

CONNECTING GREAT MINDS

As a private Swiss non-profit organization, Switzerland Innovation Park Biel/Bienne (SIPBB) operates and supports industrial and primarily applied research and development. We support SMEs and startups in the implementation of innovative ideas and acquisition of research funds, help them identify suitable research partners, and manage quality control of innovation projects.

OFFER

SIPBB pursues the following goals:

- Generate investments in research from abroad
- Promote innovation performance of Switzerland
- Accelerate the implementation of research results into marketable products
- Support startups

Keeping this in mind, we run a platform in Biel/Bienne with the following core services:

- Space reserves
- Research and Development services
- Technology equipment

Complementary, we assist you with the realization of your innovative idea and acquisition of research funds, help you identify suitable research partners, and manage quality control of innovation projects.

OUR CUSTOMERS AND PARTNERS

Our tenants, customers and partners have the following backgrounds:

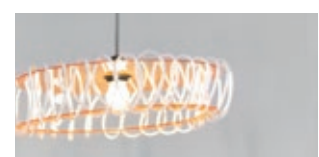
- Research and Development departments and dedicated project teams from large industry and technology companies, and SMEs
- Mixed and interdisciplinary project teams from companies and (academic) research partners

NETWORK

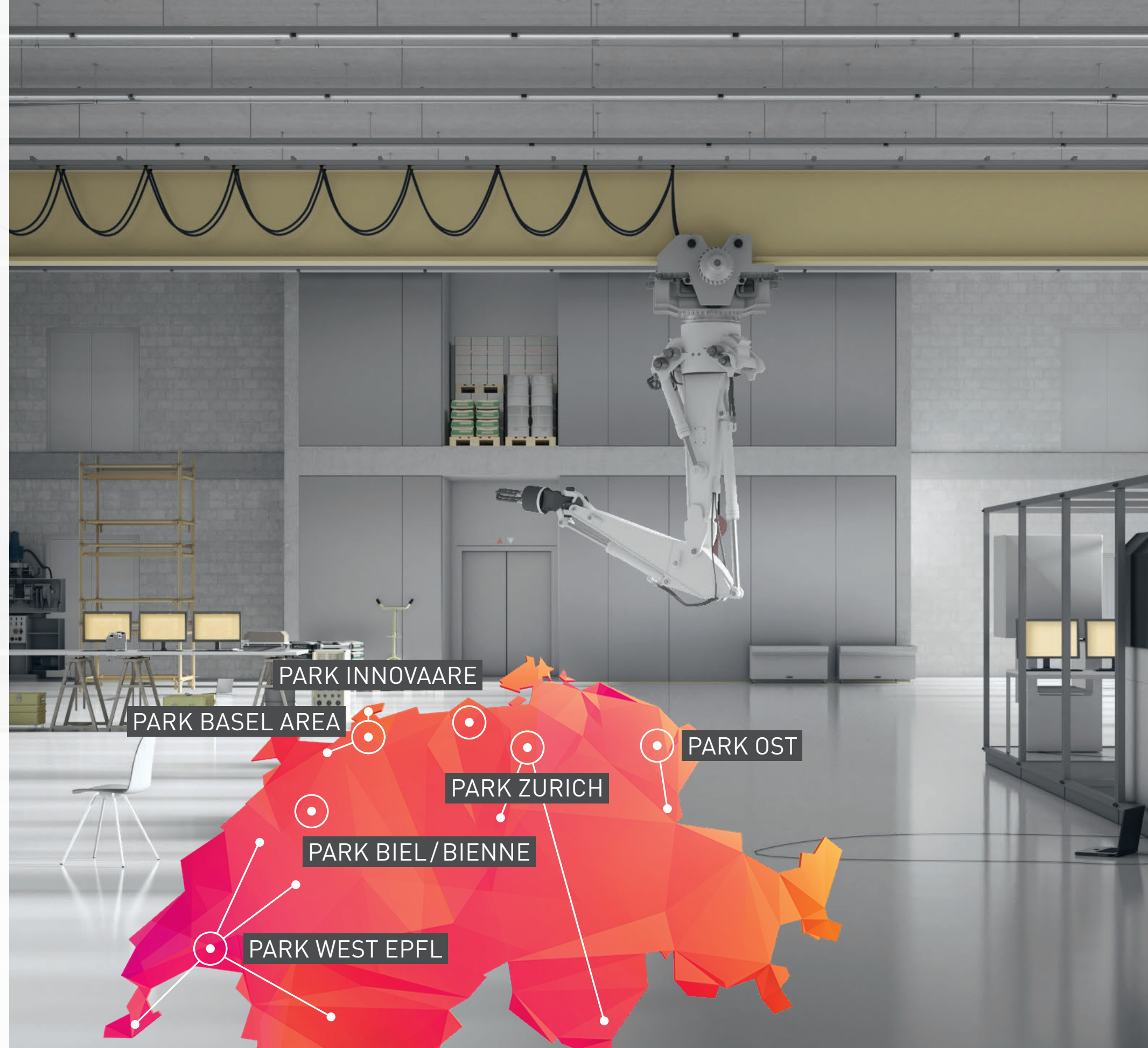
SIPBB is part of the network of the Switzerland Innovation Foundation.

