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Dear colleagues interested in initiatives related to sex, gender and health,
Please find below information on current projects in the Swiss academic community.

UPCOMING EVENTS

-  **23 April 26. Starting up in Women's Health: From Science to Innovation & Market Impact**
Organisers: Womxn who start up & Department of Digital Medicine, Bern University
 Auditorium Felix Frey, Sitem-insel, Freiburgstrasse 3, Bern, 14:00-17:30
 [Learn more](#)
-  **28 May 2026. Community of Practice on Gender Medicine and Health (an initiative of NRP 83). First peer-to-peer exchange**
 ONLINE workshop, 13:30-17:00
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-  **30 April 2026. Cycles of Care: Bridging Medicine, Technology, Sociology, and Intersectional Design in Digital Women's Health – A Workshop Series. Session 2. Recruitment of Underrepresented & Vulnerable Participants: Why, What, How?**
© Centre for Digital Health Interventions, University of Zurich, University of St. Gallen, ETH Zurich
 University of Zurich, 15.00 – 19.00
 [Learn more](#)
-  **23-24 June 2026. 3rd Sex as a Biological Variable (SABV) Symposium: From Discovery to Translation: Embedding Sex-Inclusive Frameworks in Preclinical and Clinical Research.**
ABSTRACT SUBMISSION IS OPEN UNTIL MAY 15, 2026
 University Hospital Zurich
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-  **20 August 2026. Swiss Pharma Science Day 2026 - Women's Health and Gender Medicine**
 **Location:** University of Bern, Von Roll Campus, 9:00-17:30
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-  **26 September 2026 – Gendermedizin Tag. Gendermedizin zwischen Technologie, Lehre und Praxis.**
Event co-organised by ETH Zurich BSc in Human Medicine team and Medbase.
 **Location:** ETH Zurich, 9:00-17:00
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-  **26–27 October 2026 – Swiss Gender Medicine Symposium**

Organiser: University of Zurich and Initiative Schweiz

POSTER SUBMISSION IS OPEN UNTIL JUNE 30, 2026

 **Location:** Bern

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JOB OFFER

- **Postdoctoral position open in cognitive and affective neuroscience.** [“How do stress hormones and sex hormones affect time perception and temporal memory in females?”](#)

 **Location:** Swiss Center for Affective Sciences, University of Geneva

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS OPEN UNTIL APRIL 30, 2026

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Thank you for reading this newsletter and feel free to share it with your colleagues. Most of the information is also available on the [GEMS platform](#). If you'd like to contribute news or updates, please reach out!

Kind regards,
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