



JULIE GIBSON'S WRITING COACH SERVICES

Many first time authors have trouble getting started or staying focused on their book, while many experienced writers face writer's blocks at some point in their process. No matter how persistent or immobilizing the problem has been for a writer, utilizing a writing coach is often beneficial to help the author reach his/her goals. Julie Gibson provides coaching and consulting services to both new and established writers. As a "coach" she helps writers get started writing, overcome any chronic or sudden writer's blocks, and continue writing whether it is books, screenplays, short stories, articles, or poetry. As a "consultant," Julie evaluates finished writing projects--novels, non-fiction books, screenplays, short stories, poems and articles--for their craft readiness to go out into the world of agents, book publishers, magazine editors, and production companies.

Overcoming writer's block usually takes 3-4 hours to resolve. Coaching on an ongoing basis--by email, phone and/or face-to-face conferences--can be effective with as little as 4 hours per month. Evaluation of a complete book manuscript or screenplay usually takes 6 hours; partial book manuscripts, screenplay, or assortment of poems, articles or short stories, 3 hours. An evaluation is provided by email or phone critique of the work with some follow-up email exchanges if clarification is needed.

Every writer is different--by goals, experiences, schedule, and budget. As such, Julie endeavors to work with clients based on their individual needs and goals. Some writing clients will retain Julie through their entire writing project while others will retain her services on a month to month basis depending on where they are in their process.

With that in mind Julie offers two different payment options for writing coach/consulting services:

Option 1 - \$35 per hour payable upfront for a set number of hours per month of coaching. Work is billed and payable via Paypal Invoice. There are no minimum hours required per month.

Option 2 - \$1500 retainer fee, payable in five monthly installments of \$300. Invoices are billed and payable via PayPal Invoice. This arrangement includes two hours per week of coaching/consultation for up to six months (equivalent to \$31.25 per hour).