

## Summer School

# Integrated methods to detect polygenic adaptation from genomic data

28 Aug – 30 Aug 2017, WSL Birmensdorf, Switzerland

### Summer School Venue

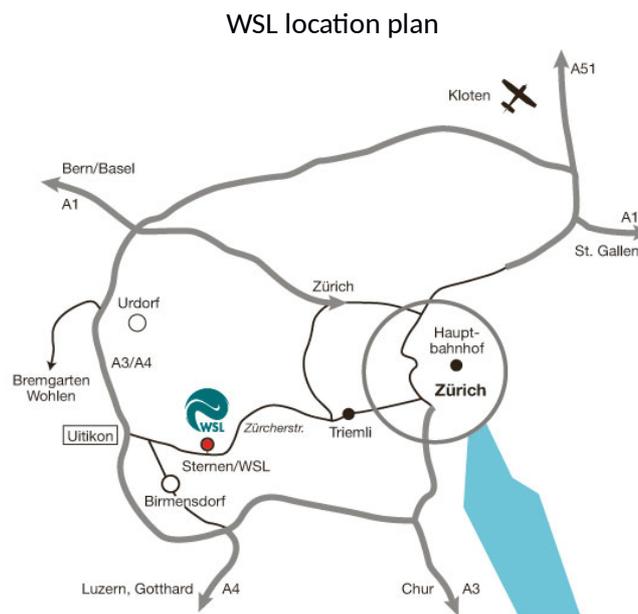
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### How to reach the WSL by public transport

#### From Zürich main station (Hauptbahnhof or Zürich HB)

You can buy a ticket from Zürich to Birmensdorf ZH from the ticket machines (labeled ZVV or SBB) by entering the post code 8903 for Birmensdorf. We recommend buying a **day pass (valid for 24 hours)** since its price is the double of a single ticket and you will need a return ticket to Zürich anyway unless your hotel is near the WSL. If you don't manage to obtain the right ticket (it's fairly difficult for first time users), you could also buy one from the Zürich HB ticket center (be prepared to queue!). If you do so, we recommend you get a **6 journey 1 hour pass for zones 110 and 154**. This is probably the best option since you need 3 return tickets anyway for the 3 days of the school. **Don't forget to validate your pass before getting on the train/tram/bus!**

#### By train/tram and bus from Zürich HB

Take the S-Bahn train line 5 (direction: Zug) or 14 (direction: Affoltern am Albis) to Birmensdorf leaving from the underground level of the main train station. The journey to Birmensdorf takes about 20 minutes. At Birmensdorf station you take the yellow Post bus number 350 to the stop WSL/Sternen (2-3 min. ride in the direction: Zurich Wiedikon). It is also possible to walk up to the WSL (beware of the elevation!). Another option is to take the S-Bahn train line S2 to Wiedikon (direction Ziegelbrücke) and take the bus number 220 to WSL/Sternen. Or, it also possible to take the tram no. 14 to Goldbrunnenplatz (direction: Triemli) and then take bus number 350 (direction Berikon Widen) or 220 (direction Bonstetten Chrüzächer) to WSL/Sternen.

Here are some recommend connections:



## From Zürich Airport

The easiest way is to go first from Zürich Airport to Zürich HB and from there to WSL (see previous section). Take any of the following train to Zürich main station: IC, ICN, IR, S2, S16, S24. Trains depart every 15 minutes.

## How to reach WSL by car

### Coming from the direction of Berne

On the motorway Bern-Zürich follow the signs St. Gallen/Flughafen from Limmattaler Kreuz then Flughafen/Zürich-Nordring/Urdrorf in the lane for Urdrorf. Continue through the short tunnel "Honeret". Leave the motorway at exit Urdrorf-Süd and continue straight on for about 3 km (Shell petrol station on right 1 km after tunnel) to Birmensdorf. At first traffic lights turn left up the hill, past Birmensdorf railway station, over the railway crossing. Continue uphill until you pass a gas station on the right, then turn sharp left into the entrance to WSL.

### Coming from the direction of St. Gall

On the motorway Zürich-Bern, before reaching Zurich, follow the signs Zürich/Flughafen and then the signs for Transit/Flughafen/Zürich. Change to the left-hand lane when the sign for Bern/Basel/ Zürich-Nordring appears. When the lanes fork, keep left to Bern/Basel/Zürich-Nordring (Flughafen to the right). Continue following Bern/Basel/Zürich through the tunnel "Gubrist" (3.5 km long). Get into the left-hand lane, preferably before the end of the tunnel, especially if there is heavy traffic. Immediately after the tunnel, take the left-hand lane to Zürich/Urdrorf (straight on is marked Bern/Basel). After a few meters, left again, following the signs for Urdrorf. Continue through the short tunnel "Honeret". Leave the motorway at exit Urdrorf-Süd and continue straight on for about 3 km (Shell petrol station on right 1 km after tunnel) to Birmensdorf. At first traffic lights turn left up the hill, past Birmensdorf railway station, over the railway crossing. Continue uphill until you pass a gas station on the right, then turn sharp left into the entrance to WSL.

### Coming from the direction of Sargans

Coming from Sargans, leave the motorway at the exit Brunau/Albisgütli and follow the road uphill to the traffic lights level with "Strassenverkehrsamt" (signpost). Here turn right into Schweighofstrasse and continue about 1.5 km until this road leads into Birmensdorferstrasse. Turn left here and follow the signs Luzern/Affoltern am Albis. After Triemli (tram terminal, tall hospital buildings on left), follow the road about 1.5 km uphill to Utikon (overhead traffic lights) and continue following the signs for Luzern straight on, slightly downhill. After about 800 meters you will see the hotel "Leuen" on the right; the turning into WSL is approximately 600 meters past this on the right.