



How to get there

Mont-Soleil is located above the city of Saint-Imier in the Western part of Switzerland.

General information on Mont-Soleil and its surroundings about transportation, accomodation, attractions etc. is available, for example, at the tourism office of the Bernese Jura (see www.jurabernois.ch/en).

Please note that applicants from Non-EU countries may need a valid Visa for entering Switzerland. Please contact the Swiss Embassy in your country to check it.

Mont-Soleil can easily be reached by public transport. Both international airports in Zurich and Geneva have their own train station. The Swiss Federal Railways provide an easy to use journey planner for the public transport in Switzerland (see www.sbb.ch/en/timetable.html).

When using the car, please note that there is a driving ban on the 400 m long access path to the power station on Mont-Soleil, so that you have to leave your car at the parking lot along the Mont-Soleil pass road.

Welcome desk

A welcome desk will be at the disposal of all participants at the Restaurant Le Manoir on Mont-Soleil (see www.lemanoir-montsoleil.ch) on Sunday 12th August 2018 opening at 16:00 hours.

Lodging

Lodging is in the Auberge Mont-Soleil Chez l'Assesseur on Mont-Soleil (see www.montsoleil.ch). See booking form for the lodging and convenience package for details.

Meals

Meals are included in the convenience package. See booking form for the lodging and convenience package for details.

Local transports

Local transports on Mont-Soleil from lodging to the Mont-Soleil Conference center and back, transports during evening events are done by minibus. It is included in the convenience package.

Additional useful information

As the title of Summer PhD School "Field-Based Insights into the Implementation of Renewable Energies" suggests, a number of events will take place outdoors. Since on Mont-Soleil it can rain and be relatively cool even in August, be sure to take good clothes and shoes with you.

All lectures and training sessions will be held in English.