



The Protocol on the extension of the Agreement on the Free Movement of Persons to the 8 new EU Member States entered into force on April 1, 2006

These EU-8 States are :

Poland	Slovakia
Hungary	Estonia
Czech Republic	Lithuania
Slovénia	Latvia

Since 1 st May 2011, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Slovenia, Slovak Republic will benefit the complete free movement of persons, in the same way as the first 17 countries of the EU

New rules applicable to EPFL as of April 1, 2006

*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 + Cyprus and Malta (EU-17) and for EFTA, Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein.

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