

How to Write for the Library Press

(and Make Editors Love You)

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Poll Question

Do you have something in mind that you already want to write about?

 Yes

 No

 I have an idea, but haven't fully thought it out yet.



Impressing and Proposing to Editors

🌹 First impressions matter!

🌹 Put serious time & effort into your query:
It's your first test.

Understand What She's Going Through

- 🌹 Creating publications is a labor-intensive, multi-faceted process.
- 🌹 Editors work in a pressure-filled, deadline-driven environment.

Dealing With Rejection

- 🌹 If your proposal is rejected, that doesn't mean your idea doesn't have merit. There are various reasons for rejection.



Differences Between Print and Online

🌹 Something old,
Something new,
Know the difference
Between the two.



What Makes Her Want to Slap You

🌹 If you want to have a great relationship with your editor, try hard *not* to do certain things.

🌹 Remember, chocolate can help.



A Matchmaker's Expert Tips

- 🌹 If you want her to return your calls, take this advice.
- 🌹 Do it for love, not for money.

50 Shades of Book Proposals



It's Largely Up to You ...



Share in the Chat Box...

🌹 What did you learn today?

🌹 What was the *favorite*
or the *most surprising thing*
you learned?





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