



GO INTERNATIONAL

Official Trade Mission to Switzerland

26-29 October 2026



PROGRAMME

Recommended flights/train

Monday, 26 October 2026	Wednesday, 28 October 2026	Thursday, 29 October 2026 (Space track)
Swiss International Airlines 10h45 LUX Luxembourg 11h50 ZRH Zurich	CFL 16h21 Basel Train Station 20h24 Luxembourg Train Station	Luxair 20h10 GVA Geneva 21h15 LUX Luxembourg

Important notice

- Each participant is personally responsible for her/his flight reservations. Due to the unpredictability of air travel, we highly recommend making a reservation that can be changed/refunded.
- Bus transfers are organised according to the proposed flights. Participants arriving individually will need to arrange their own transport to join the delegation.

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Recommended hotels

Hotel St. Gotthard

Address: Bahnhofstrasse 87, 8001 Zürich, reservation@hotelstgotthard.ch, Tel: + +41 (0) 44 227 77 00

Room price per night (taxes included): approx. EUR 255.00

Monday, 26 October 2026		
Luxembourg - Zurich		
10h45	Departure from Luxembourg to Zurich	Luxembourg
11h50	Arrival at Zurich airport	Zurich
12h15 -12h30	<i>Transfer by bus to Hotel St. Gotthard and check-in</i>	
14h00	Business Forum Switzerland-Luxembourg and B2B meetings • Welcome addresses given by Minister Obertin and local representative • Presentation of the Swiss and Luxembourg innovation ecosystem • Sectorial exchanges: Healthtech, Sustainable Construction and Space • B2B session	Hotel St. Gotthard Bahnhofstrasse 87 8001 Zurich
18h30 -20h30	Official networking reception	Hotel St. Gotthard Bahnhofstrasse 87 8001 Zurich

Tuesday, 27 October 2026		
Zurich, Dübendorf, Baden		
08h45	<i>Check-out and transfers by bus</i>	
	Track 1 – Sustainable Construction	
	Transfer by bus to Dübendorf	
	Visit of EMPA , NEST Facilities and laboratories	Ueberlandstrasse 129 8600 Dübendorf
	<i>Empa is a Swiss research institution that develops innovative materials, technologies, and engineering solutions to address challenges in sustainability, energy, mobility, health, and advanced manufacturing.</i>	
	09h30-10h00: Introduction Empa / NEST (Prof. Matthias Sulzer)	
	10h00-11h30: NEST-Visit and Q&A (Enrico Marchesi):	
	Themes:	
	• Circular economy in construction (Units: UMAR, Sprint) • Digitalisation in construction (Units: STEP2, HiLo) • CO2- optimised construction material (Unit: Beyond.Zero)	
	11h30-12h00: Visit of Concrete-Lab (Dr. Mateusz Wyrzykowski)	

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	12h00: Visit of Concrete-Lab (Dr. Mateusz Wyrzykowski)	
12h00	Networking lunch with ecosystem stakeholders at EMPA	
- 13h00	(to be confirmed)	
13h00	Visit of Eberhard Recycling AG / Zirkulit <i>Low carbon construction, circular construction, circular materials</i> Visit of automated recycling center Ebirec	Steinackerstrasse 56 8302 Kloten Oberglatterstrasse 17 8153 Rümlang
15h30	<i>Transfer to ZH - Tüffenwies</i>	
15h30	Visit of SIKA Presentation Sustainability Strategy (glo-sika-esg-presentation-052026.pdf / Sustainability Reporting / Circular Economy) Laboratory Visits - Concrete Recycling (reCO₂ver Concrete Recycling) - Roofing Membranes (Recycling of Sika Roofing Membranes) - Bonding & De-bonding by design (Circular Economy)	Tüffenwies 16 8048 Zurich
17h00	<i>Transfer by bus to Zurich Main Train Station</i>	
17h34	<i>Departure by train to Basel</i>	
18h26	Arrival in Basel	
18h40	Check in at Hotel Mövenpick tbc (close to Basel Train station)	
	Free evening	
Track 2 - Healthtech		
09h45	<i>Transfer by bus to Baden-Dättwil</i>	
10h30	Meeting with Health Innovation Hub Aargau & Baden Cantonal Hospital (KSB)	Partnerhaus 2, Im Ergel 1 5404 Baden
-13h00	<i>The Health Innovation Hub Aargau has made it its mission to bring together key players from hospitals, research institutions, and businesses of national and international importance. Its goal is to promote innovation in the region in the fields of digital health, medical technology, and healthcare provision.</i> <i>The Baden Cantonal Hospital (KSB) is the central healthcare provider for eastern Aargau and, with its modern health campus, a "hospital of the future ." It has received numerous awards as one of the best employers in the Swiss healthcare sector and as one of the most innovative hospitals in Switzerland.</i>	
13h00	Networking lunch	
14h00	<i>Transfer by bus to Research Institute-Balgrist University Hospital</i>	Forchstrasse 340 8008 Zurich

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14h30 Visit of [Research Institute-Balgrist University Hospital](#)

The Operating Room X (OR-X) provides a platform for translational research in surgical technology, robotics and medical imaging under near-clinical conditions. Within this environment, research groups, start-ups and R&D teams from academia, hospitals and the MedTech industry can collect surgical data, integrate and evaluate new technologies, develop surgical methods and conduct validation studies.

