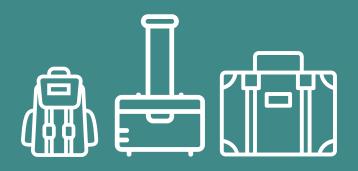
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Appendices

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APPENDIX A: EXTENDED LUGGAGE SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS

D2D services

Global delivery services



Send my bag: U.S. company that offers global door-to-door service for both odd-size as well as regular size luggage. It is able to do so by making use of DHL logistics services. Passenger who make use of this service need to prepare their luggage by printing and attaching the necessary shipping labels directly to their luggage. When traveling between continents, passengers need to attach an additional custom clearance form to their luggage. For additional fees these extra services are provided: Shipping labels printed and shipped to your address, cancellation insurance, luggage insurance, and tracking status sms service. This shows that luggage services are selling ancillaries to their own services.

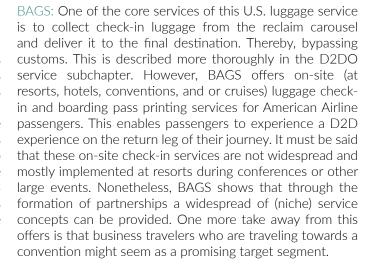


Luggage Mule: Is a U.K. based luggage service that provides global luggage shipment services for both regular and odd-sized luggage. The company utilizes the services of UPS, DHL, DPD, and Parcelforce for the shipments of passenger luggage. For this reason, luggage transit times can vary from 1 day (within the U.K.) to 7 days (lbiza) based on the chosen final destination. To be eligible for this service, one of the destinations (either origin or final) needs to be in the U.K.



Luggage Free

Luggage Free: Also a company based in the U.S. which offers a global door-to-door service for both odd-size as well as regular size luggage. (Make use of FedEx and DHL logistics services) Furthermore, this company has further developed their revenue model by providing different levels of service and pricing structures. First of all, 'Luggage Free' charges per lbs. shipped, thereby incentivizing passengers to ship as little as possible. Furthermore, passengers can choose choose between 1,3, or 5-day delivery within the U.S. and 3 or 5-day delivery within the EU. An additional service that is included within the U.S. for a \$50 surcharge, is handling the labeling procedure of the luggage. This way passengers can choose which level of service they want to purchase based on the amount of money they want to spend.







Luggage Forward: Another U.S. based company who also offer D2D luggage transportation for both regular as odd-sized luggage. (Utilizes a combination of FedEx, UPS and DHL logistics network) Luggage forward has required 6 other luggage shipping services of the last couple of years. Thereby, making the company one of the U.S. market leaders within the luggage service industry. The other acquired D2D luggage services were: Luggage Express, Virtual Bellhop, Luggage Club, Baggage Quest, and Sports Express.

Care 4 Luggage: Is a Dutch luggage service, that provides D2D luggage delivery within the European Union for both odd-size and regular luggage. It is able to supply this service through the utilization of the CEO's own couriers service. This being, Königs Couriers. They offer a variety of shipping services for both odd-sized luggage such as sports equipment as well as standard suitcases up to 30 Kgs. Passengers need to travel to or from a Dutch destination to be eligible for this service.





Travel Light: Is another Dutch luggage service, which provides D2D luggage services for odd-size and regular luggage. However, in comparison to the other D2D luggage services Travel Light only offers D2D services to 18 European destinations. The company is able to offer passengers this service by making use of the TNT logistics network. Similar to the travel requirements of 'Care 4 Luggage', one of the destinations needs to be situated in the Netherlands for passengers to be eligible for this service.

bagexpress

BaggagExpress: BaggagExpress is an Italian D2D luggage service, which offers D2D luggage services for odd-size and regular luggage to all member states of the European union. It has utilized the services of UPS to perform its luggage shipments. Furthermore, the company has formed a partnership with Costa Cruises thereby enabling their 'Perla Diamante' members, top tier of Costa Cruises loyalty program, to ship their luggage to their cabins for free. However, this service is only available for a view selected ports. Additionally, BaggagExpress services are not priced competitively as can be seen within table x.x. Thereby, it is assumed that this service is more targeted at the more luxurious and service orientated traveler.

D2D0 services



Airportr: Is a British luggage service that offers check-in luggage collection at the passenger's doorstep after which it is transported to a landside Airportr Kiosk either at London Heathrow or London Gatwick airport. Passengers are able to book 1-hour time slots in which their luggage will be collected from their homes. When collected, the luggage is labeled and wrapped in plastic bags to prevent the luggage from being tampered with. Due to the partnership formed with British Airways, passengers who travel with British Airways are able to have their bags checked-in at their doorstep 24 hours before departure, thereby skipping the initial part of the traditional luggage journey. After the passenger has arrived at its destination airport, he or she can collect their luggage at the traditional luggage reclaim.

Therefore, Airport also falls into the D2R cluster. It is not possible to directly deliver the passengers luggage from the belly of the plane to the final destination due to due to European customs regulations. These regulations prohibits PAX luggage being picked up and brought through customs by third parties. It is also a possibility to have your luggage delivered to your home when arriving at one of the former mentioned airports. However, the service is currently only available for residence of or people traveling to the city of London.



PostNL: The Dutch postal company has started a similar service to that of Airportr with the exception of offering its services nationwide within the Netherlands and only delivering its luggage to Schiphol airport. Passengers can choose to have their luggage collected at their doorsteps either 1,2 or 3 days in advance of their departure. Once transported, the luggage can be collected at the luggage depot of Schiphol airport. Similar to Airportr, PostNL has partnered with an airline. This enables passengers flying with Corendon, to have their luggage checked-in at their doorstep after which it can be collected at the traditional baggage reclaim at the destination airport. Therefore, PostNL also falls into the D2R cluster.



Leave your bags: Is an Amsterdam based luggage service that focuses on the transportation of luggage from hotels and Airbnb's situated within Amsterdam to Schiphol airport and vice versa. It does so by making use of TNT logistics network and the service is able to be booked 1 day in advance. Once the passenger has printed out and attached the required luggage labels to their luggage, the pieces of luggage are collected at their accommodation, where after it is transported to a landside kiosk at Schiphol airport. The landside kiosk also functions as the drop-off point for passengers who want to have their luggage transported into the city.



No Luggage: Is a Spanish luggage service that offers luggage services towards and from the airport, for both odd-sized and regular types of luggage. Furthermore, the company



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also seems to offer its services at certain AVE stations (Alta Velocidad Española, Spanish high speed train line). The company does not possess any landside kiosks at any Spanish airports or train stations.

Therefore, delivery appointments need to be made between the courier and passenger when they will collect their luggage. In general, the delivery locations at airports and train stations are at the 'Kiss & Ride' parking lots.



Ta Q Bin: Is similar to the previous described services in this subchapter, except that Ta Q Bin is only active within Japan. The service can be used by passenger who want to send their luggage between home, a train station, or airports. Furthermore, Ta Q Bin offers more additional features such as: luggage storage, same day luggage delivery, special souvenir delivery, tourist information, and additional designated drop-off and pick-up points at selected 7/11 stores.

P2D services

Luggage not through airport



Oman Air (in cooperation with DHL): Oman air is marketing a DO2D luggage service in cooperation with DHL. However, what this service exactly entails is still unclear. The only information that is available was released within a press release that stated:

'Passengers of Oman Air have the ability to drop-off their luggage at any DHL service station after which it can be shipped to any destination within Oman Airs' network'.

The press release further states that the lead time can vary between 2-3 days. That being said, no indication are given on the luggage restrictions or related costs. After having had personal

contact with Oman Air customer service it has become apparent that the service is only available for shipments out of Oman. Thereby, supplying passengers with just one luggage free journey leg.

Luggage through airport



BAGS: As stated before, one of their main services for passengers is the transportation of check-in luggage dropped

off at airport kiosks directly to the final destination. By doing so, BAGS bypasses the reclaim process of the journey. However, this is only possible on domestic flights within the U.S. or to international airports and ports that have a U.S. custom and border protection (CPB) 'Pre-clearance zone. Pre-clearance zones are a separate facility at foreign ports or airports that are staffed by U.S. CPB officers and aim to streamline U.S. border procedure by placing this process at the origin destination. Thereby, reducing custom passenger congestion within the U.S. Looking from a competitive perspective it must be said that BAGS does not seem as a threat to the European market as the company seems to focus on the North-American market. Furthermore, currently there are only 2 Pre-clearance zones out of the North-American regions. These being located in Ireland and in Abu Dhabi.

Wardrobe storage services



Finally, there is one final luggage service that operates within its own scope, this being DUFL. DUFL, is an American company that offers a premium travel service by storing and shipping personal clothing travel kits. Passenger are able to make a selection of personal items that they want shipped from their DUFL storage unit to their final destination. Once the passenger has concluded its business the items are collected, cleaned, and returned to the individuals DUFL storage unit. This luggage service is marketed at the upper class business passenger and is available within the U.S. and selected business hubs within Europe, Canada, Singapore, Tokyo, Hong Kong, and Melbourne. Even though, personal luggage storage is the company's main value proposition, it also offers D2D luggage services within the U.S. for both odd-size and regular sized luggage.





