

## 2017 Tour Eucor: 900 Kilometers through Three Countries

The 20th Tour Eucor from June 6 to 10 Will Lead to the Five Locations of Eucor – The European Campus – Start at Karlsruhe Palace – Music Festival after the Tour



Cycling sports and making friends during Tour Eucor through Germany, France, and Switzerland. (Photo: tourEucor e.V.)

Up to the Grand Ballon in the Vosges mountains, to the Hochblauen mountain in the Southern Black Forest, and through the Rhine Valley: 120 cyclists will start on June 06 at 8 a.m. in front of the palace in Karlsruhe for the 20<sup>th</sup> Tour Eucor to the locations of the Eucor universities Karlsruhe, Strasbourg, Mulhouse, Freiburg, and Basel. The tour of students, employees, and alumni of the five universities will end on June 10 at 4.30 p.m. in front of the Old Stadium on KIT Campus South. To celebrate the completion of the 20<sup>th</sup> Tour Eucor, participants and guests are then invited to join a music festival.

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More on the Tour Eucor 2017 (in German or French):

<https://www.tour-eucor.org>

More on the music festival:

<http://www.eucor-uni.org/en/2017/04/26/eucor-festival-after-final-stage-tour-eucor>

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## **Eucor – The European Campus**

Eucor – The European Campus is a confederation of the universities of Basel, Freiburg, Strasbourg, the University of Haute-Alsace, and the KIT, forming a tri-national higher education network that currently hosts 115,000 students and 15,000 researchers. The aim of this cooperation is to combine the strengths of each university in common research projects and give the students free access to the range of courses offered by the other universities. It is planned to expand the confederation into a research and science network with an international appeal to facilitate joint appointments, common staff, and joint applications for funding and to intensify the establishment of integrated study programs. Eucor – The European Campus builds on a long-standing cooperation of the Upper Rhine universities: In 1989, they joined forces to form a cross-border network under the name of Eucor.

**More information:** <http://www.eucor-uni.org/en>

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