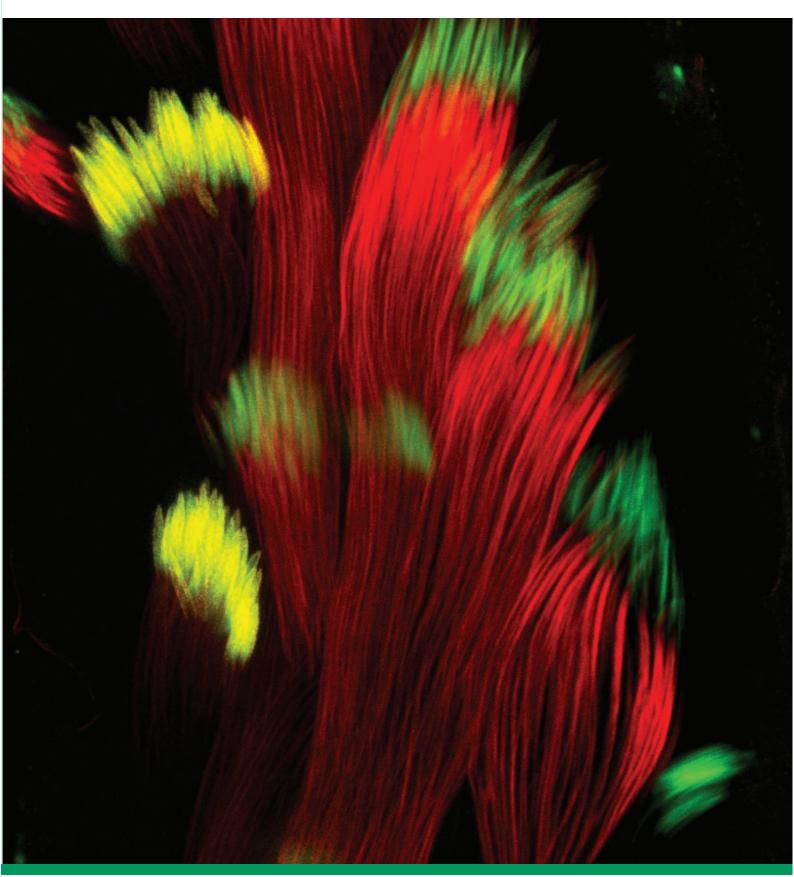
# Department of Biology

# Welcome Guide



# A very warm Welcome to our Department!

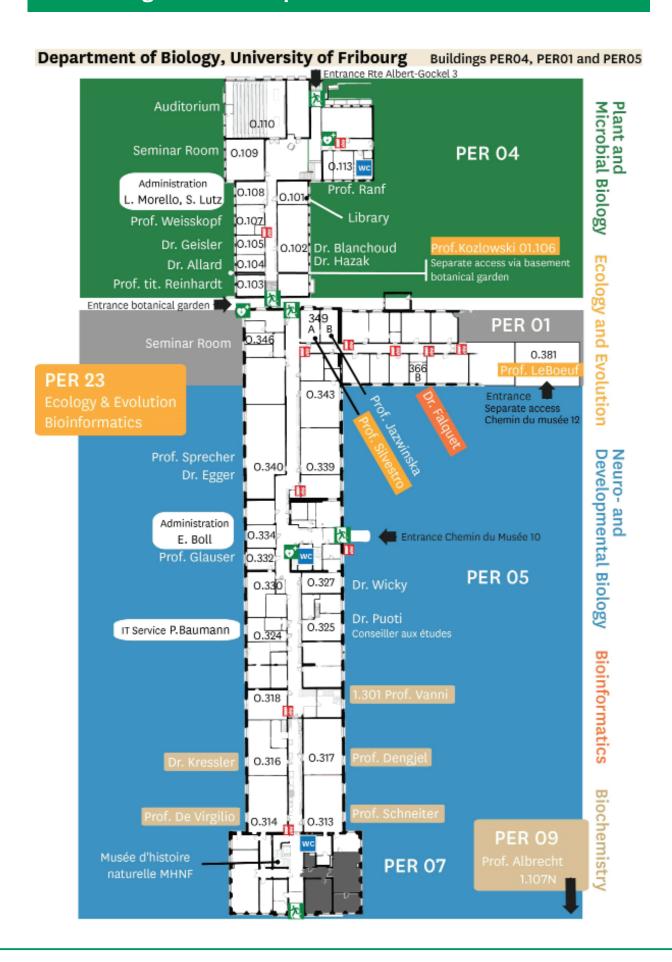
This guide is made for you to get all the information you need for a bright start here in Fribourg.

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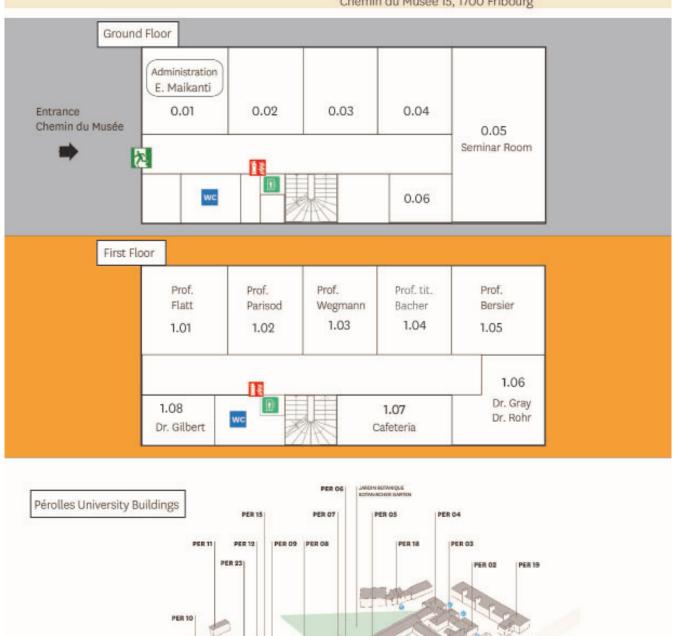


