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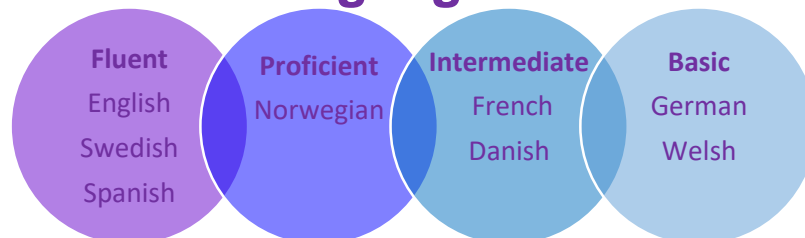
Career Summary

Anna Maria is a multilingual, globetrotting, adventurous writer with formative studies in tourism and Latin American studies. She has crafted a decade-long career in travel and gastronomy writing with a more recent focus on fiction and creative non-fiction. Current projects include historical fiction, a young adult novel and a fantasy mystery.

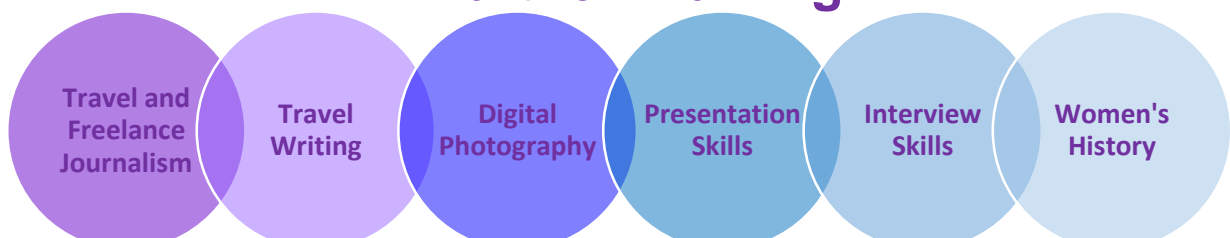
Education

BA (Hons) 1998-2002	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spanish and Latin American Studies• Birkbeck College, University of London
Translation & Interpreting Diploma 2001-2002	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spanish/English• Birkbeck College, University of London
IATA Travel Agent Course 1991-1993	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Travel Consultancy, Fares and Ticketing• International Studies Centre, London

Languages



Further Training



Areas of specialisation

Geographical	Latin America, Scandinavia, South Korea, Spain and Wales.
Topical	General travel, gastronomy, cats, adventure and winter sports, hiking, cycling, dementia care, Latin American culture and literature, LGBTQ issues, wine & spirits.

Features

A prolific freelance writer, Anna Maria has produced 400+ features over the last decade, with a primary focus on travel and gastronomy as well as reviews (film, music, art and book); news and interview features; opinion pieces and sports features. Her work has been published in a wide variety of online and print publications, such as The Independent and Daily Telegraph in the UK as well as the American, Australian, Dutch and Swedish press.

Samples

Travel	http://www.justabouttravel.net/author/amespsater/ http://www.independent.co.uk/author/anna-maria-esps-ter
Gastronomy	http://www.foodtripper.com/Columnists/17/
Amazon	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Anna-Maria-Esps%C3%A4ter/e/B0058UIBJ4
Waterstones	https://www.waterstones.com/author/anna-maria-espsater/91411

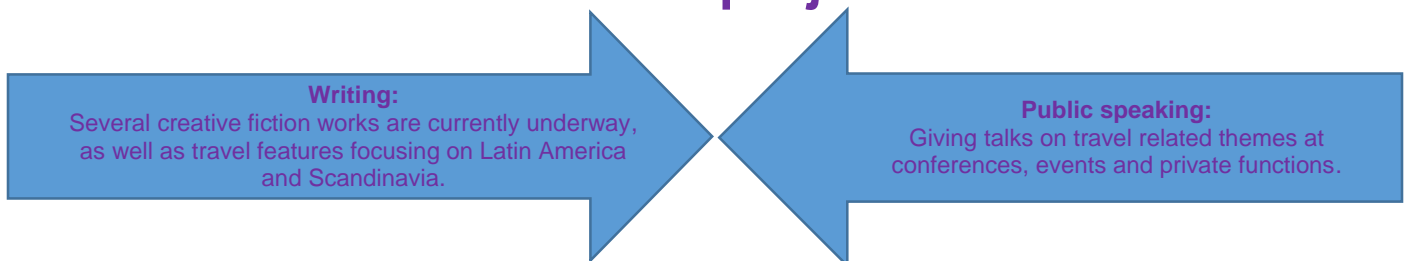
Public Speaking

Anna Maria has given talks and led workshops in the UK, Sweden and Uruguay including at key venues such as the National Geographic Store in London, UK.

Publications

Author, co-author and contributor to over 20 books to date, Anna Maria has written for Footprint Travel Guides, Michelin Green Guides, Berlitz Pocket Guides, Summersdale and Eyewitness Guides, amongst many others.

Current projects



Bibliography

South American Handbook 2017	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Oct 16	(Contributor)
Cartagena and Caribbean Colombia Focus Guide	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Jul-16	(Co-author)
Cats: A Miscellany	<i>Summersdale</i>	Jul-15	(Sole author)
Chile Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Feb-15	(Co-author)
Patagonia Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Feb-15	(Co-author)
Argentina Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Jan-15	(Co-author)
South American Handbook 2015	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Oct-14	(Contributor)
Uruguay Focus Guide	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Aug-14	(Sole author)
Eyewitness Guide Sweden	<i>Dorling Kindersley</i>	Jan-14	(Contributor)
Eyewitness Guide Stockholm	<i>Dorling Kindersley</i>	Jan-14	(Contributor)
Break into Travel Writing	<i>Teach Yourself Books</i>	Nov-12	(Contributor)
Cartagena & Caribbean Coast Focus Guide	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Sep-12	(Sole author)
Ultimate Food Journeys	<i>Dorling Kindersley</i>	Oct-11	(Contributor)
Colombia Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Oct-11	(Sole author)
South American Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Sep-11	(Contributor)
Yucatán Focus Guide	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Sep-11	(Co-author)
Norway Pocket Guide	<i>Berlitz Travel</i>	Apr-11	(Sole author)
Michelin Green Guide Colombia	<i>Michelin APA Publications</i>	Mar-11	(Contributor)
South American Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Aug-10	(Contributor)
Mexico Handbook	<i>Footprint Travel Guides</i>	Apr-10	(Co-author)
How to make money from travel writing	<i>How To Books Ltd</i>	Mar-10	(Contributor)
1001 Foods You Must Try Before You Die	<i>Cassell Illustrated</i>	Jun-08	(Contributor)
Oriental Tales, Volume 1	<i>Simulacrum Press Publishers</i>	Feb-08	(Contributor)