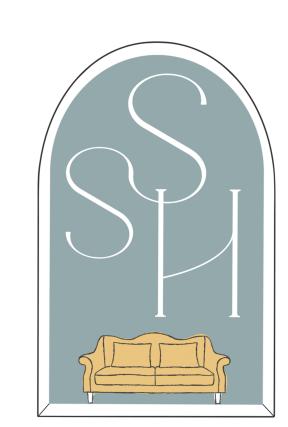
HOW TO LAND INTERVIEWS THAT WILL SKYROCKET YOUR CAREER

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WHAT'S THE GOAL?

Personality + Differentiation = New Clients

AKA Know, Like & Trust

WHAT CLIENTS WANT TO KNOW ABOUT YOU

How approachable are you?
What's your energy level?
How flexible are you?
What do you value?
What would it be like to work with you?

SHOULD YOU HIRE A PR FIRM?

Discussion about campaign goals

Questions about your mission statement, vision and/or brand identity

Ideas on the ways they'd pitch you

The types of media they have relationships with

Sample pitches

Sample pitch decks and/or media kits

WHAT MAKES PODCASTS SUCH A VALUABLE MEDIUM?

PODCASTING OFFERS...

Long form content Intimate setting The power of your voice

SO MANY BAD PITCHES!

PITCH ESSENTIALS

- > HOW TO GET YOUR EMAIL OPENED IN THE FIRST PLACE
- > WHAT THE FIRST PARAGRAPH MUST CONTAIN TO KEEP THE READER INTERESTED
- > THE MOST IMPORTANT SECTION: YOUR SPECIFIC POINT OF VIEW AND VALUE-ADD
- > HOW AND WHEN TO INCLUDE YOUR CREDENTIALS

THE SUBJECT LINE

Clear, to the point Cutesy or mysterious is risky

Do tell me who you are

Do tell me what you can do for me

Do tell me why you think you're a good fit for my audience

Don't tell me all about your awards Don't tell me about your academic degrees Don't give me links to your press page

The 2nd paragraph is your hook!

What is your specific point of view when it comes to design?

What are your topic ideas/talking points?

What can you teach my audience?

FINALLY, YOUR CREDS.

Awards, press, media kit

YOU'VE SENT THE PITCH. NOW WHAT?

- > WHAT YOUR WEBSITE NEEDS TO HAVE TO SEAL THE DEAL
- > WHAT ABOUT YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA FOLLOWING?
- > WHEN AND HOW TO FOLLOW UP

YOUR WEBSITE

Professional photos are a given Your About page Sample of your "voice" Client briefs are a nice touch

DOES SOCIAL MEDIA MATTER?

WHEN AND HOW TO FOLLOW UP

Be considerate (naturally)
Give it a week
Follow up at least twice
You're not bothering anyone



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