APPENDIX B: LUGGAGE SERVICE PARTNER ANALYSIS

Partner Overview

Figure A1 shows an overwhelming view of the amount of partners each all the different luggage service companies have. Which specific partners each of the luggage services has can be seen in table TA 1. To create a more comprehensible overview figures A 2 to A4. have been created. The figures give an overview of the different types and amount of partners each of the luggage services have. The goal of these images is to see which partners might be necessary, which customer segments are approached, and which market segments are still unsupplied.

The type of partners have been clustered into 5 main categories, these being:

- Logistics companies: Companies whose core business is the shipment of letters, parcel and cargo
- Transportation: Includes companies that transport people (airlines and cruises), are necessary for the transportation (airports and ports), or enable people to travel (car rentals)
- Lodging & Accommodation: Includes companies that supply any form of lodging and accommodations (apartment rentals, hotels and resorts)
- Service & Holiday: Includes companies that arrange personal travel and holidays (travel agencies, tour operators) and companies that supply the costumers every need (concierge services.)
- Retail: Includes shops that are either being used as a drop-off or pick-up points (convenience stores, malls, and wholesale stores), as well as sporting equipment rentals and specialty suitcase brands.

Global D2D

Figure A2. Illustrates the amount and type of partners each individual D2D luggage service has. When looking more closely at this figure, certain trends appear. For one, it seems that the D2D luggage services that are operating from the U.S. have created a larger network of partnerships in comparison to that of its European counterpart (Luggage Mule). BAGS has been included into the global D2D luggage analysis because they do offer this service even though it is in specific aforementioned circumstances. However, it must be said that the overall partnerships that BAGS has created seems out of proportion to the other D2D luggage services. This is due to the fact that the D2D luggage service is one of the services that BAGS offers its clients. It further provides services such as: delayed baggage deliveries, remote airline check-ins, same day shopping deliveries, concierge services and more. Therefore, the majority of partnerships formed will not be taken into account. Furthermore, the proposed luggage service of Oman air has been included into this partner analysis due to the similarities in service between the D2D and P2DD service luggage model.

When looking at the logistics partner cluster (tier 1), 4 of the 5 luggage services use multiple logistics companies to fulfill their shipment needs. The most prominently used logistics companies are: FedEx, DHL, and UPS followed by DPD, TNT, and Parcel force. Which logistics company Bags utilizes is unknown and is therefore not taken into account for this analysis. It is assumed that the utilization of multiple logistics companies is necessary to be able to deliver global



Figure A1: Partner collage



D2D luggage shipments.

Naturally, the bulk of all the formed partnerships can be found within the transportation cluster (tier 2) as this sector is where the need of luggage originates. However, an interesting development is that so many partnerships have been formed with ports and cruises. This implies that a D2D luggage service is well suited for this type of travel. Looking from a North-American market perspective, one could say that this market is well saturated and hard to penetrate with a new D2D luggage concept. This however is not the case when looking from a European perspective. Therefore, it is advised to take this in consideration when analyzing the European hospitality sector market.

When specifically looking at the aviation partnerships formed by Luggage forward and Luggage free, these being Blue star jets, Jetsmarter and Air Canada, it becomes apparent that a certain customer segment is targeted. Jetsmarter and Blue star jets provide private jet services and are thereby targeting more upper class service oriented customers. Air Canada formed a partnership with Luggage forward to promote the service for PAX who are traveling with odd-size luggage. This is proven by the following statement that is posted on the Luggage Forwards' website.

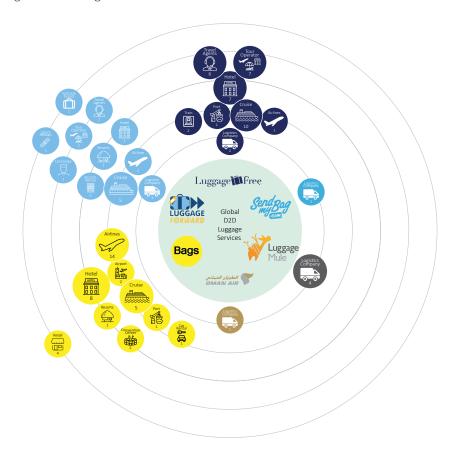
'Air Canada exclusively recommends Luggage Forward's door-to-door luggage delivery service to passengers who wish to send luggage, golf clubs, skis, or snowboards ahead to their destination.'

Thereby, PAX who are traveling with odd-sized luggage might be an interesting customer segment to look into.

Within the lodging and accommodation tier (tier 3), many partnerships have been formed with upper class hotels and resorts. For example, included establishment are the St.Regis in Aspen, offering ski shipping services through Luggage Free and the Luxury collection hotels who offers luggage liaison services for its top tier 'Starwood Preferred Guests' (SPG) members use Luggage forwards' services. This further, establishes the fact that the more service oriented PAX and PAX who are traveling with odd-size luggage are a compelling customer segment to target. Even though the luggage services that have formed these partnerships are operating from within the U.S.A, the hotels they offer this service to are also situated throughout Europe. Therefore, one could say that the upper class hotel segment might be saturated when it comes to luggage services.

Upper class and more service oriented travel continues to be a trend as most of the partnerships formed within the Holiday and service tier (tier 4) are with niche and luxury travel agents and tour operators. An example of such is for instance Abercrombie & Kent, an American tour operator who provides luxury holiday packages ranging from small group travel to fully private trips including private jets. Furthermore, multiple partnerships have been formed with tour operators and travel agents who specialize in organizing unique golf holidays around the globe. (Kalos golf, Perry golf, Haversham & baker golfing expeditions). These findings further confirm that the more service oriented PAX and PAX traveling with odd-size luggage holds potential as the

targeted customer segment.





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The partnerships that have been formed by Luggage forward in the Retail tier (tier 5), are with companies that provide specialized sporting suitcases and ski rentals. Similar to the prior findings, this also shows that odd-size travel is a suitable customer target segment.

European D2D

The European D2D luggage services have formed far less partnerships than its global counterparts. One thing that is for certain that is for certain that it is possible to offer D2D luggage services within Europe by making use of a single logistics partner. This is proven by the fact that all three European luggage service make use of a single logistics partner. These being, Königs koeriers, TNT, and UPS.

Looking at the transportation tier (tier 2) only a few partnerships have been formed. Travel Light is referred to by Schiphol at their odd-size page. As stated earlier, BaggagExpress has formed a partnership with Costa Cruises offering its 'Perla Diamante' premium loyalty members free luggage shipping. Furthermore, the only other partnerships formed within the European luggage service category is by Travel Light with the tour operators TUI and Neckermann (part of Thomas Cook). However, similar to the partnership formed with Schiphol, this is done through referral on their websites. When looking more closely at these referrals it becomes clear that customers need to proactively look for these option as they are not incorporated within the booking flow.

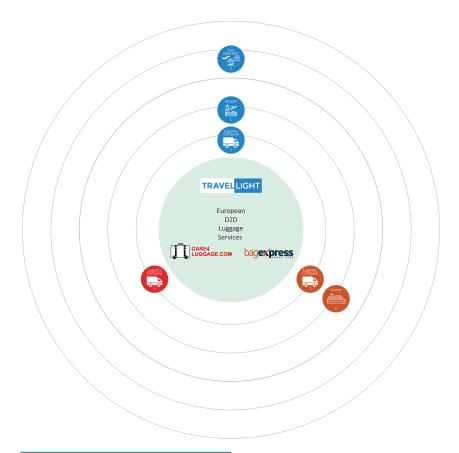


Figure A3: European D2D partner overview



D2D0/P2D & D2R

Finally, a closer look is taken at the clusters D2DO/P2D & D2R. For this analysis these different service models have been clustered together due to their similarity.

Due to the fact that these services mainly operate in one leg of the journey, there is no need for multiple logistic company partnerships. Further so, certain services even perform their own logistics like for instance Airportr and No luggage.

As stated before, Airportr and PostNL have formed partnerships with airlines such as British Airway and Corendon airlines (which is owned by the tour operator Corendon), thereby enabling customers to directly checkin their luggage at their doorstep. This shows, that the aviation sector is looking at how to improve their customer experience whilst simultaneously trying to create additional revenue. Furthermore, PostNL and Leave your luggage have formed a partnership with Schiphol which enables them to provide pick-up kiosks in the land side area of the airport. One truly noticeable partnership within the D2DO/P2D cluster is the one that Ta-Q-Bin has formed with the American-Japanese convenience store 7/11. This partnership shows that the delivery address does not necessary need to be a type of accommodation. Therefore, possible different dropoff locations will be further looked into.

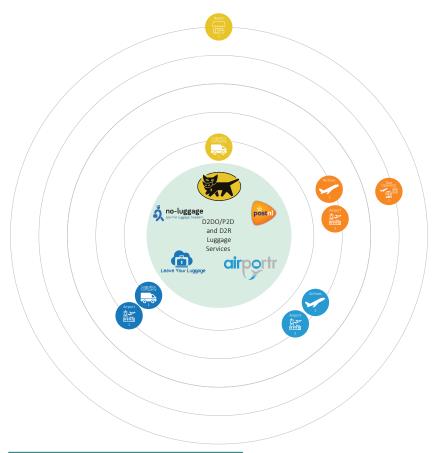


Figure A4: D2DO/P2D & D2R partner overview



APPENDIX C: EXTENDED TRAVEL LIGHT CASE STUDY

Travel Light Analyses

Travel Lights business model and service process has been analyzed, to see which resources and processes are necessary to be able offer D2D luggage services. This research was conducted by means of a creative session in which Sven de Laaf (CEO) and Robin Scholtes (Operations and Customer Care Manager) participated. During this session a Business Model Canvas (BMC) was created and a service blueprint clearly illustrating the current process.

