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The telephone number of the Payerne Secretariat acts as a contact number for any special problems!

The meeting will be held from 2-4 March 2010 at the MeteoSwiss GRUAN site in Payerne, in the French speaking part of Switzerland. The Payerne site is about half an hour away from the town of Fribourg, where accommodation for participants will be available, and about 1 hour and 45 minutes (by train or car) from the international Airports of Geneva or Zürich. Local transportation between Payerne and the Hotels in Fribourg will be provided by MeteoSwiss (and therefore, no funds will be available to cover rental cars).

General information on Switzerland:

<http://travelguide.all-about-switzerland.info/major-swiss-cities-population-map-distances.html>

General information on Fribourg: www.fribourgtourisme.ch/en

Train time tables: www.sbb.ch/en

Local buses in Fribourg: www.tpf.ch (This website is in French. However, you can easily receive the bus schedule by typing the line number into the top right box.)

Accommodation:

Hotel accommodation in Fribourg will be centrally booked through MeteoSwiss. Participants have the choice between the following two hotels:

Hotel Elite: www.elitefribourg.ch

18 rooms available; price 100 CHF per person / per night

Venue from the train station: On foot (~15-20 minutes), see maps below

Hotel de la Rose: www.hoteldelarose.ch

32 rooms available; price 140 CHF per person / per night

Venue from the train station: take bus No. 2 or 143, which depart in front of the station; direction "Schoenberg"; bus stop "Tilleul" (2 stops)

During the Meeting:

A bus pick up will be provided from the Hotels to the meeting venue each morning and return to the hotels in the evening. Lunches will be taken at the close-by high school and will be covered by the participants own funds. **Note that lunch has to be paid in cash (Swiss Francs) directly at the school - no credit cards are accepted.** MeteoSwiss will provide coffee breaks and invite the participants for a conference dinner in Fribourg on Tuesday night (2 March).

Those on travel support:

Please note that your airfare must be booked through UCAR. We cannot reimburse you if you purchase an airfare through other means. Please contact: Gete Bond, gbond@ucar.edu or Loretta Quinn, lquinn@ucar.edu

