



Coffee to Cork is here to inspire taking trips without the burden of the complete unknown. From your morning coffee to your evening glass of wine, I've got you covered! Whether you are a planner or spontaneous traveler, you can find peace in having recommendations available to you in an organized fashion. By organized, I'm referring to how I order events by location, in a manner that is travel efficient, with realistic expectations for how long activities, sightseeing and meals last. I pride myself on the extensive thought that goes into each itinerary to help make trips more effective and enjoyable!

As you may have gathered, I have a desire to plan anything and everything. Whether it is in my home city of Chicago or an International trip, you better bet I am researching, experiencing and recording. Although I am not a travel agent, for years, my itineraries have been distributed to friends and families to enhance their trips. Why not share something I love with other eager travelers?

My itineraries are made with a focus on doing, eating & drinking, which leads to seeing! Make plans easier — the editable excel templates allow you to add in your own personality, interests and adventures. Or simply download the PDF for a ready to go version. Enjoy! I am eager to hear from you!

MORNING TO EVENING ITINERARIES WITH A FOCUS ON DOING, EATING & DRINKING, WHICH LEADS TO SEEING.

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The Siblings Trip - Granada, Seville & Barcelona

Date	Location	Time	Activity	Location	Price Range	Notes
Saturday, January 12, 2019	Flight to Malaga, Spain	1:30PM	Arrive in Malaga, Spain	Malaga Airport (Costa Del Sol) Av. del Comandante García Morato, s/n, 29004, Málaga, Spain	\$\$\$\$	Make sure to have cash on hand! These smaller city businesses (cabs, shops, restaurants, etc.) might not take credit cards. Malaga was actually a SUPER cute town and has a bustling downtown area. We just drove through but I almost wish we stayed the night here to explore.
		2:00PM	Take a cab to the Estación de Autobuses de Málaga	Paseo de los Tilos, s/n, 29006 Málaga, Spain	\$	
		2:30PM	Grab lunch near the bus station	Near Estacion de Autobuses de Malaga	\$	
		4:00PM	Board bus to Granada	Paseo de los Tilos, s/n, 29006 Málaga, Spain	\$	
	Granada, Spain	6:30PM	Check into Lodging	Near the Carrera del Darro (riverwalk)	\$\$\$	This was about a 2 hour bus ride. Good time for a nap! Tickets were 11.75 euro. Check out the departure times on the bus website: http://estabus.malaga.eu/ Our Airbnb Review: Amazing spot with beautiful views of the Alahambra. We walked everywhere. No need for cabs! Address: Calle Rosal de San Pedro, 13, Granada, Andalusia, 18010, Spain Other Options: Hotel, Airbnb, VRBO, Homeaway
		8:00PM	Dinner @ Restaurante Ruta del Azafraan	Paseo del Padre Manjón, 1, 18010 Granada, Spain	\$\$	So delicious! Highly recommend the tuna, olive oil and bread appetizer. I think I got risotto or pasta here because I needed some comfort food after the long travel day.
Sunday, January 13, 2019	Granada, Spain	11:00AM	Brunch @ Café 4 Gatos	Café 4 Gatos, Placeta Cruz Verde, 6, 18010 Granada, Spain	\$	Get the Pan con Tomate! It is basically toasted bread with a tomato spread. Sounds odd, but it is really so good! I now make it at home sometimes in place of garlic bread.
		12:00PM	Carrera del Darro (riverwalk) to the Royal Church of Granada	Carrera del Darro, 18010 Granada, Spain		You will naturally walk on the riverwalk throughout your time in Granada, but try to make it to the Royal Church at some point. It is stunning both outside and inside. And the walk there provides cute shops, coffee shops and eateries to pop in and out of.
		1:30PM	Quick lunch @ Bodegas Castenadas for tapas	Calle Almirereros, 1, 3, 18010 Granada, Spain	\$	This is the place to be! It was crowded and loud, but in the most local and energetic way. Order tapas and drinks from the bar and try to find a high top or stand by the bar. The food is delicious and wine/sangria is always a good idea!
		3:00PM	El Generalife (gardens) & La Alhambra (palace)	18009 Granada, Spain	\$\$	Buy tickets 3 months in advance! We walked to La Alhambra, but it is up a large hill with plenty of stairs. If you are not in the physical condition to do so, there are busses or cabs you can jump in. Buy tickets for the Alhambra ahead of time and make sure you arrive 30 minutes before your time to get in line. STRAIGHT UP GAME OF THRONES VIBES. Most gorgeous palace and gardens!!
