

INTRODUCTION TO THE TRADITIONAL AUSTRIA YODEL STYLE

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Group singing workshop

The aim of this course is the practical continuation of the yodel-course presented by Dr. Josef Schlömicher and Martin Fuchsberger. In this course the focus has been on vocal, physical and style-defining presentation.

This workshop will be a group-singing-lesson. Starting with some warm-ups, everyone is invited to try some singing of typical traditional Austrian Yodels. Some practical and technical details will be explained, similar to choral instructions, that should lead to an enjoyable experience of common yodelling within a large choir.

Martin Fuchsberger grew up in a traditional family in Salzburg, Austria - with a lot of traditional folk music around him from an early age. Today he works as a conductor (choirs, symphonic orchestras, wind-ensembles) and teacher at the university "Mozarteum" in Salzburg. He will present examples out of typical so called "alpenländische" yodel repertoire, he knows and loves from his home country.