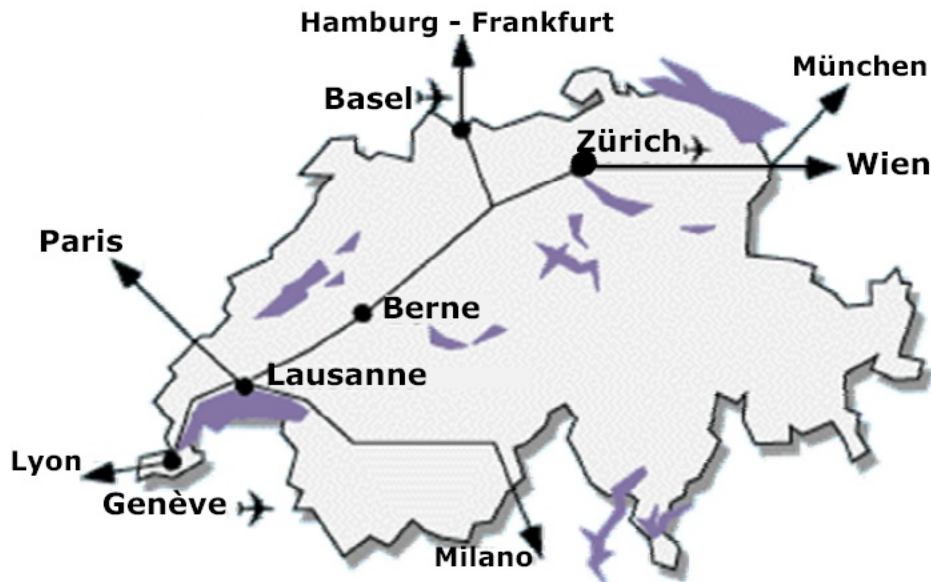


## TRANSPORTATION TO LAUSANNE/ SWITZERLAND



**Arriving in Switzerland by PLANE:** should you arrive by plane at one of the Swiss international airports (Geneva, Zurich, or Basel), the most convenient way to reach Lausanne is by train.

- **From Geneva airport (Cointrin):** the trip to Lausanne takes about 45 minutes and there are 3 departures per hour. Geneva Airport is the closest international Airport from Lausanne. Most connections are direct and there is no need to change. Full timetable details are available at <http://www.sbb.ch/en/index.htm>. The train tickets can be purchased at the train station and cost around 23.- CHF for a one-way ticket in second class.

- **From Zurich airport (Kloten):** the trip to Lausanne takes 2½ hours. There are 2 departures per hour and some trains require changing in Bern or Zurich Hauptbahnhof (Zürich HB). To check the timetable please refer to the link above and make your request by using Zurich Flughafen (Airport) as point of departure and Lausanne for arrival. The train tickets can be purchased at the train station and cost 67.- CHF for a one-way ticket in second class.

- **From Basel airport (EuroAirport):** the railway station is not in the airport but there is a shuttle service that gets you to the main train station (Basel SBB), in 20 minutes. The trip to Lausanne takes about 2½ hours. There are 2 trains per hour and most trains require changing in Bern or in Biel/Bienne. To check timetables please refer to the link above and make your request by using Basel Airport as point of departure and Lausanne for arrival.

**Arriving in Lausanne by CAR:** we clearly discourage you renting a car to travel from the airport to Lausanne. The public transportation system to get to Lausanne and to the Conference site is very efficient.

In Switzerland highways are labelled by **green signs** and are composed of the letter A followed by the corresponding number. You must buy a 40 CHF windscreen sticker (one year validity) at the border or petrol stations.

- From Airport Geneva-Cointrin: take highway A1 to Lausanne.
- From Airport Zurich-Kloten: take highway A1 to Bern. Then follow A12 - A9 to Lausanne.
- From Airport Basel-Mulhouse: follow highway A3 to Basel. Then take A2 - A1 to Bern and after A12 - A9 to Lausanne.

Take exit N° 9 **Lausanne-Blécherette** and follow the signposts for "Beaulieu".

If you are arriving from elsewhere and want to trace your itinerary by car we recommend that you visit the Via Michelin web site which does a good job of giving driving indications: [www.viamichelin.com](http://www.viamichelin.com)

**Arriving in Lausanne by TAXI from Geneva or Bern:** if you wish to take a taxi from Geneva to Lausanne the journey will cost about CHF 260.

Taxis can be ordered by phone, or directly found on a taxi area in the airport, train station or in the city. You will be charged a little extra for your baggage. The price of the journey is indicated on the taximeter visible in the car. The tip and TVA are included.

Taxi in Geneva: +41 22 33 141 33

Taxi in Lausanne: +41 0800 801 802, +41 0800 801 234



**Arriving in Switzerland by TRAIN:** there are good train connections from Paris, Lyon, and Milan. You can check timetables at <http://www.sbb.ch/en/index.htm>

- **From Paris:** a TGV connects Paris "Gare de Lyon" with Lausanne. The trip takes about 4 hours and requires no changes. There are 4 departures a day.

- **From Lyon:** from "Lyon Part-Dieu" station, the trip to Lausanne takes about 2½ hours. There is one train every two hours and it is always necessary to change in Geneva main station.

- **From Milan:** from Milan main station, the trip to Lausanne takes roughly 4 hours (3 hours with Cisalpino). There is one departure every two hours and usually changing train is not necessary.

The Beaulieu Conference and Exhibition Centre is 10 minutes by bus from the CFF railway station in Lausanne.

**Line 3 :** Gare CFF – Beaulieu

**Line 2 :** Bellerive – Ouchy – Saint-François – Beaulieu

*Information: Public transport in the Lausanne region, [www.t-l.ch](http://www.t-l.ch)*