		8:30PM	Dinner @ Casa de vinos la brujidera	Calle Monjas del Carmen, 2, 18009 Granada, Spain	\$	Small, cozy bustling tapas joint with small tables, crowded booths and fun conversation. We spent hours here just ordering wine and tapas and playing cards. When you order wine you get a free tapa, so keep it flowing!
Monday, January 14, 2019	Seville, Spain	10:30AM	Transportation from Granada to Seville	Train or bus	\$	We took a bus but it was a MISERABLE 4 hours. Laughing thinking about it -- my brother burnt his leg on the furnace, my sister was sweating profusely and we all wanted to vom. Buy TRAIN tickets instead: https://www.raileurope.com/train-tickets/journeys/article/Granada-seville
		2:30PM	Check into Lodging	Calle San Fernando Nº 29-31, 1ªA, Sevilla, Andalucía 41004, Spain	\$\$\$	Our Airbnb Review: Clean and modern! Very nice and updated. Was a short walk from the Estación de Autobuses Plaza de Armas and easily walkable to all our agenda destinations. Address: Calle San Fernando Nº 29-31, 1ªA, Sevilla, Andalucía 41004, Spain Other Options: Hotel, Airbnb, VRBO, Homeaway
		3:00PM	Mercado Lonja del Barranco	Calle Arjona, s/n, 41001 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$	Gourmet market on the river
		4:00PM	Seville Cathedral & the Giralda	Seville Cathedral, Avenida de la Constitución, Seville, Spain		Spanish Renaissance-style church with bell tower
		4:30PM	Royal (Real) Alcázar of Seville	Royal Alcázar of Seville, Patio de Banderas, s/n, 41004 Sevilla, Spain		Royal palace filled with spanish style arches, fountains, structures and gardens
		5:30PM	Plaza de Espana	Av de Isabel la Católica, 41004 Sevilla, Spain		Historic semi-circular plaza edged by a canal and overlooked by a large, curved palace.
		6:30PM	Dinner at El Rinconcillo	Calle Gerona, 40, 41003 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$	Homecooked traditional tapas restaurant; one of the oldest bars in Seville
		8:00PM	Drinks at Espacio Eslava	Calle Eslava, 3, 41002 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$	Contemporary tapas bar
Tuesday, January 15, 2019	Seville, Spain	10:00AM	Jester for bagel sandwiches & smoothies	Calle Puerta de la Carne, 7a, 41004 Sevilla, Spain	\$	Ahhh a good ole American breakfast! Massive bagel sandwiches with fresh smoothies in a small breakfast joint with outdoor tables.
		10:30AM	Barrio Santa Cruz Walk	Sevilla, Spain		Pop these landmarks into Google Maps and find your best route: Plaza de la Virgen de los Reyes, Nun Goodies, Plaza del Friunfo, Patio de Banderas, Calle Agua, Plaza de Santa Cruz, Casa de Murillo, Monasterio de San Jose del Carmen, Plaza de los Vernables, Plaza de Dona Elvira, Plaza de la Alianza
		12:00PM	Aire Ancient Baths	Calle Aire, 15, 41004 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$\$	Just a few steps away from the cathedral, in an alley named Aire in the neighborhood of Santa Cruz, you will find AIRE Sevilla, at a magnificent Mudéjar-style palace that embraces more than 5 centuries of history. As soon as you step in, at its classic Andaluz-style courtyard, you will start a journey through sensations that will take you by candlelight across the various bath rooms with water at different temperature ranges, distributed throughout the palace. Sign up for a treatment as well! https://beaire.com/en/aire-ancient-baths-sevilla
		2:00PM	Lunch @ Bodega Santa Cruz	Calle Rodrigo Caro, 1, 41004 Sevilla, Spain		VERY good tapas restaurant within a touristy area, but has reasonable prices. Great people watching spot if warm.
		3:00PM	Regroup at lodging	Calle San Fernando Nº 29-31, 1ªA, Sevilla, Andalucía 41004, Spain		Regroup and recharge.
		6:00PM	Wine Bar @ Vineria San Telmo	Vineria San Telmo, Paseo de Catalina de Ribera, 4, 41004 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$	Extensive wine list and cocktails. Tapas available and very good!
		8:00PM	Italian Dinner @ Restaurante San marco Santa cruz	San Marco, Calle Mesón del Moro, 6, 41004 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$	Lovely, antique looking Italian restaurant, decently priced.
10:30AM	Flight from Seville to Barcelona	A-4, Km. 532, 41020 Sevilla, Spain	\$\$\$	Seville Airport (SVQ)		

