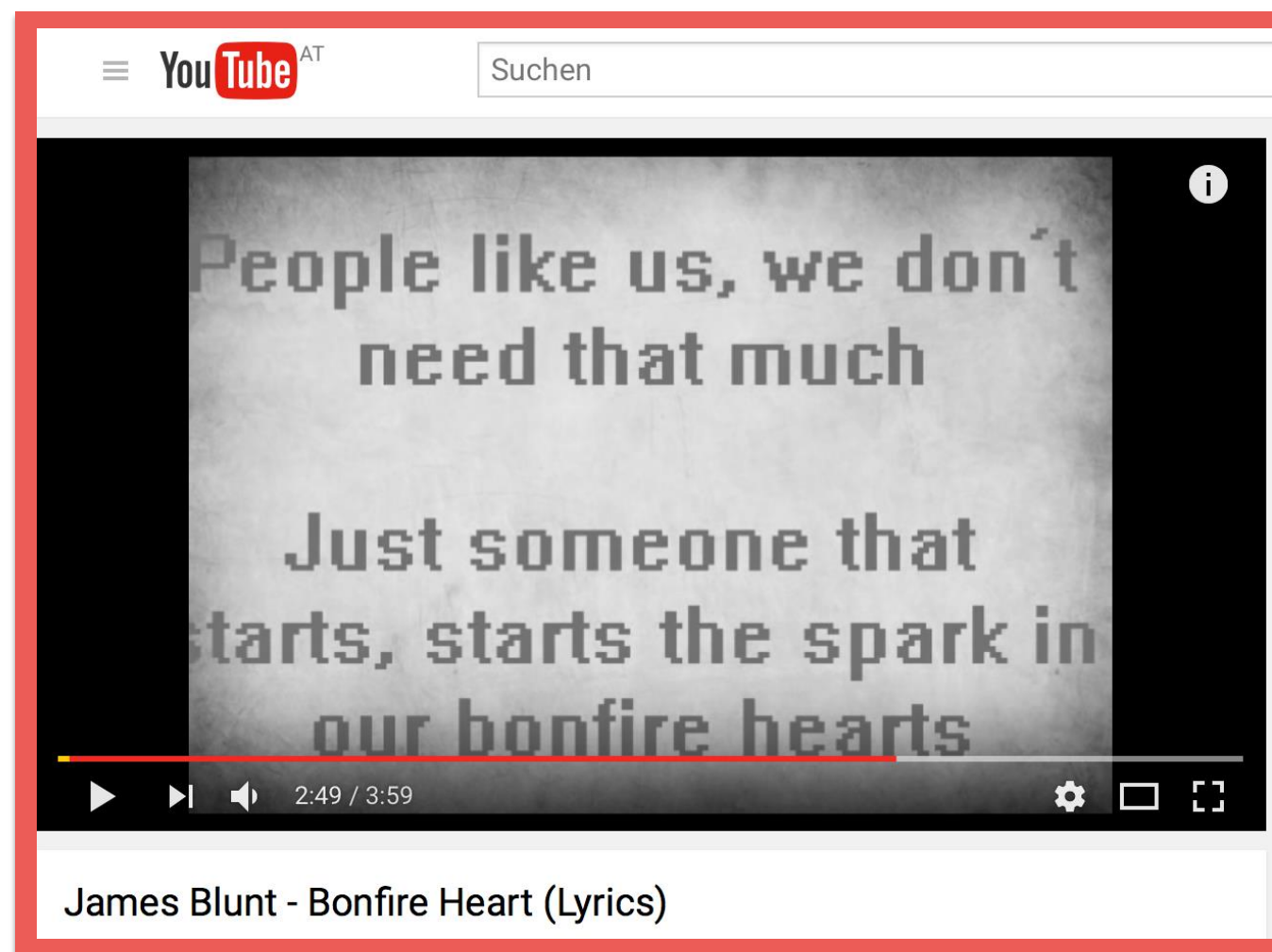


World Café Summary

„Interski Congress 2019“

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Summaries

Topic	common sense	to be discussed and decided	wanted
Demos „still the heart of a congress“	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear distinction between show and technical demo • set up rules for technical demos (length of time, transparency...) • schedule show demos in the evening / at night • create international demo team during the congress -> final show • create ladies demo team during the congress -> final show 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • as a contest with appraisal / evaluation or not? • technical demos (linked with workshops) during the day? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
Lectures „less is more“ „quality instead of quantity“	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • abstract to be submitted until deadline date (clear application process) • committee selects lectures (mixed ISIA, IVSI, IVSS), not selected ones to be published, too • set up rules/guideline (by presidium) • 20 min max. + 10 min Q&A • summary required • all disciplines included • max. 4-5 lectures in parallel • max. 3-4 per day • key notes on high level (invest!), relevant to all • max. 1-2 key notes • lectures and workshops should be linked • summary book with all lectures (USB-stick...) • language of lecture to be announced in the program/schedule 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • do we limit the number of lectures per country? • panel discussion (or world café) for 1 or 2 special topics to really explore questions / different views 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • timing (morning or afternoon) should be decided in association with „red threat“ between lectures, workshops and even demos

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Workshops „quality not quantity“	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> abstracts until a defined deadline <i>„Without abstract no workshop.“</i> committee for selection of workshops define thematic days (-> list of topics) and pool workshops (leave 1 day open) announced / scheduled in advance signs for orientation limit size of groups (more groups) tag workshops (is of interest for which discipline?) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> prebooking for workshops? who should facilitate a workshop? Demo team leader ...or instructors? lengths of the time of a workshop 1,5 to 3 hours -> 2 hours each? different levels for different target groups? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> take videos (maybe short interview with each workshop facilitator about the topic, goals, how to`s...) acoustics / microphones, please handouts to take away connect lecture, workshop and demo to theme do not present „Lehrpläne“
