

Case Study



Comprehensive solution for flights cancellations



Covid-19 outbreak: 80 to 90% of flights are cancelled Hundreds of millions of customers need to be refunded







Airlines want to protect cash by issuing vouchers using the industry standard EMD But the EMD issuance is a manual time-consuming process for Customer support



It takes...



5-8min /PNR

For a Customer support agent to issue the related Vouchers/EMD*

(*) : based on 15 contacted airlines/call centers

Leading to...

Millions of requests

In Customer support backlog







SMOOSS delivered a first solution in 5 days Contacting customers to offer them instant voucher collection

Email sent by SMOOSS



YOUR FLIGHT --FLIGHT-- ON --DEPARTUREDATE-- HAS BEEN CANCELLED

Votre vol --flight-- du --departureDate-- a été annulé - version en Français ci-dessous.

Dear -- firstName -- -- lastName --,

Due to the health situation linked to the Coronavirus (Covid-19), your flight --flight-- from --origin-to --destination-- on --departureDate-- has been cancelled.

If you no longer wish to travel, and choose to cancel all your remaining flights, for all the passengers in your reservation, you can immediately collect your voucher worth your ticket amount by clicking on the below link (one voucher per passenger*).

- This voucher can be used until December 31st 2021 to purchase flights and options (Bag, Seat, Meal, Lounge...), totally or partially for flights operated by Air France, KLM, Delta Airlines or Virgin Atlantic, directly on our website or any Air France or KLM point of sale. It is non transferable.
- If you have not used your voucher, it will become refundable one year after its issuance date.
- You will benefit from a bonus up to 15% of your voucher value may you use it before
 October 31st 2020 for a travel date until June 15th 2021.

*If you have purchased additional services linked to your travel (Bag, Seat, Meal, Lounge...), a separate voucher will be issued for each of these services. The conditions of use and bonus will apply in the same terms to these vouchers.

> CANCEL YOUR TRIP AND COLLECT YOUR VOUCHERS

AIRFRANCE

In less than one week, SMOOSS delivered an efficient solution automating EMDs issuance. Customers can collect their EMD with only one click! This solution helps us to lower the number of requests sent to our Call Centers

Aurélie Redon, Disruption Manager

Air France was recognized for its Customer service thanks to SMOOSS solutions



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Air France stands out from its competitors for its proactivity in taking care of customers impacted by COVID-19 flights cancellations

https://thetravelersclub.boardingarea.com/vol-annule-aussitotrembourse-air-france-tire-son-epingle-du-jeu-et-fait-figure-dexemple/ Improving Skip (1) Automate Voucher issuance considering all the travel specifics of the PNR



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Automate refund and rebooking / distribute across	all touchpoints Integration to Manage bookings flow my
A comprehensive other with all options You are currently booked on 504812 Paris - Barcelona on Saturday 11 Apr 2020 at 14:00.	CORSAIR
14:00 - Paris, Charles de Gaulle International Airport (CDG) 504812 15:00 - Barcelona, Barcelona International Airport (BCN) OPTION 1 - Choose your new itinerary for free	My reservation Passenger name
Select your preference among flights eligible to this special offer* Friday 10 Apr 2020 Saturday 11 Apr 2020 13:40 - 14:40 Direct SO4802 FREE 	Reservation number
16:40 - 17:40 Direct S03356 FREE 17:00 - 18:00 Direct S03366 FREE 18:10 - 19:10 Direct S03376 FREE	
OPTION 2 – Cancel your trip and collect your vouchers As our call centers are currently experiencing an unprecedented workload, has set-up a simplified and automated refund process. If you wish to cancel your trip, including all remaining flights, for all passengers in your reservation, you can request an immediate refund via a voucher by clicking on the below link. This voucher can be used during one year after its issuance to purchase flights and options (Baggage, Seat, Meals, Lounge, etc.), totally or partially for flights operated by Air France, KLM, Delta Airlines or Virgin Atlantic.	By being accessible directly from Corsair website, Skip enables our customers to
CANCEL YOUR TRIP AND COLLECT YOUR VOUCHER OPTION 3 – Cancel your trip and get a refund As our call centers are currently experiencing an unprecedented workload, has set-up a simplified and automated refund process. If you wish to cancel your trip, including all remaining flights, for all passengers in your reservation, you can request an immediate refund via a voucher by clicking on the below link. CANCEL YOUR TRIP AND GET A REFUND	Seamlessly collect their vouchers ••• Christophe Palu, Head of Revenue Management

Going further: Spend A plug & play API to redeem vouchers



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p8J3FREBhjA&feature=emb_logo

Vous avez un bon de réduction ou un avoir?

Vous pouvez le saisir dans le champs ci-dessous. Pour toutes questions concernant les avoirs, cliquez-ici



Spend API enables our customers to directly redeem their vouchers in our web booking flow. They can even get a bonus according to our commercial policy or a new EMD if they have not used the whole amount



Laurent Lunaud, Head of Digital Factory



How do we do that?



Thanks to our in-house layer on top of reservation systems powered by our low-code approach





Connect to the PSS through Web Services/APIs retrieve and update inventory and passenger data



An abstract and agnostic layer on top of reservation systems providing main features (book, change, refund, issue and redeem vouchers, add ancillary)



Design and implement a use case in a few weeks thanks to our **low** code approach



Enrich the use case with **any third-party** like messaging systems, payment providers or other reservation systems (taxi, accommodation...)

Who are we? 10 SMOOSS-ers with airline and technology background



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SMOOSS helps travel companies increasing revenue and improving customer experience **sme=ss** thanks to tailor made solutions designed on top of the reservation systems

Ancillary Platform

Offering a personalized experience through innovative ancillaries

Disruption Recovery

Restoring customer confidence through a smooth journey





Want to learn more ?

Contact us!

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