Be a Star in ESA's Universe
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HES-SO / Hepia, Geneva

Swiss Space Center
Grégoire Bourban
November 7th 2018
What is SSC’s role?
My space career

Student at EPFL (Msc. Micro-engineering)

Young Graduate Trainee (YGT) at ESA/ESTEC
Component Technology Section
My space career

Test Engineer at RUAG Space (Nyon)

Swiss Space Center
Scientific Assistant
Deputy Director since 2014
Young Graduate Trainee Program

• Trainee for at least 1 year working at ESA
• Living in the Netherlands, Italy, Spain, England, France, Germany, Belgium, or Kourou (French Guiana)

→ Call for application opens once a year in mid-November, and stays open for one month
National Trainee Program

- Trainee for 2 years working at ESA
- Similar to YGT but restricted to Swiss citizens
- Gain valuable experience in the development and operation of space missions

→ Call for application opens in Spring 2019
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Panel Discussion

Grégoire Bourban, Deputy Director of Swiss Space Center

Torsten Bieler, System engineering at ESA

Roberto Putzu, Director of the Mechanical engineering department at HEPIA, HES-SO

Enrico Chesta, Aerospace Applications Coordinator at CERN

Romain Kerleau, Sales & Contracts Manager at Apco Technologies

Frank de Morsier, CTO at Picterra
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