



# MIT Club of Switzerland

Newsletter May 2008

## Dear Club Members

The SR Technics event was a first highlight of the year. I was particularly surprised by the big logistic challenge this company faces, not only on the side of supplies, but also on the side of licensed personnel. Our large visiting group enjoyed this technical visit, and when we next time fly, we will all remember this event. The SR Technics Tour was at the same day as the Annual General Meeting. See the minutes attached.



The tour group. Many thanks to Hans Hagenbuch for the organization of this fantastic visit.

### Club Dues 2008

Please pay the dues (CHF 50 is the regular fee) with the below listed electronic information or use the payment slip. We strongly prefer electronic payment; this helps us to be more efficient. THANK YOU!

If you have not received a payment slip with this mailing, that means you are either a new member and hence your first year is free, or that you paid us twice last year and your second payment has been credited to your 2008 dues.

Electronic payment information:

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## **New Address Booklet**

We will update our member booklet. Please make sure your address is updated. We also like to include a small picture of every member. Therefore, everybody please **send your updated address, email, and possibly an electronic picture** of you, to Nida: [farida@alum.mit.edu](mailto:farida@alum.mit.edu). Thank you!

## **Mark your calendar**

### **1) Steamer Event: Saturday, July 5, 2008**

We will visit the large shipyard of the fleet of Lake of Geneva. See and hear how the boats get overhauled, the large facilities and the logistics needed. After the visit, we will take a boat ride on a steamer boat and have lunch on the boat. See flyer attached. Join this event in the French part of Switzerland.

### **2) Hike the alps: Saturday/Sunday, 13/14. September 2008**

Join us for an invigorating weekend in the magnificent Swiss mountains. See the flyer attached. We will hike in the Kandersteg area, staying overnight in the Berghotel Schwarenbach.

### **3) Joint Alumni Business Conference: 26. Sept 2008**

Join the 2nd Joint Alumni Conference at Ruschlikon, Zürich. The Joint Alumni Conference has been established to connect Alumni and Faculty from top-notch academic institutions around the world to explore strategies and skills that define tomorrow's business world. The overarching theme of this annual conference series for business executives is "The Future of Business".

Alumni from following top academic institutions are invited to the Joint Alumni Conference: Berkeley, Cambridge, Carnegie Mellon, Columbia, Cornell, Stanford, Wharton, MIT and others. See flyer attached. Registration [www.alumniconference.org](http://www.alumniconference.org).

Looking forward to seeing you at the next event! Kind regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Donald Tillman".

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#### Attachments:

- Invitation and sign up sheet for Boat Steamer Event
- Invitation to Hike Event
- Invitation to Alumni Conference
- Minutes from AGM
- Payment slip