# Albert Leichtfried



Date of birth: 28. JUNE 1976

Body Height: 1.8m

Weight: 78kg

Home: Innsbruck, Austria

Profession: Master of Meteorology

Mountain guide Ski instructor

Passion: Ice and Mixed climbing

Other interests: Freeride Skiing, Windsurfing

Founder of: Dryland (Innsbruck, Austria)

One of the hardest mixed areas of the world

Underground (Lech, Austria) Climbing beneath the road

Philosophy: Live to climb - Climb to live

## Climbing Achievements

Mixed climbing
A combination of rock and ice
The ultimate way of ice climbing

#### First Ascents - Mixed (reloaded Style)

Illuminati M11+/WI 6+ Val Lunga, Italy 2006

Hardest Mixed/ice-Multipitch-route of the world (5 pitches, 165m)

Game Over M13- Dryland, Austria 2005

2<sup>nd</sup> M13 in the world, first M13 in Europe

Encore M12/13 Dryland, Austria 2008

Again...

Tension M12+ Dryland, Austria 2004

Impressive climb in horizontal roofs

Captain Hook M9+ Kaldakinn, Iceland 2007

3 pitches of finest mixed climbing in memory of Harry Berger

#### First Ascents - Ice

Senda Real WI7+ Cerro Marmolejo, Chile 2006

Hard Ice route at the south face of the southern most 6000m peak

Lector WI7 Chiosubetsu, Japan 2008

Big Ice roof at the scenic seacliff in Japan

Marry me WI6+ Hengifoss, Iceland 2007

Crazy ice on a 120m free falling waterfall

### Competition

Ice Climbing World Championships Saas Fee (CH) 2005

3<sup>rd</sup> Place, Difficulty

Ice Bouldering World Championships Val Daone (I) 2005

7<sup>th</sup> Place

Ice Climbing Festival Kandersteg (CH) 2006

1<sup>st</sup> Place

### Climbing activities

Flying Circus M10

Milestone in Mixedclimbing, natural protection

Breitwangfluh, Switzerland 2008

Nightmare on Wolfstreet M7+/WI6+

Stainley headwall, Canada 2005

Vertical Limit M12

Mix isch fix M10+ (on sight) Tomahawk M10+ (flash)

White Out M10
Fly in The Wind M10
Twin Towers M10

Slice of Scheiss M10- (flash)
Pink Panther M9+ (flash)
Little princess M8+, A1, WI5+ (on sight)

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Crack Baby WI 6, 360m Speed Ascent 3,5h

**Ueschinen, Switzerland 2004** 

Höllsteintal, Italy 2005 Little Vail, Switzerland 2004 Little Vail, Switzerland 2002 Höllsteintal, Italy 2003 Ueschinen, Switzerland 2003

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Sounkyo, Japan 2008

Breitwangfluh, Switzerland 2005