Special Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> interski skischool to be continued better promotion in advance (target groups) do not put demonstrators in this role countries should co-teach race: no, but... dual race as a social event with mixed nations would be fun (in parallel with freestyle event) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> do we limit the number of lectures per country? level to be defined? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> timing (morning or afternoon) should be decided in association with „red threat“ between lectures, workshops and even demos distinction between facilitation and presentation of a workshop

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Focus Topic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • focus topic must be of interest for the participants (not for the public) • focus topic should not be technical, must be „open“ and should be linked with the future • some ideas: Snowsports for Life / Create life long Snowsport Enthusiasts / Learn, Teach and Share / Happy Skiing / Follow the Legends 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • focus topic for key lectures, but small lectures open? • maybe a „slogan“ for the whole week and clear focus topics for single days (workshops and lectures to be sorted accordingly) 	
Lateral Thinking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • more time for social gathering / get together • shorter ceremonies (speeches) • world café during congress • more discussions about / with snowsports industries • more discussion about profession of snow sport instructor • mix participants of different countries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freestyle to be emphasized during the congress? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • more pictures • invite press representatives (from each country?)

Key Note Lecture Ideas

- mental training for ski lessons
- the future of snowsports from the perspective of... *Ropeway Company; Tourism; Climate Research; Neurobiology; ...*

World Café

- during congress
- a possible topic: „our future of snowsports“
- with special groups (delegation leads; demo team leads; Ausbildungsleiter...)

Video Documentation

- of on-snow clinics (interview with facilitator)
- of lectures
- publish on website and social media

Demo Comparison

short turns
long turns
progressions
...
demonstrated by different countries

Demo Competition

with ranking; with predefined choreography

Demo

Competition

male / female
from each country

Focus Topic or Slogan?

- maybe we have a slogan overall
- and for specific days specific focus topics?

Interski Skischool

freestyle for kids

Collection of Ideas

Banked Slalom

Snowboard

International Show

every day one hour training;
organized by a choreograph; final show-down

Closing ceremony ideas

- let all ski together
- grouped by years on ski, height, ski brand, ...

