Bern-Fribourg Master’s in Earth Sciences

 WHO
Any BSc graduate in Earth Sciences from a Swiss or acknowledged university (or equivalent title with min. 60 ECTS Earth Sciences content (see admission procedure)), with a good command of English

 WHAT
A two year education cycle combining teaching units and an independent research project

 WHY
To become a professional geologist or as an important step towards an academic career

 WHERE
A joint program between the Universities of Bern and Fribourg, with field trips in the surroundings, the neighbouring Alps or further away ...

 WHEN
Program preferably starting in Fall Semester annually (also possible in Spring Semester upon individual agreement)

 HOW
Are you interested? Then, please contact one of the student advisors for further information and fill in the admission/registration request form!

 Curriculum
The Universities of Bern and Fribourg offer an MSc degree in Earth Sciences. One of the following five special qualifications within this program may be chosen:

- Earth and Life Evolution
- Earth Materials
- Environmental & Resource Geochemistry
- Geology
- Pure and Applied Quaternary Science

All MSc candidates complete a course module entitled Dynamic Alps, which serves as a common basis for all the specialities and some Soft Skill courses (6 ECTS). Each speciality consists of a set of mandatory courses (30 ECTS), a set of elective courses (28 ECTS) and a thesis project (60 ECTS). Thesis work is spread over all 4 semesters of the degree program and the topic of the thesis lies within the chosen speciality.

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Have your Bachelor studies instilled in you a fascination for Geology?

Are you interested in pursuing your studies at the Master's level?

Do you wish to train for an exciting career in research or industry?

We are pleased to invite you on March 23rd to a brief information event regarding the Bern-Fribourg Master's in Earth Sciences. This is a chance for you to meet potential advisors, to discuss the options for curricula and to quiz current Master's students about their experience.

16:30 - 17:45 Presentation of MSc curriculum and the 5 MSc specialties, discussion with students
17:45 poster session and apero

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Please confirm participation to www.mastertage.unibe.ch at the latest by March 21, 2022.