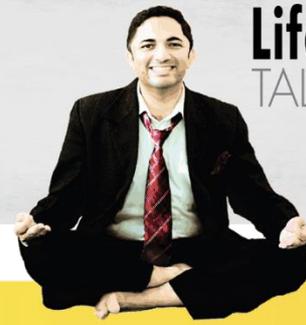




THE HAPPY GUY

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Hi!

My presentations have a lot of Digital content (Pictures/Movies/Audio clips); all of which substantiate the talk; that I am doing. Here are a few pre- requisites at the venue:

1. Auditorium / Display & Projection Screen : I prefer closed auditoriums with good acoustics. Please ensure that no outside light (e.g. Sunlight) interferes with the settings inside (especially at the display points). The more compact the settings of the Auditorium / Boardroom - the higher will be the impact of the Talk. Please avoid B-Grade auditoriums which give the feeling of a Marriage hall.

The size of the white screen on which the presentation will be beamed should be as big as possible. At a few places- where I presented - the size of the screen genuinely killed the impact of the presentation. If the number of people attending is high; please put more screens. Divide the display through a high quality visual divider.



The white screen should be white & not yellow. In case the audience numbers are in thousands & my recording is being beamed across many screens; make provisions to display the presentation & 'me talking'; alternatively.

2. LCD Projector: I shall be carrying my own laptop/ iPad. I will however be needing a good quality LCD projector. Make sure the luminosity (bulb quality) of the LCD Projector is good. If you are able to provide a HDMI cable for my laptop output (which then connects to the projector); it will reduce all chances of a laptop- projector cable mismatch. So! Summary- HDMI Cable is highly preferred.
3. Digital Audio System: My presentations have loads of audio, video clippings. My laptop hence will need to be connected with the auditorium's sound system using an audio output cable. Presentation will be impact less; if the sound doesn't work properly. Double check the sound system! Pre checking of the amplifier / speakers quality by running an audio output through any other laptop is compulsorily desired. Semi-quality speakers will not be acceptable.

The sound cord which gets inserted into my laptop should not be an INR 50 / INR 100 type of cord. It needs to be high quality. You want to kill your Event- then give me poor quality sound.

4. Seating Arrangement: The audience needs to be seated on chairs (no floor / standing arrangements). The chairs need to be placed in the auditorium in increasing order of their heights (from front to the rear side of the Audi). It will be embarrassing to see people (at the rear of auditorium) standing from behind to see me / content on screen just because the height of their chairs is smaller than the ones in front. In case the audience numbers are just a few hundred then you could make them sit either in cluster arrangements or on circular tables. Just ensure there is enough space for me to walk / jump around. I usually run for a total of 3-4kms in a 2 hr Event.
5. Mike: I will be using only a Collar Mike (with two brand new backup batteries). No hand mikes please; as I shall need my hands to be free to emphasize on my Talk. Please pre-check the Collar Mike quality. An additional hand mike is requested in case the audience wishes to ask Questions. Pls also refer to point number 6 ahead about additional Mike requirements (in case we permit you to record the Event).

6. Photography/Video Making: Photographing the event is OK - as long as it doesn't affect my concentration. In case you wish to make a video of my Event - You shall need to take a prior permission from us for the same. Please ensure this before, as else it will be embarrassing if I ask you to stop doing it during the Event.

In case we give you the permission to record the Event then ensure the following:

- Take the audio input of the mike directly into the camera.
- The mike needs to be either bidirectional or cardioid mike only (to capture the audience response better).

In case we permit you the video recording, a DVD copy of the same will have to be couriered over to us at our address within 7 days from the date of the event. The video recording of My Event is not permitted at all to be used in any manner either internally within the organization or with any third party or even on youtube. Transgressing this will amount to Breach Of Faith. The world moves on Trust.

7. Slide Changer: Pls provide for a Slide Changer (Pointer)-preferably Logitech , small black colour one). This is important.



8. Other Permissions: My events are usually very high energy events. The audience is taken through a gamut of emotions. They hoot, they shout, they loudly cheer in between. Please communicate & seek necessary approvals from the Auditorium administrators for the same.

9. My Personal requirements will be:

- A cup of very Hot Green Tea before the start of the talk.
- Two Bottles of Mineral water (not very cold).
- One Cadburys Fruit & Nut Chocolate (Instant Energy gainer during the long Event)
- Canned Orange / Pineapple Juice Packs (Real or Tropicana only (for Events in India)).

Look forward to giving you a very memorable Event.

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