Freestyle Demo

Panel Discussion

allow countries to discuss how they tackle the same topic

Meeting space / place

for demonstrators / specific groups

Guidelines

for demos, workshops, lectures

Film Project

- film set
- exciting screenplay
- film exposure with all nations

have one day (or event)
without digital devices
(without wlan) to foster personal communication

Interski International Homepage

hold content (videos, summaries, documentation...) for continuity

ISIA, IVSI, IVSS

offer format to get insights into different concepts, levels, certification standards, modalities (stamp, card...)

St. Patricks Day Party

17th march 2019

60+ Party ;-)))

Karaoke Night

how to work as a ski instructor **abroad** ?

use **music** which can be legally used in social media

National dances / culture

- fashion
- music
- on snow or indoors?

Photos of Table Summaries

Table 1: Demos

Summary Table 1

Demos

- ♥ of congress
- important for external + internal effect / communication
- separate technical comparison and show runs
- technical comparison in front of workshops / with clear rules!!
- shows in the afternoon / evening with open rules (pyro / light effects...)
- all disciplines included (alpin, snowboard, telemark, cross-country, freestyle)
- building / creating a international demo-team as a content of the congress (learn how to create a demo run)
- create a Ladies Demo Team!
- a dream: crime theater on snow

Open question:

Demos as a beauty contest
(1 run show / free)
1 run fixed
with judges

OR

no contest / competition

Table 2: Lectures (1)

LECTURES

You can't drive a car if you only look in the rear view mirror.

MUST HAVE

1. Good Quality
 - Presidium Manages
 - Clear guidelines presented by Presidium
 - Communicated to countries in advance
 - Deadline adhered to
 - Outline/Summary required
 - All disciplines represented
 - Selection committee includes IVSI, IVSS, IS/A
2. Clear schedule in advance
 - Key showing all disciplines
 - All disciplines each day
3. Summary book, thumb drive, or online
4. 20 min + 10 min Q+A
5. No more than 4-5 at a time
6. No more than 3-4 in a day
7. 1-2 key notes maximum
 - High level
 - Relevant to audience
 - Willing to pay
8. Close proximity
9. Lectures should tie to workshops
 - Integrate theory with practice

LECTURES

Nice to Haves

1. Overall theme to connect lectures, workshops, key note, demos
2. Lecture prior to workshop (either morning or night before)
3. Panel discussion or World Cafe once or twice to really explore questions related to theme
4. Simultaneous internet transmission or at least online download
5. Translation
6. Lectures not selected to be displayed
 - Online
 - On a board in central location
7. Lectures during General Assemblies since only one person must attend

Table 2: Lectures (2)