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Wednesday, January 16, 2019	Barcelona, Spain					We opted for an airbnb again! (Address: Consell de Cent 354 2-2, Barcelona, 08009, Spain). Truthfully, I felt we were walking slightly far to get to places. The neighborhoods you should look for a home rental or hotel are as follows: El Born, Gothic Quarter, La Barceloneta, L'Antiga Esquerra de l'Eixample or El Raval.	
		12:30PM	Check into Lodging	Find lodging in El Born, Gothic Quarter, La Barceloneta or L'Antiga	\$\$\$		
		1:00PM	Coffee at Café El Magnifico	Carrer de l'Argenteria, 64, 08003 Barcelona, Spain	\$	Very well made coffee, perfect after an early flight!	
				La Vinateria del Cal, Carrer de Salomó Ben Adret, 9, 08002 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$		
		1:30PM	Tapas & wine @ La vinateria del cal			Wine bar that serves up tasty Iberian dishes	
		3:00PM	Regroup at lodging	Find lodging in El Born, Gothic Quarter, La Barceloneta or L'Antiga		Regroup and recharge.	
		6:00PM	Dinner @ Costa Pacifico	Plaça de Sant Agustí Vell, 13, 08003 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$	BEST fish tacos I've ever had; in a trendy local restaurant with great margaritas.	
		8:00PM	Porteño Bar	Carrer dels Carders, 32, 08003 Barcelona, Spain	\$	Love this small cocktail bar!! Amazing drinks & the bartenders were so fun and conversative.	
		10:00PM	Experience the night life		\$\$	View suggestions from Yelp and Trip Advisor. We ended up at some of the clubs along the beach.	
Thursday, January 17, 2019	Barcelona, Spain	11:00AM	Tapas @ Cerveseria Catalana	Carrer de Mallorca, 236, 08008 Barcelona Spain	\$\$	SUPER popular tapas restaurant and gets very crowded, so go at an off time/day to get in quicker. A wide variety menu of shared plates with delicious sangria. Bright and lively atmosphere!	
		12:30PM	Explore El Born & Gothic Quarter to shop!		\$\$	Go visit the boutique shops. So cute and reasonable prices!	
		2:30PM	Dessert & tea @ Caelum	Caelum, Carrer de la Palla, 8, 08002 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$	The most adorable little pastry shop with tables available for ordering cakes, cookies, pastries and tea! A nice afternoon pick-me-up, especially to break up shopping.	
		3:30PM	Visit La Boqueria market	Mercado de La Boqueria, La Rambla, 91, 08001 Barcelona, Spain	\$	Such a cute market, with all the spanish feels. You can eat lunch here if you spend an hour shopping around/trying different things: empanadas, cheeses, meats, fruits, candies, nuts, fish, etc.	
		4:30PM	Hotel 1898 Rooftop	Hotel 1898, La Rambla, 109, 08002 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$	Check out 1898 rooftop for amazing views; it gets booked on the weekends so try to either make a reservation or stop by on week day/night.	
		6:00PM	Regroup at lodging	Find lodging in El Born, Gothic Quarter, La Barceloneta or L'Antiga		Regroup and recharge.	
		8:30PM	Dinner @ Restaurant El Passadis del Pep	Pla de Palau, 2, 08003 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$	Very professional and well kept restaurant serving fresh fish of the day, and they have a set menu.	
Friday, January 18, 2019	Barcelona, Spain			Meeting point: We Boutique, Paseo de Gracia, Passatge de la Concepció, 7	\$\$\$	Enjoy a day trip to two family wineries and taste tapas; 4 excellent wines and 4 types of cava, each paired with gourmet delights. A driver (~45 minutes ride) takes you through 2,000 year-old vines. https://www.getyourguide.com/barcelona-145/exclusive-local-cava-and-wine-tasting-at-family-run-winery-t94605/	
		10:00AM	4x4 Winery Tour				
		4:00PM	PIZZA @ Luigi Ristorante	Carrer de Roger de Lluria, 50, 08009 Barcelona, Spain	\$\$	The perfect meal after a full day of wine tasting! Need something in the stomach and we devoured this pizza!	
		5:00PM	Last night! Enjoy!!!			Make sure to enjoy your last night either by trying something new or revisiting a favorite spot!	
Saturday, January 19, 2019	Flight Home	9:15AM	Flight from Barcelona to home	08820 El Prat de Llobregat, Barcelona, Spain	\$\$\$\$	Sad day! But positive is sleeping in your own bed tonight!	