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Poster session with awards

Online Registration

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Académie des sciences naturelles

Objectives

The Swiss Global Change Day is an event where the global change community can meet and discuss ongoing problems in a transdisciplinary manner.

The aim is to present recent highlights in global environmental

change research as well as to point out challenges for future research. Besides there is the opportunity for people from governmental institutions, economy and politics to ask questions and explain their needs and views on the topics presented.

Poster session and awards



The poster session is an opportunity to stay in touch with current Swiss research activities.

Two posters in each of the fields of WCRP, IGBP, IHDP, DIVERSITAS and START* respectively will

be awarded by a jury. The authors (students or post-docs) of these posters will receive a travel award of CHF 1000 each, which allows them to attend an international conference in the current year.

Please note the terms to attend the contest: We ask you to send us a

pdf file until 23 March 2012. You also have the possibility to present your poster without entering the contest.

The poster awards are sponsored by bodies of the Swiss Academy of Sciences:

- ACP Commission for Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics
- IGBP Swiss Committee
- IHDP Switzerland
- Swiss Biodiversity Forum
- ProClim–
- KFPE Commission for Research Partnerships with Developing Countries

Location

Freies Gymnasium, Beaulieustr.55, Bern. Take Bus no. 11 direction 'Neufeld', 5th stop 'Brückfeld', cross

the street. It is the big red building in front. It takes about 15 minutes from the station.

* WCRP: World Climate Research Programme
IGBP: International Geosphere Biosphere Programme
IHDP: International Human Dimensions Programme on Global Environmental Change
DIVERSITAS: International Programme on Biodiversity
START: SysTem for Analysis, Research, and Training

Programme

8.30	<i>Coffee / Preparation of posters</i>
9.00	Introduction Heinz Gutscher, Chair of ProClim–
9.10	Future cities – future climate Gerhard Schmitt, Singapore ETH Centre
9.45	Cost-efficient climate investments under uncertainty Hermann Held, University of Hamburg, D
10.20	<i>Coffee break / posters</i>
11.10	Paleoclimate and paleoweather: can we constrain the future with the past? Martin Grosjean, University of Bern
11.45	<i>Lunch / posters</i>
13.45	Surprise
14.15	Land use in developing countries: the triple exposure of local livelihood Anette Reenberg, University of Copenhagen, DK
14.50	Soil moisture: A neglected thermostat for climate extremes? Sonia Seneviratne, ETH Zurich
15.25	<i>Coffee break / posters</i>
15.50	Multi-year climate predictions: between wishful thinking and feasible decision support Jochem Marotzke, Max Planck Institute for Meteorology
16.25	Poster and ACP awards
16.40	Closure