Travel Light service process

The process starts when a customer has decided to use a D2D luggage service instead of the traditional luggage journey. In general the actions taken by Travel Light can be divided into 5 steps. These steps being:

- Priming
- Processing
- Preparing
- · Supplying
- Informing

Below a brief description will be given on the different actions each stakeholder needs to complete. Figure x.x. illustrates each of these actions based on the time before departure and return (x-axis).

Priming

Travel Light

Travel Light starts off with priming customers by executing online marketing strategy through social media (facebook). On Wednesdays and Fridays the company posts inspirational photos and videos on how interesting locations and activities. Monday's are selected to activate potential customers by placing advertisements that offer Travel Light services and compares it to the traditional luggage journey.

Processing

Customer

The process starts when a customer decides to make use of the D2D service. The booking process starts via the native website of Travel Light. The customer is first asked to fill in the destination country of their trip, what date they are departing, if they are planning a return journey, what type and how much luggage they plan on taking. Once this has been established an initial quote is shown. The date of departure needs to be at least 2 weeks in advance when booking the service. This is due to the fact that Travel Light needs time to process the order, send a welcome package to the customer and inform the logistics partner about the shipments.

From here the customer is asked to fill in specific details about their own address as well as the address they are staying during their trip and what kind of accommodation this is. Furthermore, their preferences is asked for the pick-

up and delivery date of their luggage at home. Once this has been completed the final payment details need to be communicated and the service is booked.

One important side note is that it is the responsibility of the consumer to inform the reception of their accommodation, that they are making use of a 'D2D' luggage service and that their luggage will arrive a day early.

Travel Light

When receiving an order, Travel Light starts off with assigning a consignment number to the email address of the order. This enables Travel Light to inform the logistics company of the shipment and send Track & Trace information directly to the customer. After this has been completed, the pick-up and delivery address is checked to ensure that they are correct. If any discrepancies are found the customer is informed whether the given address information is correct. When everything is in order a confirmation email is send with the pick-up date.

The API (application programming interface) that Travel Light owns, is able to hold the shipping data until the time is right to inform the logistics company. This is done to reduce the amount of time shipment orders are backlogged in the logistics company backend system. Thereby, lowering the chance of disruptions. Furthermore, this is necessary due to the recycling of consignment numbers by their logistics partner.

Preparing

Travel Light

The company needs to prepare the welcome package that includes the shipping labels and packaging necessary to ship the selected luggage type. The boxes and other included materials are assembled in a social workplace after which the specific shipment labels are printed and added by the company themselves.

Supplying

Travel Light

When the welcome packages have been assembled, they are sent to the customer. This usually is 10 days before departure and is realised by making use of PostNL delivery services.

Customer

Once the welcome package has been received, the consumer can start preparing their luggage. Once the suitcase or other type of luggage has been packed, the piece of luggage is prepared for the shipment. This is done by either packing the suitcase in a plastic bag or other odd-sized luggage in a special cardboard box. After these steps have been completed the customer can attached the shipping label to the outside of the piece of luggage. It is important that the correct shipping label is firmly attached to their luggage and that they don't forget to pack the return shipping labels.



Informing

Travel Light

Roughly 4 days before departure the logistics company receives the pick-up order from Travel Light. Once the luggage has been collected, the consumer is updated on the Track & Trace information provided by the logistics company to Travel Light. The process described above is almost identical for the return journey. The only difference is the consignment number that is communicated towards the logistics company. Therefore, a return shipment is seen as two single shipments by the logistics company. Which in turn has its own downside as mentioned by Sven de Laaf.

'TNT regards a return shipment as two single shipments. Sending it from A to B is seen as one shipment and the return shipment is seen as a new single shipment. This is why it is not possible to send luggage to Non-EU countries, because TNT cannot recognize that it is the same parcel. This in turn leads to having to pay import taxes for your own luggage'. (de Laaf, 2017)

Logistics company

Once the shipment order has been received, the logistics company needs to plan and arrange pick-up of luggage at the customers pick-address. From here it the piece of luggage can be shipped, making use of road transport. Road transport is used to keep the shipping costs as low as possible. Hence, the amount of days the piece of luggage remains in transit. The logistics company informs Travel Light on the progress of shipment through their Track & Trace system until the delivery has been completed.

Customer

The customer is regularly informed on the status of their luggage by Travel Light. The only actions that remain are transporting themselves to their final destination and preparing their luggage for the return journey once their trip has come to an end. .

Return Journey

Travel Light

As mentioned before the return journey process is very similar to initial journey. If the duration of the customer's trip is longer than 3 weeks, new shipping labels are emailed to the customer. These shipping labels are send 4 days in advance. It is also at this moment that the logistics partner is informed about the return shipment.

Customer

If necessary, the customer has to print the return shipping labels that Travel Light has emailed them. There is no need for the customer to fundamentally adjust their usual packing ritual as the luggage will be collected 1 business day after they have left their accommodation. After having packed their luggage, is a matter of preparing it in the same manner as they did on their initial journey and attach the return shipping labels. On the day of departure, the customer leaves their luggage at the reception who should have been informed beforehand about the usage of the D2D luggage service.

Logistics company

In comparison to the initial shipment, nothing has dramatically changed process wise. The main difference is that instead of collecting the luggage from the home or other pick-up address (office, local store etc..) of the customer, it is collected at the reception of the accommodation.



APPENDIX C: EXTENDED TRAVEL LIGHT CASE STUDY

Travel Light Business Model Canvas

As stated before, a BMC was created to get an overview on which resources are necessary to be able offer a D2D service. Furthermore, this was done to understand what the exact value proposition is that Travel Light offers its customers and which customer segment they see as their key target market. The created BMC can be seen in figure C1.

Customer Segment

The reason why certain customers make use of a D2D service can be very different from one another. That is also why Travel Light does not target a single customer segment but multiple. The targeted customer segments are:

-Active family and group holiday seekers: Families, couples or a group of friends who go on an active holiday. The activities these customers perform on their holiday requires them to bring along odd-size luggage. This can include Ski's, snowboard, kiteboard sets, bicycles, golf bags, or other large sporting equipment.

-(Long stay) Elderly customers: Elderly customers have been targeted due to the fact that in general this customer segment is less mobile than other travelers and therefore experience a lot of pain during their travels. Furthermore, within the Elderly segment the sub-segment 'Long stay elderly' is targeted. This sub-segment spends the winter months abroad and therefore bring a lot of check-in luggage.

'The most important target groups are elderly, customer who go on ski holidays and cyclist. And also families, however they are not the early adopters. The other groups make use of the service out of necessity, they encounter the most pain during their journey. Families are more focused on comfort and ease. Once this service will reach more widespread adoption, companies will figure out how to approach families.' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

'It's necessity vs. comfort, people are writing to me that due to this service they are able to go on holiday again' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

Furthermore, Travel Light focuses more on the baby boom generation due to the following reasons:

'The older generation is a 100% fit, let's say the baby boom generation. They have enough money to make use of the service, they don't travel during the holiday season, they are the most interesting group for us to approach' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

This quote entails that Travel Light is focusing on a more premium customer and that making use of a D2D luggage service is still seen as a luxury for which a more premium price is payed. However, this is a business decision that is made based on the resources that the company holds. Whether this is the correct strategy is something that further research should uncover.

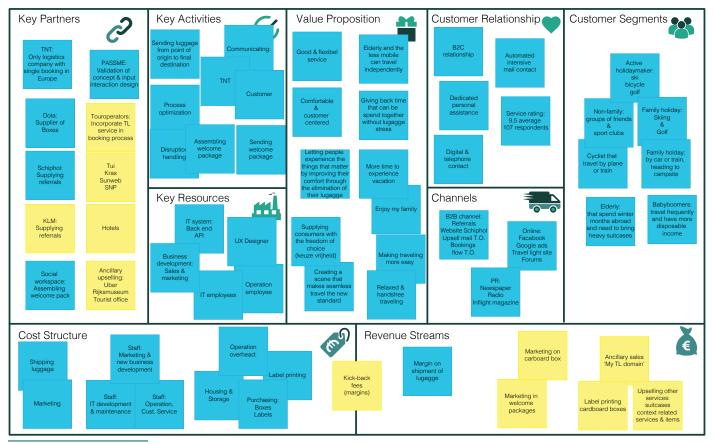


Figure C1: Travel Light BMC



Value Proposition

As Travel Light approaches multiple customer segments, its service creates a different value proposition for each of the targeted customer segments. One thing that can be agreed upon is that the service ultimately improve the customer journey by the elimination the need to bring your luggage during your transport. This can lead to customers spending their time more rewardingly, by for instance experiencing more quality time with their travel companion(s).

When looking from at the Elderly target segment (and the less mobile), making use of such a service can enable them to independently go on holiday again. Thereby, making them feel more empowered.

Customer Relationship

Currently Travel Light maintains intensive mail relationship with its customers. This is necessary to ensure the customers are comfortable with the fact that their luggage is traveling separately. Thereby, ruling out all forms of anxiety related to luggage.

