

The Protocol on the extension of the Agreement on the Free Movement of Persons to the 2 new EU Member States entered into force June 1, 2009

These 2 states are:

Romania
Bulgaria

New rules applicable to EPFL as of June 1, 2009

*The delay for obtaining residence and work permits has been reduced to **one month***

Visa application for Switzerland is no longer obligatory

Reminder:

- The first 15 States in the EU are: Germany, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Spain, Finland, France, Great Britain, Greece, Italy, Ireland, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Portugal and Sweden and for EFTA, Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein.
- The extension of the Agreement on the free movement of persons (April 2006) concerns: Poland, Estonia, Hungary, Lithuania, Czech Republic, Latvia, Slovenia, Cyprus, Slovakia and Malta.

We thank you for your collaboration and remain at your disposal for any further information.