland)
Just in front of the main train station in Lausanne
Address: Place de la Gare 12, 1003 Lausanne
Phone: +41 21 320 32 04
Website: <https://leticino.ch/>

Brasserie de Montbenon

(European cuisine)
Address: Allée E. Ansermet 3, 1003 Lausanne
Phone: +41 21 320 40 30
Website: <https://www.brasserie-demontbenon.ch/>

Kung-Fu cuisine

(Chinese restaurant)
Address: Avenue de Tivoli 4, 1007 Lausanne
Phone: +41 21 311 18 88
Website: <https://kung-fu-cuisine.business.site/>

Pain Quotidien

Just opposite Lausanne station
Address: Place de la Gare 2, 1001 Lausanne
Website: <https://www.lepainquotidien.com/ch/en/locations/lausanne/place-de-la-gare-2/>

La Voile d'Or

A group of restaurants by the lake from Thai food, oriental food, burgers to bar lounge, next to the port of Vidy.

EPFL Campus

EPFL boutiques and stores

<https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/restauration-shops-hotels/shops/>

Grocery stores on campus

Migros: <https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/migros-2/>

Denner: <https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/denner-3/>

SwissTech Village

<https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/swisstech-village/>

Institute of Mathematics Library

<https://math.epfl.ch/>

Bookstore

<https://actu.epfl.ch/news/la-boutique-4/>

Medical

Pharmacy Sunstore: Centre commercial Coop, Chemin du Croset 1-3, 1024 Ecublens
Phone number: +41 58 878 53 30

Pharmacy & Drugstore St-Sulpice, Rue du Centre 68, 1025 St-Sulpice
Phone number: +41 21 691 68 13

Health Medical Center at the EPFL (<https://www.epfl.ch/campus/restaurants-shops-hotels/medical-center-les-arcades/>)

SwissTech Village, Quartier Nord, Rte Louis Favre 6A, 1024 Ecublens
Phone number: +41 21 614 63 63

Emergency medical centre

VidyMed: Route de Chavannes 11, 1007 Lausanne (5 minutes' drive from the Bernoulli Center)
Phone number: +41 21 622 88 88

Activities

Lausanne Tourism Office (<https://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/en/>) is located across the Lausanne train station and the entrance to the Plateforme 10 Arts District. The office is open from 9am to 6pm.

PubliBike offers self-service bicycle and e-bike: <https://www.publibike.ch/en/home>. There is a bike station located right next to the Bernoulli Center.

The village next to EPFL is St-Sulpice, which has a small beach. To the East, you can walk to Lausanne, through Parc Louis Bourget and Vidy. To the West, you can walk to Morges through Préverenges.

There are indoor and outdoor swimming pools around the EPFL:

- Bellerive-Plage outdoor pool: <https://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/en/explore/bellerive-swimming-pool/>
- Vaudoise Arena indoor pool: <https://vaudoisearena.ch/en/sports-centres/aquatic-centre>

Urban training offers free outdoor activities: <https://www.urban-training.ch/en>

In several museums, the entry is free every first Saturday of the month. Below some of the Lausanne museums:

- [Olympic Museum](#)
- [Hermitage](#)
- [Plateforme 10](#)
- [Art brut](#)

Nice public gardens:

- Esplanade de Montbenon: check out Myo sushi bar and Brasserie Montbenon
- Parc de l'Hermitage, high up, not far from the cathedral and the Hermitage Museum
- Parc du Denantou, next to Ouchy and the Olympic Museum

Eliane & Christiane are looking forward to welcoming you at the Bernoulli Center (room GA 334) and remain at your disposal should you need help or advice.