'The thing that we accomplish at the moment is maintaining intensive personal contact with our clients. The moment they are anxious about something it is our job to reassure them. Our customers should be anxiety free, especially since the disruption rate within the logistics industry is far less in comparison to that of the airlines.' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

Channels

Currently the main channels Travel Light acquires its customers is through google advertisements, forums and Facebook. The service is also referred to by Schiphol airport and on an additional website of Neckermann. However, the service is not prominently market through those channels and customers need to actively look for other luggage options. Other companies such as booking sites have been approached but do not see the added value of offering a D2D service within their booking flow.

'We have discussed our proposition with booking.com and Trivago but they aren't interested. The reason being that they are a booking site and want to have an as high as possible conversion rate. With every extra step in the booking flow the conversion will drop.' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

Former marketing strategies have also included radio commercials. Even though the commercial generated a lot of activity on the site, it did not manage to translate into an increase in coversion.

'We found that our radio marketing campaign generated a lot of traffic on our website. However, this additional traffic did not lead to an increase in conversion because people were triggered while traveling to work. Usually that is not the moment when people book holidays.' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

It can be concluded that Travel Light is struggling with creating awareness around the D2D luggage service concept. This is further substantiated by the following quote:

'When people buy their tickets, Transavia will approach you if you want to buy additional check-in luggage, it is at this moment that the passenger should hear this little voice in their head saying 'Travel Light'. This not the case. It is so difficult to penetrate the B2C market for a small startup like us that it would be best to sell our services B2B2C.' (de Laaf, 2017)

Key activities

The main activities that Travel Light needs to perform is facilitate the shipment of luggage from origin to destination and back again. This facilitation is achieved by informing the necessary stakeholders at the right moment and supplying them with the data and items that they need for the service. What these activities entail and who the necessary stakeholders are will be discussed in more detail in the 'Travel Light service process' subchapter.

Key Resources

Key resources are needed to perform key activities. In the case of facilitating the luggage shipment, the main resources needed are Travel Lights API and backend system. This means that Travel Light at the core is a IT company that only possesses an online platform through which the corresponding stakeholders are connected with each other.

Key Partners

One of the most important partners that Travel Light has is it logistics partner TNT. As stated before, Travel Light is merely a facilitator in the shipment of luggage. Furthermore, their packaging supplier is seen as a key partner as well as the companies that supply referrals. In the near future, Travel Light aims to expand their partnerships by including hotel chains, tour operators, and other services such as touristic attractions and Uber services.

Costs

The main costs that Travel Light has are: the costs of shipping luggage, development and maintenance costs of the platform, staff, and general operation overhead costs. The most significant costs are linked to the development of the platform and of course the shipment themselves. How much the platform costs to develop was not discussed but as an indication the following quote from Dennis van der Noll, TNT representative, can act as a guideline:

'The next couple of days I have 3 meetings with companies that are interested in the same subject matter. I am always surprised the amount of financing they are willing to spend in the development of their online platforms. A big player is visiting me tomorrow, who is going to invest €8,5 million in the development of their online platform.' (van der Noll, TNT, 2017)



APPENDIX C: EXTENDED TRAVEL LIGHT CASE STUDY

Revenue Stream

Currently Travel Light only has a single revenue stream and that is a margin of the luggage shipment sales. However, there is a huge potential for the company to generate additional revenue. The service can receive kick back fees for referring to other services or products. Furthermore, the company can upsell additional ancillaries or provide different service levels which can add extra value for their customers. Example of additional revenue streams is shown in the following two quotes:

'I'm not ruling out that I will also sell suitcases and bags in the future. A lot of customers contact me asking if I could also sell them such items, ski bag or a Samsonite suitcase. Why not?' - (de Laaf, 2017)

'I am not excluding the thought that there might be some sort of free-memium business model. Ship luggage 7 days before, but this allows me to try and upsell as much as possible, express service deliver in 3-4 days and premium for next day delivery. All the data that I receive will be sold to 3rd parties but this way I am able to offer my service to you for free.' (de Laaf, 2017)



Who	Company	Date	Inisghts
VVIIO	Company	Date	inisgrits
Sven de Laaf	Travel light	17/01/17	Overall service process of D2D luggage service concept, possible service providers, possible customer segments, D2D luggage service can hold different value propositions for different customer segments
Robin Scheltes	Travel light	17/01/17	
Matthijs Hermsen	Pin High	10/02/17	Golf specialty tour operator, biggest customer segment is the recreational golfer, initial test done by marketing manager wasn't satisfactory, golf hotels are located in exclusive and remote areas, best selling ancillary is the golf-clubs rentals, firm doesn't seem enthused to offer D2D luggage services as an ancillary
Maxime Hoogland	Center Hotels Amsterdam	13/02/17	Small hotel chain with 3 hotels within the city of Amsterdam, only target city trippers or business PAX, these types of PAX predominantly bring C.O. Luggage, if service would become popular hotel would only be able to offer it to a small amount of guest due to the lack of storage space
Oscar van Oefellen	Drop & Go Amsterdam	13/02/17	Indentiefied possible drop-off and pick-up location, eager to cooperate in the D2D luggage service concept, most clients make use of service because they can't check into accommodation, stores mostly C.O. Luggage
Paul van Thienen	KRAS	17/02/17	Elderly travelers are a large part of their customer segment, currently offering service to cyclist who train in Mallorca, Tour operators own or have formed partnerships with cruises, roughly 20% of their customer base consists out of families traveling with young children to beach holiday destinations



Toon Kessen	Thomas Cook	21/02/17	Luggage ancillary sales are dropping on an annual basis, families traveling with young children is an important customer segment, currently looking at offering an alternative luggage ancillary, referral on site to Travel Light is not successful, ancillary should be included within traditional booking flow
Sylvia Molenkamp	Amsterdam Rai	02/03/17	Performed own survey among clients, main customer base are business PAX, Business PAX are interested in having something done with their luggage, preference is for either having it picked up from the airport and delivered to the hotel and back again or transported form the Rai to the airport
Bert Vaessens	NS	13/03/17	Offering drop-off or pick-up locations within larger stations is an issue from a space and safety perspective, currently NS offer 24 hours lockers, rent prices at the train stations are premium, indicated that the feasibility of having a drop-off and pick-up locations at one of the big stations as
Mark Groen	Belvilla	15/03/17	Belvilla's main customer segment are families traveling with young children within Europe, experienced strong growth over the last couple of years, offer more service than Airbnb but business model is based on the same sharing economy principle, single employee can be responsible for up to 50 houses in quite remote places, hence it would not be possible to ensure that someone could be present during the delivery of the luggage
Chaim Scheepers	Starwood Marriott	16/03/17	Main customer segment are business PAX, but most valueable guests are Luxury travelers, have an average stay of 1.7 nights per guest, highlighted the large adjustment in packing and travel behavior of business PAX, saw more value in offering a Duffl like concept for their customers base



Dennis van FedEX/TNT der Noll

19/12/17 Integrators posses all own resources to perform shipments of parcels, TNT specialized in roadtransport, costs of shipment are 0,25 per kg with an additional 6,5 surcharge, direct routes can be created if the demand is great enough this can save 24 hours in delivery time, EFTA countries should be avoided due to higher likeliness of packages being held back by customs, best to focus on Western-Europe and the Mediterranean



APPENDIX E: EXTENDED MARKET AND SALES CYCLICITY ANALYSIS

The author has chosen to set the scope of this analysis to the Dutch market. Furthermore, since no exact data on the different customer segments is present beforehand, the analysis is based on the findings from multiple sources. Which sources have been used will be reported on accordingly.

Market size - Large

Within the year of 2016, a total 35,5 million holidays (NIBTC -NIPO, 2017A) where partaken by the Dutch population. Of the total holidays, 51% were to for-eign countries, resulting in a total of 17,9 million foreign holidays. Furthermore, on 38% of these foreign holidays (NIBTC-NIPO, 2017A), flying was used as the mode of transportation. This results in a total of 6,8 million flying Dutch leisure PAX.

Luxury oriented travelers

Through a segmentation analysis done by the Dutch research and branding committee NBTC-NIPO, it was found that 12 % of the Dutch leisure travelers can be seen as luxury and service oriented (NBTC-NIPO, 2008). This would mean that when looking at the total Dutch flying leisure PAX market, 816.000 PAX can be considered to fit with the luxury orientated customer segment.

Odd-size heroes

Whilst no exact PAX traveling with odd-size data is available, the numbers on odd-size luggage handled at Schiphol airport is. Tabel x.x. shows what type and the amount of odd size luggage that is being shipped. These numbers were supplied by a representative of Amsterdam (PASSME, 2017A). As can be seen in table x.x., a total of 36.400 pieces of odd-size luggage were handled by Schiphol airport. Of these 36.400, only 9.464 are sporting equipment related. Even though these numbers only represent the pieces of odd-size handled by Schiphol air-port, it is assumed that the overall number of odd-sized pieces of luggage han-dled within the Dutch aviation sector isn't much larger. This assumptions is made due to the fact that Schiphol transports the most PAX of all the airports located within the Netherlands.

