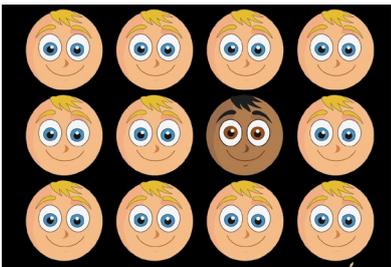


How To Live in Denmark

BOOK A "HOW TO LIVE IN DENMARK" PRESENTATION

Kay Xander Mellish is an American who has 'integrated' into the Danish culture and workplace – and delivers enjoyable events that help Danes and internationals learn, laugh, interact, and understand each other better.



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EVENT 1

How to Live in Denmark: A humorous guide for foreigners and their Danish friends

Based on the long-running "How to Live in Denmark" podcast and book, this presentation is Kay's upbeat look at life in the small, sometimes strange, country she has chosen to call home. *Why do Danish adults wear elf hats to Christmas parties? Why are Danes so kind to their friends, yet so vicious to strangers in bicycle lanes? Why is it OK in Denmark to talk openly about sex, but embarrassing to admit to ambition?* This event is fun for both Danes and internationals.



EVENT 2

Welcome to Denmark: Tips for newcomers to the happiest country in the world

Are you welcoming new students or employees to Denmark? Kay Xander Mellish's presentation "Welcome to Denmark" will explain the basics of everyday life in Denmark – everything from the importance of being on time to the meaning of *hygge* to the best way to make Danish friends. The "Welcome to Denmark" event is an entertaining, informative introduction to Danish culture that your audience of newcomers will enjoy.



EVENT 3

How to Work in Denmark: The unwritten business rules

Danish workplace culture can be a challenge for foreigners who don't know the unwritten rules of the Danish workplace. Based on Kay's own experience as a foreigner working in Denmark, this presentation helps bring those unwritten rules to light and helps Danish colleagues examine their own expectations. We discuss the culture of trust, what to expect from your boss in a flat organizational structure, and the need to drop everything and socialize when your colleagues bring cake.

GAME SHOW **How it works**

The "How To Live in Denmark Game Show" is a live event in English with quizmaster Kay Xander Mellish. It's a fun, interactive way to get a party started. The Game Show can be staged at your office or party location, and can be tailored to last from 30 minutes to an hour or more.

HUMAN BINGO IT'S 150% NOW BUT MIGHT BE 100% SOON

EVENT 4

The How to Live in Denmark Game Show

Looking for a fun event for your company or organization? We use the format of TV game shows – which are popular all over the world – to put participants at their ease and get them interacting with each other. "How To Live in Denmark Jeopardy" is one of our most popular games, along with "Who Wants to Pay Topskat?" (our version of "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire") and the mind-reading game "What Would the Danes Say?" It's a great way for foreigners and Danes to relax and have fun together.



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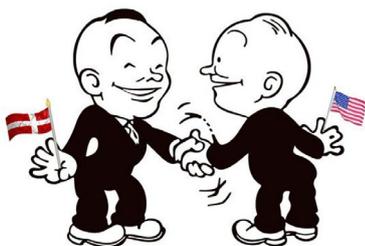
Drop Dit Denglish: Speaking & writing professional English

After more than 10 years of working in communications for Danish companies, Kay Xander Mellish has seen the same *sjove sprogfejl* over and over. Is it "customer" or "costumer"? "Living in a hotel" or "staying in a hotel"? With a *glimt i øjet*, this fun presentation based on her bestselling book "Top 35 Mistakes Danes Make in English" will tell listeners how to avoid the most common cases of "Denglish."

EVENT 6

Working with Danes/Working with Americans

Danes grow up watching U.S. movies and T.V. shows and listening to U.S. music, so they sometimes assume they 'know' how to work with Americans – but that's not always true. In this presentation, Kay Xander Mellish – an American who has lived in Denmark for more than a decade – talks about how Danes can survive and thrive when working with the multicultural, competitive, sometimes excitable Americans, and how Americans can understand Danish priorities and the culture of dry, sometimes aggressive humor and *Jantelov*.



KAY XANDER MELLISH

Kay Xander Mellish has lived in Denmark for more than a decade. Known for her popular speech "The Privileged Immigrant" at **TEDx Odense**, Kay addresses audiences on topics that include Danish business culture and how newcomers can fit into Danish society. Kay runs a consultancy that helps Danish companies communicate in English. She is the author of "How to Live in Denmark" (2014), "Top 35 Mistakes Danes Make in English" (2016), and "How to Work in Denmark" (2018).

PLAN YOUR OWN EVENT

We can plan a "How to Live in Denmark" event for every audience, location, and budget. Presentations are available in both English and Danish. Get in touch for a free cost estimate. Email events@howtoliveindenmark.com (gerne på dansk) or telephone us at +45 26 83 64 88.

