



# IISHF report

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# Flash Back

## actions and objectives for 2011

### **Increase the number of Countries:**

**IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager– Pakistan and Canada (new members 2011).**

### **Organise IISHF Referees Course (2011 action):**

**Kaarst, Germany on March 19-20, 2011.**

### **Organise IISHF Technical Directors Course (2011 action)**

**Kaarst, Germany on March 18, 2011.**

### **Rules Changes – expert group**

**IISHF Technical Committee – ongoing work with the IISHF Rules of the game.**

### **Experience with new Countries/Regions:**

**We are a small International Federation and our National Member Associations are fairly small and often in a weak position in regards to their financial capabilities especially for new regions and worldwide participation at Title Events.**

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## actions and objectives for 2012

### **Host more events:**

**Men Invitation Cup (for second time) – Women European Cup (again subsequent year).**

### **More hosting countries:**

**Other countries to be approached. Great Britain and Israel.**

### **IISHF Working Groups**

**Continue the work with the IISHF Technical Committee.**

### **Promoting the sport**

**IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager focus on new countries and branding/promotion of our sport (Twitter and Live Streaming).**

### **Expanding with regional structure.**

**Ideas to further work with regional structure North America (Canada) and Asia (Pakistan) and Europe (more countries).**

### **Providing solutions for countries**

**Constitution verification and handling countries with debts to IISHF.**

# Flash Back

## actions and objectives for 2013

### **Host more events:**

**Old Boys European Cup (first time). Now the Veterans Cup.**

### **More hosting countries:**

**Other countries to be approached. Great Britain and Israel.**

### **IISHF Working Groups**

**Continue the work with the IISHF Technical Committee.**

### **Promoting the sport**

**IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager focus on new countries and branding/promotion of our sport (Twitter and Live Streaming).**

### **Expanding within Europe.**

**Trying to expand again within Europe (more countries).**

### **Providing solutions for countries**

**Constitution verification and handling countries with debts to IISHF.**

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## actions and objectives for 2014

### **IISHF Vice-President:**

**Daniel Taschner, Switzerland elected at the IISHF AGM 2014 (complete IISHF Presidium).**

### **IISHF Working Groups**

**Establishing the IISHF Title Events Working Group.**

### **Promoting the sport – still open**

**IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager focus on new countries and branding/promotion of our sport (Twitter and Live Streaming).**

### **Expanding within Europe.**

**Trying to expand within Europe (more countries). Spain became a member in 2014 and contacts to Croatia (hosting their first B-Tournament).**

# Flash Back

## actions and objectives for 2015

### **Title Events new structure**

First year without the Men European Championships (since 2014 only every other year – even years).

### **IISHF Working Groups**

Two new IISHF Working Groups (Financial Aspects and hosting Title Events).

### **Promoting the sport – still open**

IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager focus on new countries and branding/promotion of our sport (Twitter and Live Streaming).

Live Streaming from one event - U13 European Cup managed by kind assistance from Zoran Falcons, Israel.

### **Expanding within Europe.**

Trying to expand within Europe (more countries). Croatia became a member in 2015 and they hosted their first Title Event (Junior European Championships). Contacts to other countries in East Europe (Ukraine etc).

# Flash Back – actions and objectives 2016

## **IISHF Presidium**

**Vacant position as Vice President in order to complete the IISHF Presidium.**

## **Promoting the sport**

**IISHF Presidium and IISHF Development Manager focus on new countries and branding/promotion of our sport. Continue the efforts to go “live” on Events. Establishing a more active IISHF Marketing Manager position.**

## **New member countries**

**Getting more new member countries that take active part in International Tournaments including Title Events. We need to maintain and expand.**

# View – objectives 2017

## General development – 3 points

As described in the IISHF Presidium Report 2016.

### Recruiting new member countries (1)

We need to expand the number of active member countries including new member countries as done over the last couple of years.

### Teaching and recruiting referees (2)

We have a number of experienced referees but we need to get more countries active in this field.

### Promoting the sport with sponsorship and livestreaming (3)

We have pushing IISHF livestreaming in 2016 however we need to discuss how to organize and finance this activity. In addition we need to focus and delegate our presence in regards to use of Social Media.

### Additional more delegating (1-2-3 +)

We will in 2017 delegate more of the work tasks from the IISHF Presidium to IISHF Officials (Referee Manager, Technical Director and Technical Staff).



# Accomplishments (2010-2014)

**2010:** Twitter at Title Events

(U16 European Cup Iserlohn, Germany).

**2011:** New Title Event: Men Cup Winner Cup  
(Invitation Cup Givisiez, Switzerland).

**2012:** Live Streaming at Title Events  
(Invitation Cup Århus, Denmark).

**2013:** New Title Event – Old Boys Cup (now  
Veterans Cup - in Rødovre, Denmark).

**2014:** Spain new member of IISHF

# Accomplishments (2015-2016)

**2015:** Croatia new member of IISHF

**2016:** Ukraine new member of IISHF, 8 teams at the Men European Championships and expanded live streaming.

# Summary

The future of skaterhockey is a matter of what the current and the new member countries can do together.

The IISHF Presidium will do our best to assist the member countries but we need the help from the national members and the IISHF Officials teams.

Together we can make it work.