A reason for the low amount of odd-sized luggage might be that most PAX stil choose the car as their mode of transportation when they go on holiday. This is further confirmed by the following quote:

'Not all of our customers actually fly, a lot will take the car. You will be surprised how many Dutch people use the car as their mode of transportation. The reason why they still like to make use of our service is because this way they don't have to travel with a Ski-box on top of their car or overpack the interior. It makes their overall journey more comfortable' (de Laaf, Travel Light, 2017)

Families traveling with young children

Through a national enquiry performed by the popular airline ticket booking site 'Cheaptickets.nl', it was found that 21% of the families with children up to 12 years old, had chosen to fly their holiday destination within 2013 (Cheaptickets, 2013). Due to the fact that no other data can be found on

the current percentage of Dutch flying families, it is assumed that this number has remained the same.

Tabel x.x. Shows that in 2016 there were a total of 1.479.040 households within the Netherlands who had children up to the age of 12. When applying the per-centage of flying families with the Netherlands a total of 310.598 households supposedly have traveled by plane to their holiday destination. Seeing as the average number of people per household in the Netherlands is 2.2, this total cus-tomer segment would consists of 683.316 persons.

Business travelers

Research performed by NBTC-NIPO shows that a total of 4.7 million foreign business trips were partaken by Dutch business travelers. Flight as a mode of transportation was used for 50% of the total foreign business trips, resulting in a total market size of 2.35 million PAX. The average Dutch business trip last 3 days. Based on the findings from the context mapping session, this would imply that the chances of this target group bringing check-in luggage is slim.

'If I have to travel with both check-in as carry-on luggage, I would make sure that I pack clothing and other items in my carry-on that allow me to live normally for 3 days. So you could say that I am planning ahead for the possibility of my luggage being lost.' (RB, quote 1765)

'90% of my flights within Europe are business and I always travel with carry on because I find it really annoying to wait on anything. I think it is a waste of time, especially when I am on a business trip.' (JV, quote 872)

Elderly travelers

Facts & figures presented by Schiphol show that 13% of all departing leisure PAX are 60 years or older (Schiphol, 2015). Even though this percentage is an average of all leisure PAX and not merely Dutch leisure PAX, this percentage is used within this analysis due to lack of more reliable data. Thereby, this would translate into a total market size of 884.000 elderly PAX.

Sales cyclicity

Sales cyclicity entails the amount or repurchases a certain products offers. In this specific situation that would translate to the amount of times each customer segment flies per year. Besides, the flight frequency, the chances of bringing check-in luggage has also been included. Below the sales cyclicity potential of each chosen customer segment will be briefly discussed.

Luxury oriented travelers

The segmentation research performed by NBTC-NIPO has found that the more Luxury orientated PAX travel around 5 times per year. Where, 2 trips are usually long and 3 trips are shorter like for instance city trips. This would imply that the sales cyclicity of luxury orientated pax is high in comparison to the Dutch population. Research performed by National Institute for Budget information (NIBUD) shows that only



4% of the Dutch population goes on holiday for more than 3 times a year.

However, as short trips are no longer than 3 days, it assumed that the likelihood of bringing check-in luggage is small. This assumption is further supported by the following quotes, supplied by participants of the context mapping session.

'I mostly travel with carry-on luggage, either some sort of duffle bag or I borrow someone's carry-on trolley. The reason why I travel most with this type of lug-gage is because I mostly travel for short periods of time, city trips and short hol-idays' (SB, quote 1564)

Therefore, the sales cyclicity of this customer segment has been labeled as average.

Odd-size heroes

No exact data could be found on the cyclicity of this specific customer segment. However, based on the fact that most odd-sized luggage sporting equipment. such as skis and snowboards, are used during a specific season it is assumed that the cyclicity is low. This assumption is also based on the overall low amount of odd-sized that is handled by Schiphol.

Families traveling with young children

Research performed by the Dutch Central Bureau of Statistics (CBS), showed that on average households where the youngest child is aged between 0-5, go on 2 short and 1.9 long trips per year. In households with the youngest child be-tween 6-13, the average dropped to 1.7 short and 1.8 long trips per year. Fur-thermore, this target segment almost always brings check-in luggage, due to the amount of luggage needed.

'We like to travel with two large check in trolleys because they are easy to roll around, and we can fit everything we need in them for our entire family. I would prefer to just travel with a small carry-on trolley, but that is not realistic.' (SP, quote 1991)

Even though it seems as if this customer segment has an average cyclicity, it was found that 40% of families travel by car to their holiday destination (Stena Line, 2015). That the car is a more viable mode of transportation is further con-firmed by the participants who participated within the context mapping sessions. As can be seen in the following quotes:

'I travel once or twice a year, that is mostly due to the kids and due to the fact that we are quite constrained from a financial point of view. And if we travel I think that 7 out of 10 times we would grab the car. We visit family in Denmark with the car and long weekends trips to other cities we would also just drive.' (AS, quote 164)

Therefore, the cyclicity is labeled as low for this customer segment.

Business travelers

Schiphol airport found that business travelers have an average flying frequency of 7.1 times per year (Schiphol, 2015). Furthermore, NBTC-NIPO found that the there is an increase in the amount of business trips that are taken by the Dutch workforce. Initially this would imply that the sales cyclicity of this group is high.

However, Eurostat data shows that 74% of the business trips undertaken by the European citizens are between 1 and 3 days long (Eurostat, 2017). This would imply that on average 1.9 trips would be longer than 4 days. Therefore, the likelihood of this target segment needing to bring checkin luggage seems rather small. Furthermore, the participants within the context mapping sessions showed carry-on luggage is the preferred type of luggage. As can be seen by the following quotes:

'90% of my flights within Europe are business and I always travel with carry on because I find it really annoying to wait on anything. I think it is a waste of time, especially when I am on a business trip.' (JV, quote 872)

'I prefer to travel with my Rimowa carry-on trolley. It is the ideal trolley. It is big enough for short travels and saves me a lot of time. No waiting at the check-in and no risk of losing it' (RB, quote 1755)

Therefore, the sales cyclicity has been labeled as average.

Elderly travelers

In general elderly travelers travel more often on average when compared to the general Dutch population (NIBTC-NIPO, 2017B). Dutch leisure travelers aged from 65 to 75 take 2 short trips and 2.4 long trips on average per year (CBS, 2017B). Travelers aged 75 and up take 1.8 short trips and 2.0 long trips per year. In contrast to other customer segments it was found that this customer segment often shares 1 piece of check-in luggage even for shorts trips. This was also found by Delft University alumnus Eero Ervast (2017) and further proven by the participating couple within the context mapping sessions discussed in chapter 6.

'When we travel for longer periods of time, let's say 2-3 weeks, we both carry a large samsonite suitcase. But if we would only go for a short trip,4-7 days, we would choose for a smaller check-in trolley. I always need to bring check in luggage, I just need the extra kg's.' (SS, quote 1133)

Therefore, the sales cyclicity of this customer segment is seen as high.



Seamless Luggage Experience



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As part of my graduation project I have created this sensitizing booklet. This booklet contains a series of small assignments for you to complete concerning travel and luggage experience. I want to improve the the travel experience of passengers who

I would like to emphasize that no answer is wrong and that you can complete the assignments in the way you prefer the most (dutch, english, written or drawn). All provided answers will be handled confidentially and will only be used for academic purposes.

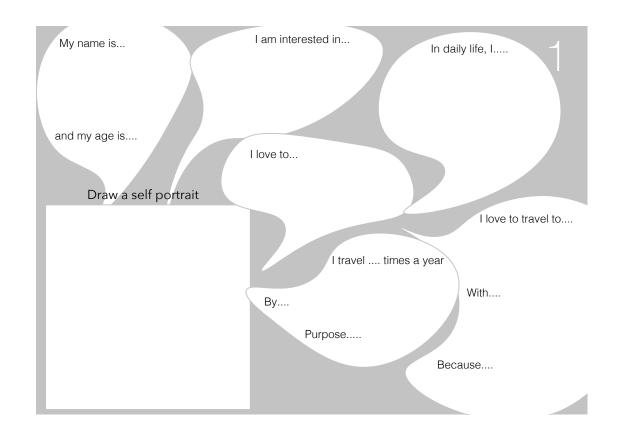
The individual assignments are explained on the numbered activity cards. Please complete them in sequence. Completing the booklet should take approximately 40 minutes. If you want to complete the booklet in two sittings, please stop after assignment 4. If something is unclear or you have a question please call me (0641114320).

