

SEMINARS ON INNOVATIONS

WOSM appreciates the fact that various NSOs have initiated great innovations in the way they manage and govern their Scouting programmes and operations worth sharing with others. The conference therefore gave some of NSOs the opportunity to do this through seminars.

There were 8 seminars during which NSOs gave short inputs on innovation and time was given for questions and discussions. There were moderators/chairpersons for each seminar, supported by a member of the World Scout Bureau as shown in the table below

Tuesday 11 January 2011 – NSO And Regional Inputs

NO	TOPIC	SESSION	NSO/REGION	MODERATOR
1	Membership Growth	A - Membership Registration Software (English)	WSBCO	Ray Saunders and Thierry Tournet
		B - Membership Registration Software (French)	WSBCO	
2	Needs identification in NSOs	A - - Membership Analysis and Growth – support from the Region for NSOs to focus on growth and the results	Mexico	Mario Diaz
		B - NSO self assessment to improve strategic planning and performance	Asia Pacific Region	
3	Youth Programme	A – Scouts of the World Programme	Jordan	Melina Percaski
		B – Environment Education - SCENES	Australia & Saudi Arabia	
4	Partnerships in Scouting	A – Partnership with governments and other agencies to strengthen Scouting	Kenya	Georges el Ghorayeb
		B – Partnerships between Scout Associations – good examples that show mutual benefit	Finland & Senegal	
5	Adult volunteering and training	A – Activities to support IYV +10 and the European Year of Volunteering	UNV representative	Kirsty Brown
		B – New approaches to adult training in Scouting	Australia & UK	
6	Youth members & 21st Century Technology	A – Empowering young people through the use of technology	Denmark	Nadia Morrone
		B – A project in partnership with UNICEF using technology	Uganda Scouts and UNICEF	
7	Innovations – new approaches	World Events A – Research possibilities at World Scout Events & Keeping Scouts Safe from Harm	WSBCO and Sweden	Wahid Labidi
		Community Based Scouting B – Community based Scouting in a system of school Scouting and reaching out to young people not usually attracted to Scouting.	Slovenia	
8	Tell the Story	Working on Scouting brand & Communication	Australia, Sweden & Equador	Therese Bermingham