16h30 Transfer by bus to Zurich Main Train Station

16h59 Departure by train to Basel

17h58 Arrival in Basel

18h10 Check in at Hotel Mövenpick tbc (close to Basel Train station)

Free evening

Track 3 – Space Sector

8h45 Check out and transfer by bus to Dübendorf

Wangenstrasse 68
8600 Dübendorf

9h00 Visit of the [CSA](#) – Center for Space and Aviation and Tour of the Innovation Parc

CSA promotes innovation in space and aviation by connecting research institutions, industry, and government partners. It supports research, technology development, and international collaboration in areas such as aerospace engineering, space science, sustainable aviation, and commercial space activities.

11h30 Transfer to Beyond Gravity

Location tbc

12h00 Visit of Beyond Gravity (to be confirmed)

13h00 Lunch

14h30 Transfer to ETH Zurich

15h00 Visit of ETH Zurich (Labs and ETH Incubator)
-17h00 (to be confirmed)

Location tbc

17h00- Transfer by train to Lausanne

Check in at hotel in Lausanne

Free evening

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Wednesday, 28 October 2026
Basel-Luxembourg / Lausanne

Track 1 – Sustainable Construction – Focus on circular economy initiatives (programme under construction)

09h00	(to be confirmed)	
	<i>Exchange with representatives from Basel city and canton on circular economy strategies and policies in the construction sector: urban planning, low carbon construction, public procurement</i>	
10h15	Visit of lighthouse projects (examples, to be confirmed)	
	Visit of building <u>HORTUS</u> , a pioneering project for sustainable construction by Blumer-Lehmann	Rudolf Geigy-Strasse 3 4123 Allschwil
	Visite of <u>CIRKLA</u> , the Swiss Reuse Network for re-use in construction (to be contacted)	
	Visite of <u>BaselCircular</u> , PPP with Canton BS to support companies with CE business modes (to be focused on construction)	Dornacherstrasse 192 4053 Basel
	Visite of <u>FRANCK AREAL – Kreislaufhaus</u>	Franck Areal Horbургstrasse 103 4057 Basel
12h00	Networking lunch + transfer to Basel Train Station	
13h24 -17h24	Train to Luxembourg	

Track 2 – Healthtech (programme still under construction)

09h00		
09h15	Departure by foot (10 min) to <u>Basel Life Sciences Super Cluster</u> (TBC)	St. Jakob Strasse 25 4052 Basel
	Visit of Basel Life Sciences Super Cluster The Basel Area Life Sciences Supercluster is a leading hub for pharma, biotech, medtech, and healthtech. Home to global giants like Roche and Novartis, as well as innovative companies in AI, data analytics, and quantum.	
10h15	Transfer by bus to Switzerland Innovation Park Basel Area – Main Campus (to be confirmed)	Hegenheimermatt weg 167A
10h30	Visit of <u>Switzerland Innovation Park Basel Area</u> and presentation of <u>DayOne Accelerator</u> (TBC)	
	<i>The DayOne Accelerator is a 3-month hybrid program designed to support international, high potential, early-stage ventures at the intersection of healthtech with pharma R&D, to refine their value proposition, connect with key industry players, and accelerate their growth.</i>	

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12h00 -13h30	Networking lunch with ecosystem stakeholder	
14h00	Company Visit (TBC)	
16h05	<i>Transfer by bus to Basel Train Station</i>	
16h21 -20h24	Train to Luxembourg (several options)	
Track 3 – Space Sector		
Morning	Visit of École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne - EPFL (confirmed) and visit of CYSEC and GAMMA RS (to be confirmed)	
After-noon	Visit of <u>Clearspace</u> ClearSpace develops in-orbit servicing, active space debris removal, and satellite sustainability solutions. The company designs robotic spacecraft to capture, service, and safely deorbit satellites, helping ensure the long-term sustainability of space operations.	Rue de Lausanne 64 1020 Renens
	Free evening	

Thursday, 29 October 2026
Lausanne - Geneva - Luxembourg

Track 3 – Space Sector		
<i>Check-out of the hotel and transfer to Swissto12</i>		
09h30	Visit of <u>Swissto12</u> <i>SWISSto12 develops advanced satellite systems, radio-frequency products, and telecommunications payloads using innovative 3D-printing technologies. The company serves commercial and government customers by providing high-performance space hardware and end-to-end satellite solutions for communications.</i>	Rue des Baumettes 19 1020 Renens
12h00	Lunch	
11h30	<i>Transfer by bus to Geneva Airport</i>	
20h10	<i>Flight from Geneva to Luxembourg</i>	
21h15	<i>Arrival in Luxembourg</i>	

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