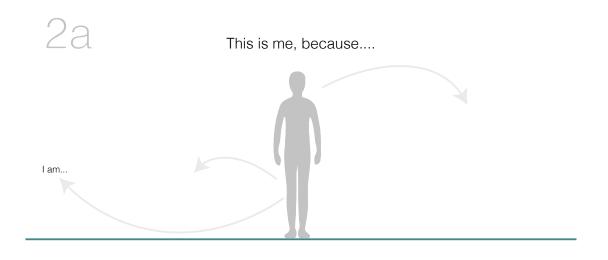
Thank you very much for your participation and enjoy

Kind regards

Julius







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	B: I mos	st prefer to travel w	vith this type of	luggage because	 			
	C: I hav	re had the worst ex	perience with	because	 			

Mind map

3b





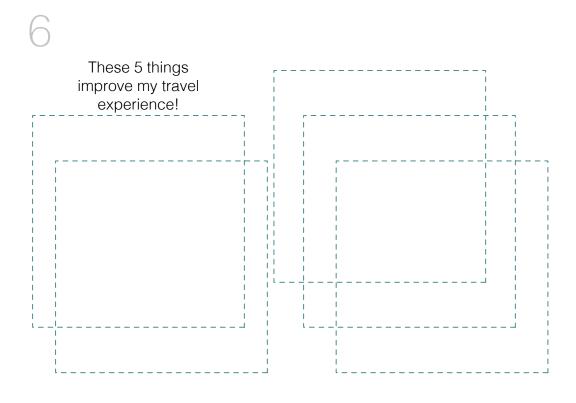
4a Who did you travel with?	What was the purpose of your trip?
C In what did you pack? Odd-size	What did you pack? Carry on Check-in Luggage Luggage



5 My journey...







 My perfect trip with check-in luggage?	/



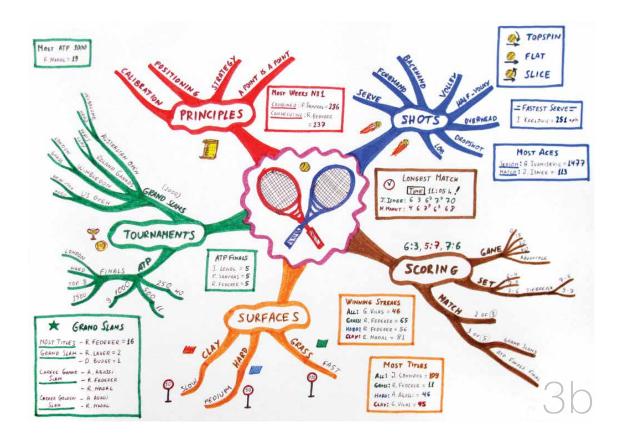
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Please answer the questions listed in the speech bubbles and draw a quick self portrait on the post-it note.	How would you describe yourself as a person? Feel free to write or draw anything that comes to mind. For inspiration I have included a list of personal characteristics within the envelope marked 2A. Mark the three most characteristical things about yourself with a green dot sticker.	How does having these specific characteristics translate into your travel habits? Which actions do you perform because of this or which services do you use? What kind of traveller would you describe yourself as?	Please write 5 examples of things, activities, services, facilities etc. that improves your travel experience when traveling.
3b	. 3a	4a-b	4c-d
Please make a mind map of about the topic of travelling with check-in luggage based on your own experiences. What are your experiences, feelings and associations with travelling with check-in luggage?	Please stick a green dot sticker on the type of luggage you travel most and answer question A: Please stick a yellow dot sticker on the type of luggage you most prefer to travel with and answer question B: Please stick the red sticker on the type of luggage you have had the least pleasant travel experience and answer question C:	Think of the last time you travelled with check-in luggage. Please respond to the following questions. Feel free to write or/and draw on the post-it notes. A: Who did you travel with? And from where to where? B: What was the purpose of your trip? Which activities did you want to do or which goals did you want to achieve?	C: With what kind of bag or suitcase did you travel? (e.g. only suitcases, combination of suitcases and backpack/ handbag or carry on trolley, odd-size luggage such as golf bags or ski's etc.) Please mark the type of bag and/or draw it on the post -it. D:Write down a list of items you packed in both your carry on luggage as well as your check-in luggage.

5	5a	5b	7	1
In assignment 5 you are presented with a timeline in which different phases of a journey are described. From the moment of thinking about your journey (researching) to actually taking all the necessary steps and arriving at your final destination. I would like to ask you to think about your last trip you travelled with check-in luggage and complete the tasks described on sequence cards 5a and 5b.	Describe your activities on the timeline for each of the different phases of your journey. Try to think about what you did, what you experienced and how you felt about it.	Mark the activities you experienced as positive and negative using the green and red dots.	How would you imagine your ideal journey to your final destination when travelling with check-in luggage in the future? (everything is possible, nothing is too crazy, there are no wrong answers)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·



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Earnest	Independent	Polite	Truthful



Interview guide sensitizing booklets

1

Please introduce yourself and tell me a bit about the answers you have given.

2A

- Please describe the chosen characteristics that you have chosen.
- Why do these characteristics embody who you are?
- How does this show in your daily life?

2B

- Please explain what kind of traveller you are?
- Why do you see yourself as this kind of traveller?
- What kind of services do you use because of this?
- What kind of travel or preparation habits do you have because of this?
- Do you think other travellers can relate to your characteristics? (are there similar travellers in comparison to you)
- Would you like to be a different type of traveller?
- How would you achieve this?

ЗА

- Please explain why you choose to travel with this kind of luggage.
- What is your most preferred luggage and why?
- What would be your ultimate luggage experience?
- What was your worst experience concerning luggage?
- How did this experience influence your overall journey?
- Has the type of luggage you own ever influenced the goal that you wanted to achieve?

3B

- Could you please present your mind map?
- How come you have this..... association with check in luggage?
- Do you think that other travellers would have different associations about check-in luggage?



4A + B

- Could you please describe the trip that you have chosen to use for this exercise?
- From where to where, with whom, what did you want to do or achieve during this trip. Purpose?
- How was your luggage going to contribute to achieving this goal or experience?
- What kind of luggage did your travel partner bring?
- Did this affect you in anyway?
- How did this make you feel?

4C + D

- What kind of baggage did you pack?
- Why did you choose to use this type of combination?
- Do you posses other baggage items?
- What kind of luggage did you pack in what kind of baggage?
- Why did you choose to pack those items in those kind of baggage options.
- What items do you find most essential and do you want to have within arms reach during the entirety of your journey?
- Which items could you do without for a couple of days?
- Why? Or Why not?

5A + B + C

- Please describe your journey?
- Which trip did you use as input?
- How often do you experience this journey?
- How did you orientate yourself for this journey?
- Which channels did you use?
- What did you experience?
- How did this make you feel?
- Which actions did you take to prepare yourself for this trip?
- Did you solely have to prepare for yourself?
- How many days before departure did you start to prepare?
- Did you make use of any services to prepare for this journey? What kind?
- What did you experience?
- How did this make you feel?
- How would you ideally prepare for travelling?
- How do you travel to the airport?



- Do you make use of any service?
- How does this make you feel?
- Is there something that you would like differently?
- Which actions did you perform when you arrived at the airport?
- Did you experience discomfort during/....?
- How would you like to see this in the future?
- How do you experience it now?
- Do you ever think about your luggage when you are on the airport?
- What kind of luggage needs do you have during your flight?
- How do you experience bringing your luggage onboard?
- How does this make you feel?
- How would you like to see this?
- Is it necessary for you to bring this type of luggage onboard?
- Which actions did you perform when you arrived your destination at the airport?
- Did you experience discomfort during/....?
- How would you like to see this in the future?
- How do you experience it now?
- How do you travel from the airport to your final destination?
- What is your final destination?
- Do you make use of any service?
- How does this make you feel?
- Is there something that you would like differently?
- Do you always directly go to your final destination?
- What would you like to do instead of heading to your final destination?
- Prepare for return journey? Anything different?
- Things that stress you out or that you enjoy?

6

- Which 5 services have you chosen?
- How do these improve you journey?
- Are these purpose related?
- What are you trying to prevent by using these services?
- How do these services or things make you feel?
- How did you find out about these things? Through experience or through?
- Is this typical for you, or do you think that other people can relate to this?



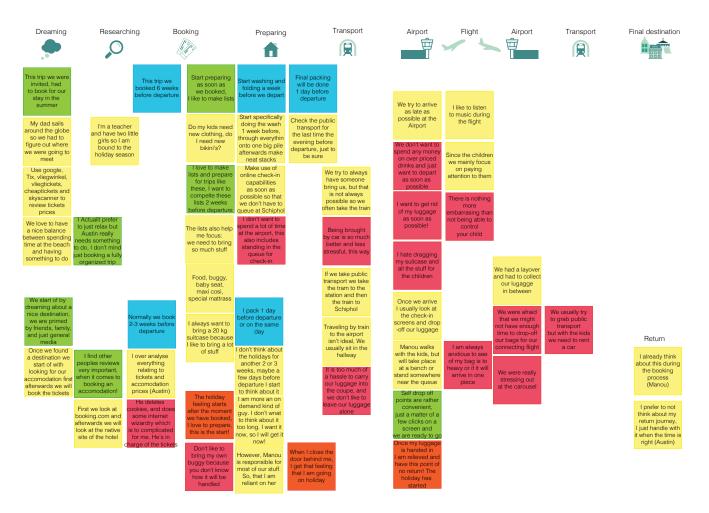
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- Please describe your perfect journey with check in luggage.
- How does this differ from your current journey.
- Does this apply to all your journeys or just for ones with a specific purpose?
- Which aspects do you find most appealing or most relevant.
- If it was possible to create this journey, would you be willing to pay extra for it?
- If yes, how much would you be willing to pay for it?
- Why this amount? Is there a certain reason behind it?
- Have you thought about it from this perspective?
- Why are you not willing to pay for it?

