

Live Idea-to-Pitch Walkthrough Part #1: Turning Your Trip Notes into a Pitchable Idea List

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## Today, we're going to talk about...

The premises + ground rules of this experiment

2. How to follow along at home

3. Refresher on the types of magazine articles we'll be scanning for

4. Let's hit the notes!

Before we get this train moving...

Why am I doing this very stressful thing?

(once you see my messy notes, you'll get the stress part;))

# Pitching should not and <u>cannot</u> take you that long if you are going to succeed as a freelance writer

A quick and very interesting aside into what a "real" "full-time" freelance "magazine" writer looks like

#### How to Follow Along at Home

- 1. Watch me do a piece of the pitching puzzle.
- 2. Try it yourself at home with your (included) subscription to the Travel Magazine Database while the process is still fresh in your mind.
- 3. Dig into our <u>past webinars</u> and 500+-question-and-answer-strong <u>On-Demand Coaching Concierge</u> (exclusive to Dream Buffet and coaching program members) for help with anything you're stuck on.
- 4. Come back the next week to let us know how it's going and share your successes.
- 5. Use our monthly Ask Me Anything call to get specific guidance live on wherever you're stuck.

### Types of Articles

- News brief
- Interview
- Business profile
- Person profile
- Round-up
  - Multi-destination/activity (basket of kittens)
  - Destination guide
- Narrative feature
- Postcard
- Personal essay
- Service/how-to

## Thanks so much for joining us today!

## It was a pleasure chatting travel writing with you ©

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