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A healthy environment, including healthy soils, plants and animals, is essential for human well-being. One Health is an interdisciplinary framework that helps us to understand the processes that shape and connect global health.

The One Health International Bachelor and Master Summer School at the University of Bern offers a unique opportunity to explore the methods and current knowledge on the health of terrestrial food chains, from soils to plants, animals and humans. Students participating in the Summer School will explore the interfaces between the different compartments and learn about health connections in agroecosystems. Participants will:

- Explore connections between plant, animal and human health on excursions to different food production systems, whilst enjoying beautiful Switzerland.
- Visit multiple state-of-the-art research laboratories working on One Health projects and connect with scientists from around the globe.
- Use their own skills as health detectives to find potential solutions to some of the most pressing problems of the future.

When: 10 - 14 August 2020

Where: University of Bern, Switzerland

Who can participate? Bachelor students (third year) and masters' students (first year) with a background in life sciences.

Fee: Early bird registration: 125 CHF, Regular registration: 155 CHF The registration fee includes two excursions, course participation and two "apéro riche". The One Health International Bachelor and Master Summer School is kindly supported and subsidized by UniBE International.

Registration deadline: Deadline Early bird: 19 April 2020, Regular deadline: 17 May 2020

2 ECTS

Further information: onehealth.unibe.ch/ibss