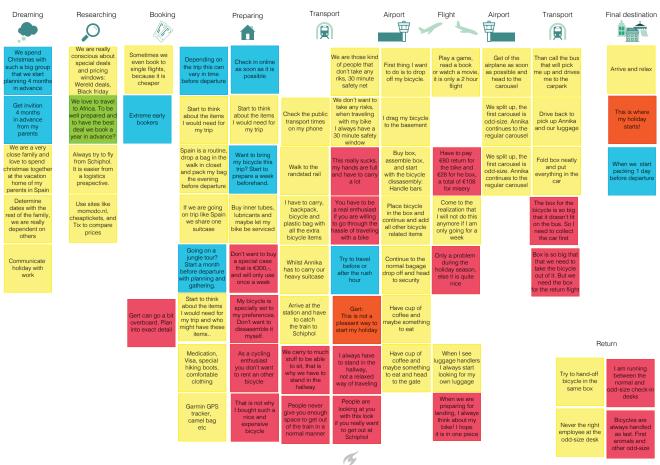
Introduce baggage service idea?

- How would you feel about a door-to-door luggage service?
- How much would you be willing to pay for it?
- Why this amount?
- Why not?
- How do you think would be interested in such a service?
- Image you would use such a service what would be the ideal place to pick up your luggage?
- And second favorite spot?
- Any recommendations?

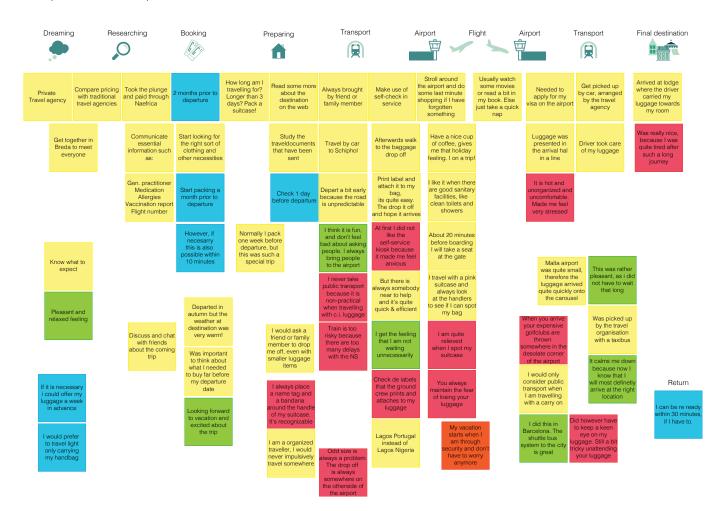




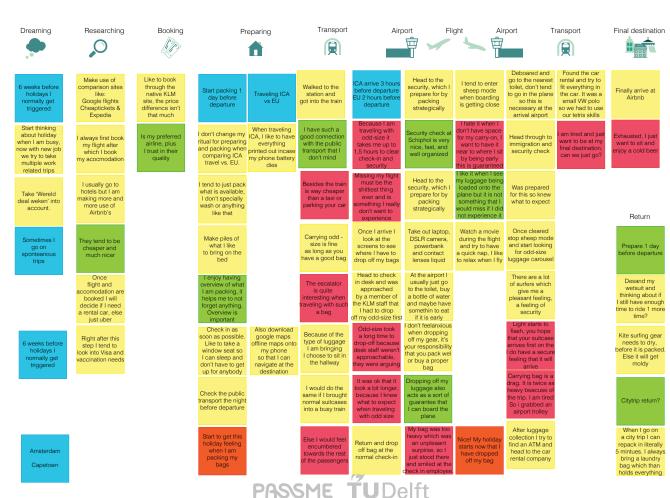
Participants A&M: Odd-size heroes

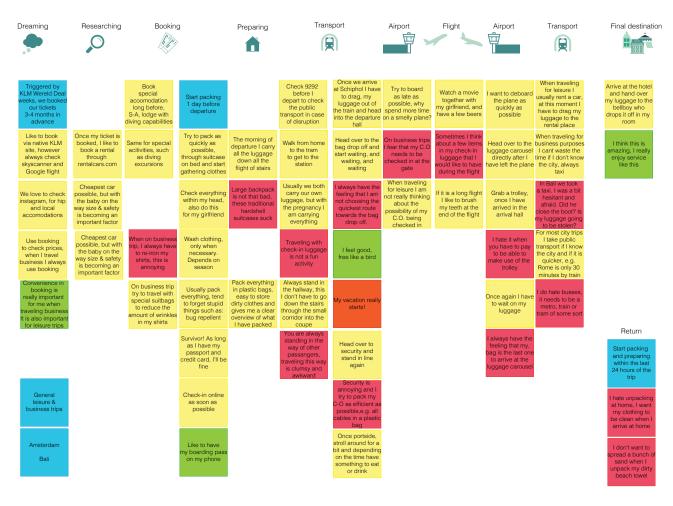


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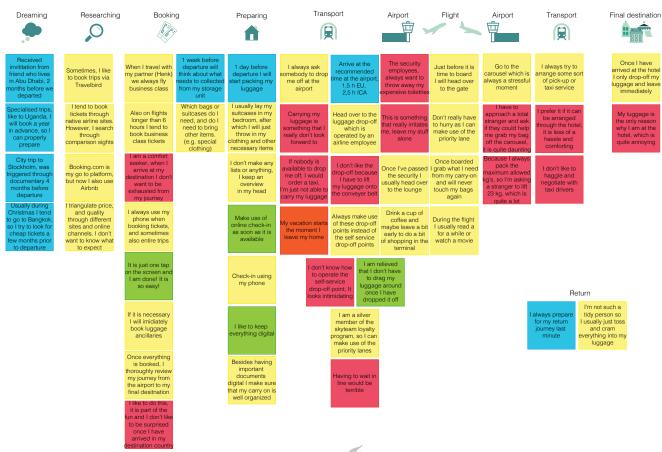


