

The Think Tank for Switzerland

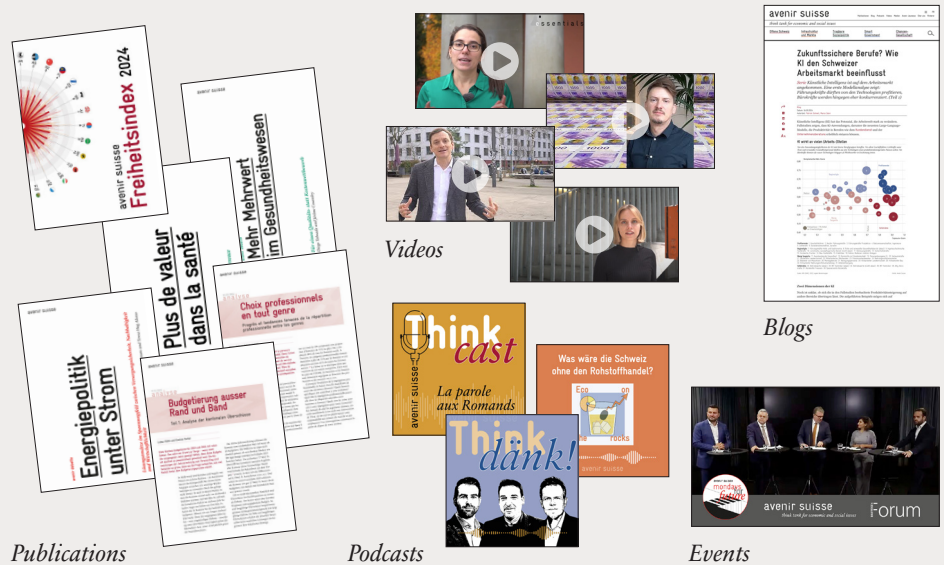
Avenir Suisse is an independent think tank that develops free-market, liberal and scientifically backed ideas for the future of Switzerland.

What is Avenir Suisse?

As Switzerland's largest think tank, Avenir Suisse speaks uncomfortable truths, provides thought-provoking perspectives and develops innovative reform proposals – always committed to the goal of further developing the successful Swiss model and preserving it for future generations.

Avenir Suisse actively seeks dialogue across political divides and works without setting boundaries. Its independence is guaranteed by a constantly growing group of donors consisting of over 140 companies, private individuals and foundations. As a non-profit organization, Avenir Suisse provides facts and figures on political issues, but does not get involved in campaigns or consultations.

A variety of topics, formats and discussion with stakeholders



25 years

Since its foundation in 2000, Avenir Suisse has been the driving force for political reform at all levels of government. It has published over 2,000 publications which, for the most part, are available online in German and French (some also in Italian and English). Avenir Suisse employs around 30 people and has offices in Zurich and Lausanne.

The core values of Avenir Suisse

■ Independent and scientific

Avenir Suisse is a politically independent think tank. It does not work on commissioned research and its analyses are reviewed by a scientific advisory board.

■ Thinking Switzerland from the bottom up

Avenir Suisse focuses on individual self-determination. The principle of subsidiarity helps Switzerland to find efficient and effective solutions that take individual characteristics into account.

■ Committed to the principles of the Enlightenment

Avenir Suisse is committed to a liberal economic and social order. Freedom, the rule of law and democracy guarantee stability, security and sustainable prosperity in Switzerland.

■ Cultivating dialog

Avenir Suisse does not hide in an ivory tower, but engages in public debate. It is important to maintain openness and diversity and to respect different opinions, values that are part of Swiss culture.

Working on the future together with the next generation

With **Avenir Jeunesse**, the think tank offers a platform for all young people who are interested in the future of Switzerland. Avenir Jeunesse provides facts and figures so that **young people can make informed political decisions**. Creative reform ideas **inspire action**. They are intended as an antidote to the fear of

the future growing in this country. Avenir Jeunesse operates on a **cross-party basis** and connects young people with experts so that the young generation of today is not only encouraged but also empowered to shape the **liberal Switzerland of tomorrow**.



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