

Practice-oriented course content

Experienced instructors

Short course duration (1-2 days)

Creation of customized courses

#### **COURSES FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR**

The FSRM offers a wide range of training courses for professionals, mainly from the technical field. Over 20'000 people, of whom 85% work in industry, have already come to the FSRM to update their skills. Companies particularly appreciate our practice-oriented approach and the fact that the courses are limited in duration to one or two days. Furthermore, most courses can be customised and given on-site.

## AN IMPRESSIVE NETWORK OF INSTRUCTORS

The consistently high quality of the FSRM courses is assured through our broad network of 200 specialists. These instructors, coming directly from both the private sector and academic institutions, bring professional knowledge that can be directly put into practice by participants.

#### **200 COURSE SUBJECTS**

The FSRM offers courses in French and English in the following fields:

- \_ Micro and nanotechnologies
- Materials
- \_ Manufacturing processes
- \_ Measurement and control
- \_ Product development
- \_ Watchmaking
- \_ Medical subjects
- Standards, quality and environment
- \_ LEAN Management
- \_ Management

See the full course schedule at: www.fsrm.ch

## ORGANISATION OF SEMINARS AND CONGRESSES

The FSRM has a highly-experienced team and the right tools for organising tailor-made events such as scientific congresses, conferences and seminars.

#### RÉFÉRENCES

www.mne2014.org	850 participants
www.eftf-2014.ch	450 participants
www.mam2016.ch	90 participants
www.swiss-eprint.ch	125 participants
www.swissnanoconvention.ch	400 participants
www.eurosensors09.ch	400 participants

+ dozens of 1-2 day seminars and workshops (Micronarc, ION-CH, Swiss MNT Network ...)

Examples of the FSRM services:

- \_ Registrations & secure on-line payment
- \_ Professional website, adapted to the event
- \_ E-marketing and creation of brochures
- \_ Invoicing & accounting
- Management of visa applications (invitation letters)
- Front desk/reception/badges/lists
- Creation of the technical program/reception of abstracts, printed and digital program
- Management of proceedings (printed and digital)
- Search for sponsors
- \_ Management of exhibition



#### **RAISING AWARENESS OF THE CHILDREN**

Acutely aware of the problem of succession in the technical trades, FSRM is firmly committed to a youth technology outreach program through the organisation of a series of "workshops of discovery". They cater to girls and boys from 7 to 13 years and are organised regularly in different cities throughout Western Switzerland.

#### **PUBLIC LECTURES**

Mainly catering to a professional audience, the FSRM also addresses the general public through evening public lectures, which perfectly provide an accessible way of presenting new technologies and topical research projects.



## MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION OF ASSOCIATIONS AND INTEREST GROUPS

The FSRM assumes mandates of management and coordination of professional associations and players in the microtech ecosystem. As an independent and unbiased institution with a vast network of contacts, the FSRM is at the crossroads of microtechnology. The FSRM has a highly experienced team and the right tools for logistics, accounting and administrative services (www.sensors.ch, www.micronarc.ch, www.swissmntnetwork.ch, www.solarswissconnect.ch, www.concourschronometrie.org).

The FSRM is partner in several projects financed by the European Commission in which FSRM assumes either the role of a coordinator or as a leader of tasks related to the dissemination and exploitation of results (www.eurotraining.net, www.express-ca.eu, www.iaqsense.eu).



#### *MICRONARC*

Since 2008 the FSRM has been the executive office for Micronarc, the micro-nanotech cluster and communication platform founded by the seven cantons of Western Switzerland (Bern, Fribourg, Vaud, Neuchâtel, Geneva, Valais et Jura). Its primarily role is the development and promotion of the regional scientific, industrial and economic base in the sectors of micro and nanotechnology. Micronarc organises grouped booths at industry trade shows and scientific conferences. provides information and networking possibilities and acts as a facilitator in establishing business relations. www.micronarc.ch

#### **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

- 200 courses in technical and management fields
- Short course duration (1-2 days)
- Practice-oriented course contents
- \_ Experienced instructors
- Already more than20'000 participants
- Creation of customised courses

# ORGANISATION OF CONGRESSES AND SEMINARS

- Complete logistics management
- Management of finances and invoicing
- Management of the technical programme

### MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION OF ASSOCIATIONS AND INTEREST GROUPS

- \_ Secretarial headquarters
- \_ Accounting and finances
- \_ Organisation of events

#### **ABOUT THE FSRM**

#### Création

In 1978 by a consortium of the Swiss Confederation, cantons, cities, professional associations and 24 companies.

#### Legal status

Foundation under private law.

#### Mission

To promote microtechnology and its applications.

#### Staff

10 employees.



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