

HOTEL SCHWEIZERHOF BERN & THE SPA

FACTS & FIGURES

HOTEL

For over 160 years, the Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA has been the leading hotel in Switzerland's capital city, attracting a demanding clientele of business and event visitors, and guests from Bern itself. Situated in Bern's most central location near the train station, the five-star superior hotel blends classical grand tradition with contemporary flair, elegant design and world-class service. The Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA offers 99 stylish rooms and suites, the 800m² Bel Etage with 11 salons and meeting spaces including the Salon Trianon, a legendary ballroom ideal for events of all kinds, Jack's Brasserie with its 14 Gault-Millau points, the modern Lobby-Lounge-Bar, a sophisticated Cigar Lounge, THE SPA with its 500m² of luxurious wellness facilities, and the unique Sky Terrace.

LOCATION

The Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA is situated directly opposite Bern's main railway station, in the centre of the Swiss capital and charming Old Town.

PARKING

The hotel operates a valet parking service for guests.

ROOMS

The hotel's 99 rooms and suites welcome guests with a mix of French charm and English understatement. Lighting from classic restored chandeliers imparts a harmonious atmosphere whilst the luxurious bathrooms, with their rain showers and Japanese bathtubs, are small wellness worlds in themselves. In the remaining areas of the room, the dominant taupe colour and elegant herringbone oak floors combine to create a warm and inviting ambience.

All rooms feature: minibar, Nespresso coffee machine, kettle, individually regulated air-conditioning, leading-edge IP telephone, entertainment system, 40-inch flatscreen television, international power sockets (UK, EU), wired and wireless Internet access, bathroom with rain showerhead and/or bathtub, hairdryer, heated towel rail, personal laptop-size safe with power-socket, guest media hub for use with the guest's own media. Junior suites additionally feature a bathroom television and a sound system with docking station. Suites also feature separate living, dining and bedroom areas, and guest WC.



CLASSIFICATION

The Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA is a five-star superior hotel of the Swiss Hotel Association www.hotelleriesuisse.ch.

AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

The Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA is part of “The Bürgenstock Selection”. (The “B” in the hotel’s logo symbolises this affiliation.)

The hotel further belongs to the global alliance of luxury hotels “The Leading Hotels of the World” (www.lhw.com) and to “Swiss Deluxe Hotels”, the federation of Switzerland’s leading five-star hotels (www.swissdeluxe-hotels.ch).

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The Bürgenstock Selection

AWARDS

- **Myclimate Award 2019:** Pioneer of holistic sustainability in hotel operations
- **World Luxury Hotel Awards 2018:** Luxury Hotel & Conference Centre Regional Winner – Western Europe; Luxury Contemporary Hotel Country Winner: Switzerland; and Luxury Historical Hotel Global Winner
- **Prix Bienvenu:** Nominee for the friendliest hotel in the category «luxury city hotels»
- **Great Place to Work:** 5th place on the list of the best workplaces in Switzerland 2018, 3rd place on the list of the best workplaces in Switzerland 2017 in the category of companies with 50 – 249 employees
- **Luxury Travel Guide:** Luxury Hotel of the Year 2017
- **TripAdvisor:** Traveller’s Choice 2016
- **World Travel Awards 2015:** Switzerland’s Leading Hotel Suite (for Presidential Suite), Switzerland’s Leading Business Hotel 2016
- **World Luxury Hotel Awards (Country Winner):** Luxury City Hotel 2015, Luxury Hotel & Conference Centre 2014 and Luxury Business Hotel 2013
- **Gault-Millau 2015:** “Best Swiss Wine List” for Jack’s Brasserie (14 Gault-Millau points)
- **Bilanz magazine:** Lobby-Lounge-Bar Manager Andy Walch named Barchef of the Year 2014
- **Swiss Cocktail Championships:** Lobby-Lounge-Bar Manager Andy Walch won the Swiss Cocktail Championships 2013 and 2014
- **Wine Spectator:** Best of Award of Excellence 2012/2013/2014/2015/2016
- **International Hotel Awards Europe:** Best Hotel Interior Europe 2012-2013



THE SPA

In the heart of Bern, THE SPA (open 365 days a year) provides the luxurious ambience of a wellness oasis far away from the hectic pace of daily life. The basement of the hotel, where once Bern's night owls gathered at the old jazz club "Jaylins", is now home to 500m² of unsurpassed luxury, offering an indulgence pool with bubble beds and massage jets, a Turkish bath, Finnish sauna, experience showers, relaxation room with water beds, and treatment and fitness rooms. A variety of different kinds of massage and beauty treatments are on the 'spa menu', delivered by a trained team of in-house specialists who rely on the products and treatments of the renowned cosmetics brands "PHARMOS NATUR" and "NIANCE Switzerland". THE SPA is the only hotel spa in the city of Bern. For overnight guests, admission to THE SPA is free of charge.

BEL ETAGE

On the Bel Etage of the Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA (800m² in area), there are 11 salons and meeting rooms perfect for events of all kinds, accommodating up to 430 people. The jewel in the crown is the 350m² Salon Trianon, a heritage-listed ballroom featuring impressive stucco ceilings, imposing marble pillars, and beautiful facsimiles of the salon's original chandeliers. Together with the three salons I to III, it lends a unique atmosphere to festivities, meetings and conferences. All four rooms are equipped with the latest technology and can be flexibly combined. Equipped to meet the most cutting-edge requirements of a contemporary workplace, the meeting rooms and the private office provide individual, tailored solutions. The brightly sunlit rooms are ideal for team meetings of 2 to 12 people.

JACK'S BRASSERIE

The main restaurant of the Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA is the legendary Jack's Brasserie. In typical fin-de-siècle atmosphere, it serves market-fresh French brasserie cuisine and the great Schweizerhof classics such as Jack's Wienerschnitzel. In addition to rating the Brasserie as a 14-point restaurant, Gault-Millau 2015 has announced that Jack's also deserves a laurel for its excellent wine selection, recognising it as the "Best Swiss Wine List".

LOBBY LOUNGE BAR

The Lobby Lounge Bar is the meeting place for hotel guests and visitors from outside the hotel – whether it's for coffee, a business lunch, bowls by Schweizerhof Bern, afternoon tea (served from early October to the end of March), or an after-work cocktail.

CIGAR LOUNGE

This fumoir for style-conscious aficionados offers 450 different wines, numerous whiskies and rums and, in the evenings, a cornucopia of cocktails. Cigar devotees are well served, thanks to the extensive selection of high-quality cigars from a variety of provenances. At midday and in the evenings, the Schweizerhof kitchen offers a daily changing menu of culinary treats, finger food and classic dishes such as the ever-popular Jack's Wienerschnitzel.

SKY TERRACE

The elegant Sky Terrace offers a breathtaking 360° panoramic view over the city. In its Mediterranean-inspired ambience you can enjoy refreshing cocktails and glorious light summer dishes. Additionally, the menu offers a variety of Shishas.



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The Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA is part of the Bürgenstock Selection headquartered in Zug, Switzerland. The house offers 99 rooms and suites, an 800 m² conference centre with 11 halls and rooms, including the legendary “Trianon” ballroom, the Jack’s Brasserie restaurant, which has been awarded 14 Gault Millau points, a cigar lounge, a 500 m² spa and an unparalleled sky terrace. The company portfolio includes the Hotel Schweizerhof Bern & THE SPA, the Royal Savoy Hotel & Spa Lausanne (196 rooms) and the Bürgenstock Resort Lake Lucerne set to open in August 2017 (383 rooms). The total investment volume of the Bürgenstock Selection is one billion Swiss francs.

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