

Learning retreat on national oversight institutions / independent state institutions

29th - 31st of August 2017 in Berne, Switzerland

We are so glad you are joining us to our learning retreat on national oversight institutions / independent state institutions.

- 50 participants from 14 countries: Afghanistan, Albania, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Egypt, Haiti, Laos, Mozambique, Myanmar, Pakistan, Switzerland, Serbia, Tunisia
- The network's focal points and staff: Corinne Huser, Nils Rosemann, Melina Papageorgiou, Andrea Iff, Inanna Göbel-Bösch,
- Resource persons from U4, Danish Institute for Human Rights, International IDEA, SECO, Afghanistan, Bhutan and Burkina Faso
- Our facilitators and reporters: Nadia von Holzen, Erika Schläppi and Hynek Bures

What should I bring?

- Bring your experience and all your questions.
- If you have bring photos and videos.
- Dresscode: CASUAL as the setting will be informal.
- If you stay at the Holiday Inn you will receive free admission to the Bernaqua, so you might want to bring your swimming suit.

Our daily schedule

We start at 8.30 a.m. and work till 5 p.m. We will have lunch together at the Holdiday Inn Hotel.

On Wednesday 30 August we will have an *apéro riche* (Cocktail). This will be fun!

Travel information for our guests joining us from abroad

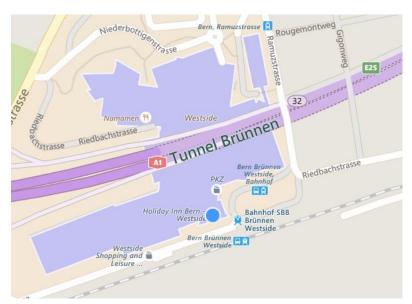


Zürich Airport – Berne main station

Zürich Airport has direct train connections to Berne. The duration is about 1 hour and 30 minutes. A one-way ticket will cost you CHF 55.—

Geneva Airport – Berne main station

Geneva Airport has direct trains to Bern. The duration from the Airport to the city is about 2 hours. A one-way ticket will cost you CHF 55.—



From Berne main station to Berne-Westside/

Brünnen

Take the train called S-Bahn number S5, S51 or S52. The S-Bahn will take you to Bern Westside/ Brünnen i n 8 minutes .
Or take the tram number 8, direction Brünnen Bhf.
Important: Your hotel confirmation is valid as tram/ S-Bahn ticket

Our Venue
Hotel Holiday Inn
Westside Bern
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www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/bern/apysz/hoteldetail

IMPORTANT - BOOK YOUR ROOM AT THE HOLIDAY INN UNTIL 31 JULY!

We have blocked 25 rooms for you which you can book online **until 31 July** by using this link:

https://www.holidayinn.com/redirect?

or by phone. If you book your room by phone please refer to our learning retreat.

Please contact Christa Romagini regarding your arrival details, if you require a free parking space, and also if you require a visa invitation letter.

Need more information?

Please contact: Christa Romagnini Christa.Romagnini@eda.admin.ch +41 58 462 12 50

We wish you a safe trip to Berne!