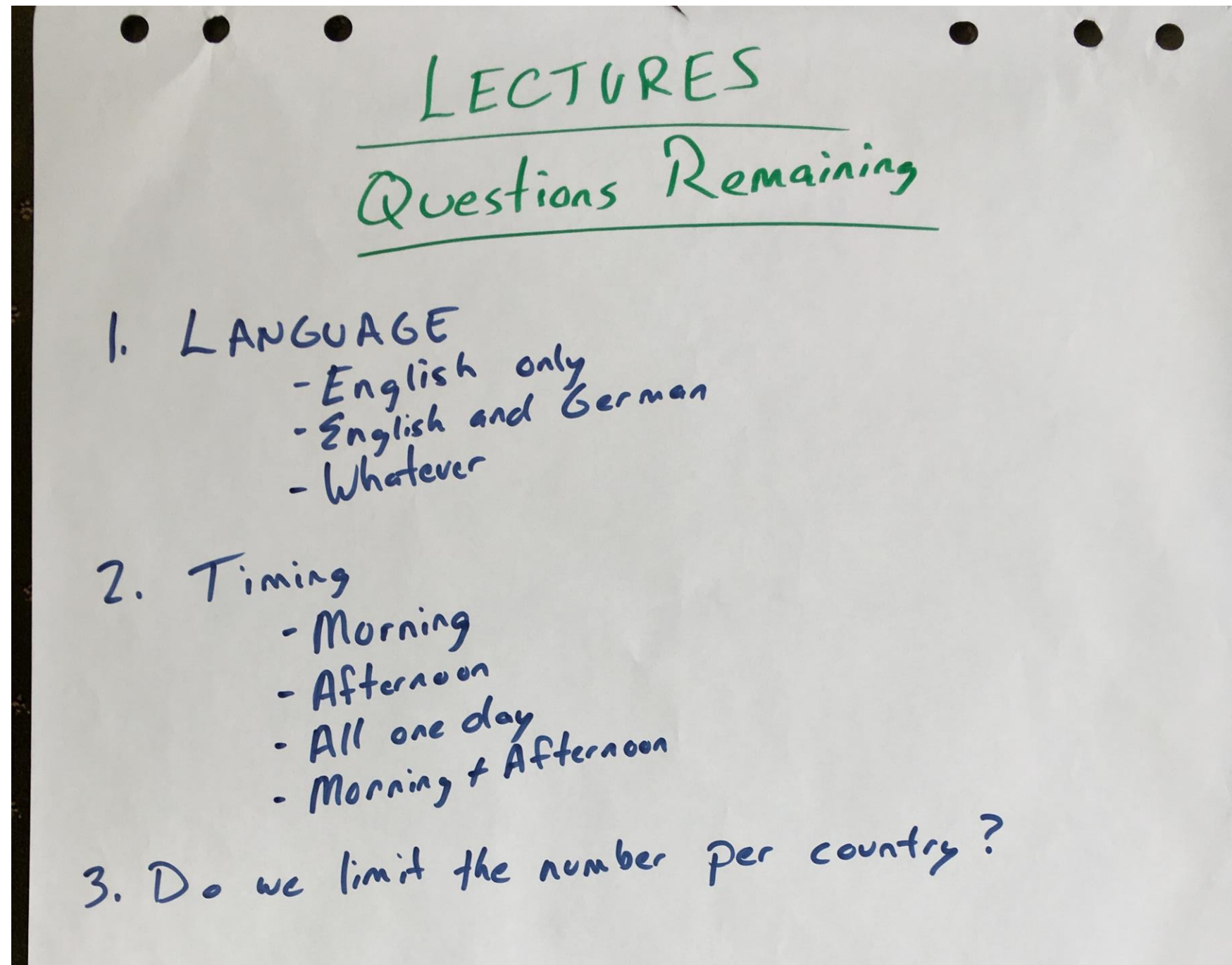


Table 3: Workshops

Workshops

Planning

— Abstracts - committee

- List of topics * Booked

- Open topics

- * Thematic days (inc lunch!)

- * Programme

Quality

- Hosts / Facilitators !
not presenters

- Smaller groups

- Signs - flags - maps - title

- Sliding!

Follow-on

- After workshop summary
Published [www](#)

- use of internet. video

Table 4: Special Programs

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Inter-ski ski (snowsport) school

x YES

- prior notice
- countries assign in advance
- no demonstrators
- beginners / advanced
- countries co-teach

Race

x No but

- Dual race as social event
// with slope/free style
- Evening event
- CO - country mixed

Meetings / social events

- demonstrators need a meeting place
- assigned places/bars and times for social networking

Elections / politics

- a special program separated from the rest
or
- at the GA midterm

Table 5: Focus Topic

FOCUS TOPIC

▷ YES

▷ must be meaningful for ski teachers congress
and to the market

▷

▷ must be open, not limiting

▷ should not be technical

▷ should be long term vision

e.g.

▷ Communication + sharing

▷ Adapting snow sports to market

▷ "happy skiing" / "happy
snowsports"

Table 6: Lateral Thinking

WHAT ELSE LATERAL THINKING

I Communication

- more time for social communication
- communication must be not only in time of Congress
- To do 'World cafe' during congress.

II Promotion of INTERSKI LIKE A BRAND

- each country brings a journalist
- TAKE more photos and videos and using social media more effectively.

III Freestyle day - One day ~~dedicated~~ with lectures & workshops for free stylers.

Mix participants from different countries.

IV To have more fun & show

- ✓ To have shorter ceremony → speeches may be part of conference not ~~from~~ ceremony

V To involve all aspects of industry in congress

To have more discussions about industry of snow sports and profession of snow sport instructor not only about technique.