SIPBB researchers and engineers collaborate closely with the Bern University of Applied Sciences, the University of Bern, the University Hospital of Bern and the EMPA Thun and networks all customers with all relevant partners in the Swiss innovation environment.

**FABLAB
BIEL-BIENNE**



The FABLAB (Fabrication laboratory) is part of SIPBB and is an open workshop that enables our customers to access production equipment and modern industrial production processes. It has been designed for the production of single pieces and is a part of the prototyping service. The FABLAB is accessible to everyone and offers many courses and workshops.



NEW BUILDING SWITZERLAND INNOVATION PARK BIEL/BIENNE



The five-storey building is modern, flooded with light and very adaptable. The centerpiece is the large, open workshop of the Swiss Smart Factory. The new building is situated right next to the Biel railway station and across from the new campus of the Bern University of Applied Sciences (opening approx. in 2028).

Description of the premises

- More than 10000 m² of rentable space:**
- Offices and project workspace
 - Laboratory areas, clean rooms
 - Meeting rooms, the auditorium, bistro
 - Open innovation space
 - FABLAB (Fabrication laboratory)



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THE COMPETENCE CENTERS OF SIPBB

Our four research centers are supplemented by an engineering team, depending on the project requirements. This specific bundling of competences and yet close connection of the four centers is unique in Switzerland.



SWISS SMART FACTORY

Is the first test and demonstration platform for Industry 4.0 in Switzerland. The SSF is an open space where Startups and large companies can engage and evaluate technologies for their business. With every project we make, we expand our ecosystem of partners and knowledge that benefits all participants in the fourth industrial revolution. It has become a supermarket of ideas where companies of all sizes are welcome to learn and find what technology fits the needs of their company and product.



Dr. Dominic Gorecky
Head of SSF
Partner, Executive
Board Member



SWISS ADVANCED MANUFACTURING CENTER

Is where you want to go for all things Advanced Manufacturing. It helps both those who wish to learn about the technology and the application in different fields and those who need to overcome problems and find solutions to ongoing projects in Advanced Manufacturing. Because here you find the researchers that specialize in the subject. Engineers that know how to design and develop and the infrastructure to create usable prototypes.



Dr. Andreas Burn
Head of SAMC
Partner, Executive
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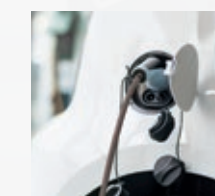


SWISS HEALTHTECH CENTER

The vision is to be the best partner for applied research and development for Digital Health in Switzerland. Our Customers benefit from the ecosystem of international Healthcare Organisations both from research and industry. We want to accelerate and facilitate the innovation journey of startups, SMEs and multinational firms with our teams of researchers, engineers and project managers from the idea to verified prototypes ready to be industrialized.



Björn Ölbricht
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SWISS BATTERY TECHNOLOGY CENTER

Battery Technology is one of the most critical subjects of today. In the next decade, the way we use batteries will change drastically. As your partner, we offer applied Research and Development, Prototyping, testing facilities for energy production and storage, and innovations services to push sustainability by using principles from the circular economy.



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