## 1. Buildings & offices map



# Department of Biology, Building PER23

Chemin du Musée 15, 1700 Fribourg



PER 22

BOULEVARD DE PÉROLLES

PER 17 PER 14

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#### 2. Contacts

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You can also search for people in the University Directory under www.unifr.ch/directory

## 3. Life on Campus

#### **Campus Card**

Shortly after the registration at University you will receive a Campus Card. You can activate it at Campus Card Terminals in PER14 or PER10 buildings. You will have to reactivate it once a month. You can use it to access buildings outside of opening hours, access specific rooms, use printers.

#### **Photocopiers and Printers**

2 common photocopiers/printers can be found in PERO4 and PERO5 buildings. Your Campus Card gives you access to the printer. If you do not have a Campus Card please contact the administration team.

#### Cafeteria

The cafeteria is located on the first floor of the PERO4 building. Please put your name on the list if you use the coffee machine. There are also some coffee and/or snacks dispensers in the PERO4 and PERO5 buildings.

#### Intranet

You can manage several admin tasks or register to courses via your personal account on my.unifr.ch

#### **Room Reservations**

You can ask Sabrina Lutz for room reservations. Room availabilities can be checked by scanning the QR code at the entrance of each room. sabrina.lutz@unifr.ch

#### **Course Catalogue**

Courses can be found at this link: <a href="https://www.unifr.ch/timetable">www.unifr.ch/timetable</a>

#### **Seminars**

Department Seminars are organised every Tuesday at 11:15 in Auditorium 0.110 during the semester. They are announced in the newsletter you receive every Friday and everyone is welcome. Main events are in our agenda at this link:

www.unifr.ch/bio/en/info/agenda

#### **Fedex**

Please contact the administration team for your Fedex shipment.

#### **Safety**

Rules can be found at this link: www.unifr.ch/scimed/en/safety

### **Emergency numbers**

Police 117
Fire 118
Ambulance 144
Intoxication 145

#### 4. Platforms

#### **Metabolomics and Proteomics platform**

The Metabolomics and Proteomics Platform (MAPP) is a service of the Department of Biology of the University of Fribourg. The mission of the platform is to provide expertise, instrumentation, and manpower to enable state-of-the-art implementation of metabolomic and proteomic analyses. To this end, the MAPP offers support in the planning and execution of experiments, including custom-tailored method development, sample preparation, data acquisition and analysis, and researcher training. Since its official start in January 2017, the MAPP has provided its services to many research groups of the Department of Biology as well as to some external customers. Notably, our activities have already contributed to several publications. Contact: <a href="mapp-biol@unifr.ch">mapp-biol@unifr.ch</a>

#### **Bioimage Core Facility**

The Bioimage Core Facility was built and is now run by the Department of Biology and the Section of Medicine of the University of Fribourg. It provides access to shared instrumentation and software for state-of-the-art light microscopy. Its aim is to assist you along the path from sample to knowledge with our knowhow in image acquisition optimisation and our expertise in image processing and data mining. All research groups from the University of Fribourg and associated Institutes can get access to the facility infrastructure following standard procedure. Contact: <a href="mailto:bioimage-admin@unifr.ch">bioimage-admin@unifr.ch</a>

#### **Bioinformatics & Biostatistics Platforms**

This core facility is dedicated to provide bioinformatics & biostatistics support to life-science researchers of the University of Fribourg. We are organised with two heads, one for the bioinformatics (Dr. Falquet) and one for the biostatistics (Dr. Rohr). Informal meetings around a coffee/tea and croissants called BAOBAB (Bioinformatics & Biostatistics Open Bar and Breakfast) are regulary organised. This is an opportunity to discuss with the experts of the core facilities about NGS planning and data analysis issues.

Contact: bugfri@unifr.ch

#### **Facilities & Core Services**

The Department of Biology and the Faculty of Science and Medicine provide different services such as equipment booking.

You can find facilities and core services at this link:

www.unifr.ch/bio/en/services/facilities www.unifr.ch/scimed/facilities

#### 5. Graduate School FGLM

#### Fribourg Graduate School of Life Sciences and Medicine



The FGLM is an interdisciplinary graduate school, which offers a coordinated doctoral program in the life sciences. The program offers a wide variety of courses to PhD students, ensures regular thesis committee meetings, and supports PhD students in scientific and personal matters. FGLM members have the unique opportunity to self-organize activities such as workshops, seminars, courses, social events, retreats, etc. Student representatives are elected every year.

More information at this link:

www.unifr.ch/bio/en/studies/graduate-school-fglm

#### 6. Daily life

#### Restaurants

La MENSA is the official restaurant of the University. Le Cyclo, l'Imprévu or the HEIA-FR restaurant are also close to the Department. You will find a variety of restaurants along the "Boulevard de Pérolles". More information: www.fribourgtourisme.ch

#### Where to withdraw money?

There is a BCF cashpoint on the Pérolles campus in front of PERO9 building.

#### **Sport**

There is a sports service of the University of Fribourg that offers activities to university members. You can find more information on their website: <a href="https://www.unifr.ch/sportuni">www.unifr.ch/sportuni</a>

#### **DOKPE**

DOKPE is a public library that provides books and periodicals of natural and exact sciences in free access: Physics, chemistry, geology, geography, biology, anatomy, physiology, microbiology, immunology, and basic books in mathematics: <a href="https://www.unifr.ch/dokpe">www.unifr.ch/dokpe</a>