Participant MH: Odd-size heroes

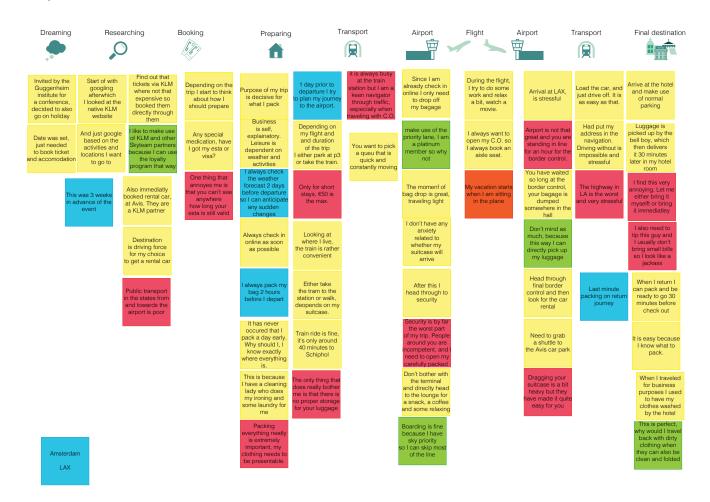




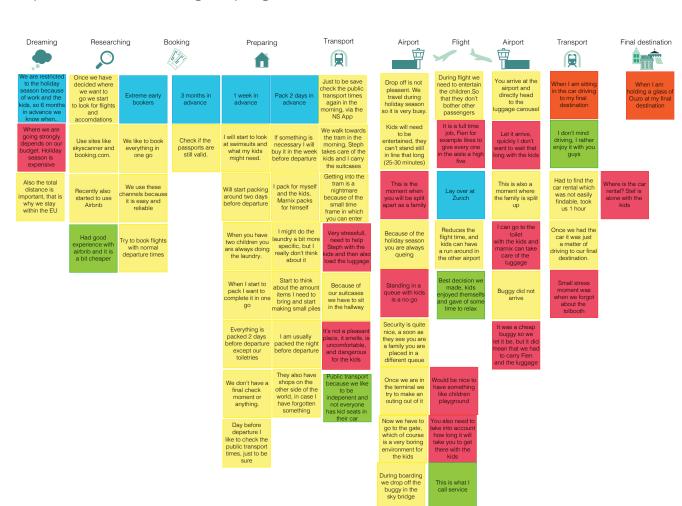
Participant MM: Luxury traveler



Participant RB: Business PAX



Participants S&M: Families traveling with young children



Dreaming	Researchin	ng Boo	oking	Preparing	Т	ransport	Airport	Flight	Airport	Transport	Final destination
Usually triggered about 1,5 months before departure			Start arranging visa and all other necessary travel documents exchange some money as well	a week before	Once it is possible Nico checks us both in and prints the tickets	,	Try to arrive not to early, just so that we have enough time to do the things that we like!	On long flights we tend to take sleep medication, else we listen to music and read a bit	First head to the the toilet once we have deboarded the plane	Depending on the trip we either arrange a pick-up or make use of the public transport	This time we stayed at our friends place, but else we either book a hotel or a large villa
We were invited by a good friend to come visit	Start looking for deals on comparison sites, I always use my phone. It is way easier.	I always read the reviews, I think that this is very important and it helps me make up my mind		Start of by first thinking about what we need to bring and then start to make a lis what to pack and what to buy	by train to the airport.		Head over to the luggage drop and fit a place to sit	I never think about my luggage during the journey	After this Nico will position himkself at the luggage carousel and I'll take a seat somewhere	Depending on the trip we either arrange a pick-up or make use of the public transport	
	Sites I use are: Cheaptickets, Flybird, Skyscanner etc.	Nic respons the bo proces reading small	sible for poking ss and g all the	Usually we have everything, but from time to time I will buy a travel guide book or magazine	Normally we ask		I can't stand in lines that long anymore. I have an artificial knee joint so I'm always screwed	However, it is fun to see your luggage on the tarmac at smaller and simpler airports	I don't feel any anxiety about whether my luggage will arrive	We don't take taxi's anymore, because we have had so many bad experiences! Scammers!	
	This is were the fun starts! Planning is part of the holiday!	all the and it m feel a bit	n to read details, lakes me insecure	I'll put the suitcases in the extra room we have and grab my packing checklist	The train is perfect. Look at where you get off!	starts!	Once this is done we head over to security You always have			Prefer to be picked up when I have traveled for a long time	
	I want to fly with a well known brand	lugg ancil becau necessa	ays book page llaries use it is ary. It still sonable	I pack both our suitcases. I like us both to look when we stroll down the boulevard at nigh	My health is not that great so Nico carries all the luggage during our journey	o e	to wait and I always get frisked. Last time they had their hands in my pants. Hello, Privacy please!			However, I don't want to burden anyone with picking us up	
	Flight arrival and departures are driving for our choice			Once packed, I check the list one more time and let Nico weight the suitcases	Sometimes we si in the hallway, depends on the time we depart. (Rush hour)		The security is always a chaotic mess				Return
Amsterdam Toronto		We are adventurous people, everything will turn out all			Who cares, I am going on holiday, I have got somethin to look forward to		Through security, we might have something to drink or do a bit of shopping				Start preparing and packing on a slow pace the day before departure
Amsterdam Spain	When we go to Spain we usually make arrangements 1 year in advance	Last time we arranged everything 2-3 weeks before we departed	Make use of cave costa blanca rental site, or just arrange it there on the spot for the next year	We usually drive to Spain, so I will pack everything we need like food and other items in crates	Inform our neighbours that we are leaving and that they need to take care of our post	Order an add. phone package from T-mobile. Want to chat and watch Dutch TV	We always go to the casino at the airport. Just for a few small bets	It is so exhilarating			is also nice. We are fortunate that we live in the Netherlands

Interviewer: Julius Blaauw

Participant: Manou Schulte

Participant: Austin Schulte

Question 1:

P-AS: I love to play tennis, travel and have fun with friends. When I travel I like to see the world, and not just lay on a beach. Cultural and active trips are the best, an example of such a trip is when I traveled to my dad who owns a sailboat and sailed over the caribbean.

P-AS: I travel once or twice a year, that is mostly due to the kids and due to the fact that we are quite constrained from a that we are quite constrained from a financial point of view. And if we travel I think that 7 out of 10 times we would grab the car. We visit family in Denmark with the car and long weekends trips to other cities we would also just drive

P-MS: Traveling by plane with the kids is just so expensive. All the extra's you have to purchase and having to buy a full ticket for infants.

P-MS: When we travel with the plane we always have to carry so much stuff! It really is a hassle. Bringing the buggy along and all the other necessities. When we travel with the car it is just easier to bring everything we need.

P-MS: We need to bring a buggy, special food, chairs, maxi cosi, a good bed. Sometimes the hotel will have a few of these items but it is nice to bring your own stuff and know that it will work.

P-MS: There are these special bags for

159 Fun with friends

162. Sailing caribbean with dad

163. Travel twice a year 164. Restricted by the kids 165. Constraint money

166. Mostly by car

167. Flying with kids is expensive

168. Buying ancillaries 169. Full ticket

170. Carry so much luggage 171. Real hassle

171. Real flassie172. Traveling by car is easier173. Bring everything we need

174. Baby items and necessities 175. Hotel has facilities 176. Prefer own items

best are patient, I am really patient both at home or at my work. I am very organized, I like to make lists and check off to do's. And I am a hardworker, I want to do a good job and not just deliver the bare minimum.

P-MS: I need to know what I can expect. I r-ms. I need to Know what I can expect. I want to have my entire tilnerary figured out before I depart, so that I don't encounter any surprises. I also like to travel with someone. So I would describe myself as a well organized traveler.

P-MS: I don't like to leave and not know beforehand where we are going to sleep. When we book our tickets I also like mmediately book our accommodation. I want to have everything arranged at once. Especially with the kids now, I want to have everything arranged.

P-MS: I like to travel with a large sport bag or duffel bag because I can fit a lot of stuff in it. However, when I travel by plane I like to bring a suitcase. You don't know how people will handle your belongings so having a hard shell suitcase helps protect your belongings better.

P-MS: I always want to travel with check-in luggage, because I like to bring a lot of stuff.I always pack additional spare clothes, so I don't have to buy anything there. So when we fly, we fly far away. But if we would go on a weekend city trip, I would just take carry-on. I do mind in that case that I can't bring all my toiletries.

P-MS: My worst experience is actually traveling by car with ski's. We had to rent a skibox that you can attach to the roof of your car, but our car didn't have specia fitting on which the box could rest. So it was 197. Patient at work and home 198. Organized, make to do lists 199. Hard-worker

200. Know what to expect 201. Itinerary planned 202. Encounter no surprises 203. Like to travel together 204. Well organized traveler

205. Like to have everything arranged beforehand 206. Book accommodation and ticket simultaneously

207. Want to have everything arranged now

208. Sports bag because I can fit a lot ff stuff

209. Suitcase travel by plane for safety

210. Don't trust handlers

211. Always travel with check in luggage

212. Like to bring a lot off stuff

213. Don't want to buy anything there

214. Carry-on for weekend trip

215. Worst experience traveling with ski's

216. Arrange additional fittings car

buggies which you can rent but you still don't know how they will handle your buggy when it is loaded into the plane. It is still not ideal, because you don't have your buggy when you are at the airport, so you are carrying your child all the time.

P-AS: We went to Italy with our oldest daughter when she was a few months old. We had borrowed my dad's SUV, but it was totally packed with luggage that we needed for the baby. It is just not possible to bring all that stuff by plane when you are traveling with a baby.

P-MS: I'm the opposite, I love to chill on the beach and just relax. Also do a few activities but mostly just relax in the sun.

P-AS: I am all-round, creative, loyal, open minded, polite, intuitive I do a lot of things based on my gut feeling, resourceful, adventurous and imaginative. I trust my initial instincts and that also reflects in the kind of traveler that I am. If I need to go to Groningen by car, I would just drive up to the north and look where the roads takes me. Once I really can't find it I would turn on my navigation. I really enjoy this. P-AS: I am all-round, creative, loval, open

P-MS: I have chosen: cheerful, gentle, dependable, careful, happy, patient, organized, disciplined, hard-working, friendly, cooperative I like to work together with other people, and honest.

P-AS: I am an intuitive traveler that does everything based on my instinct. When I drive to Denmark I just drive north, I don't mind taking a 100km detour by mistake, I think it is part of the journey. I kinda like it, I think this is due to my adventurous

179. Need buggy before I leave 180. Carrying child

182. Borrow SUV, big car 183. Totally packed with items needed

184. Not possible to bring everything you

185. I love to chill on the beach during holiday 186. Relax in the sun

187. Intuitive creative and resourceful

188 Trust instincts

189. Just go and see where the road takes

190. Only use navigation when I really can't

191. Organized, hard-working and patient

192. Like to work together

193. Intuitive traveler makes choices based on instinct

194. Just drive

195. Make a 100 km detour 196. Adventurous character

a lot of hassle to be able to even attach the box to the car, let alone packing it.

P-MS: I did have a bad experience once at the airport when the border control wanted to check my bag. The ambiance was quite hostel because I was surrounded by soldiers with automatic rifles and the border control officer was searching through my neatly packed suitcase. It just wasn't a very relaxing experience.

P-AS: I prefer to travel with a sports-bag, because it is light, easy to carry, and it fits a lot of stuff. It can also be used as carry-on luggage if you pack it lightly.

P-AS: I have always used this kind of luggage, just pack it lock it up with a small padlock and go for it. I use the lock because I don't want people to either go through my stuff, or put anything extra in my bag. It is just a precaution I like to take.

P-AS: Worst experience was when I wanted to check in my sports bag and the zipper broke. So I had to seal it on the airport and buy a new bag at the final destination.

main associations: Flexible, manageable, lockable, multiple compartments, and volumes. The reason why I like to travel with a sports bag is because it allows me to be more agile, I just carry it over my shoulder and carry on with my journey. It is also versatile in what it can carry, one size fits all.

P-MS: I think about suitcases, especially when I travel by plane. I am always a bit anxious if my suitcase will arrive, if it is even loaded onto the plane. Is my suitcase not too heavy? I let Austin weigh our

217. Traveling with odd size is a hassle

218. Check bag border control

219 Surrounded soldiers

220. Searching through neatly packed

221. Not relaxing experience

222. Prefer travel with sports bag 223. Easy to carry 224. Fits multiple purposes

225. Always used this type off luggage

226. Lock it with padlock

227. Other people don't put extra things in

228. Worst experience zipper broke

229. Flexible, manageable, lockable multiple compartments, volumes

230. Be agile 231. Carry over my shoulder 232. One size fits all

232. Anxious 234. Will it be loaded



suitcases at home so we don't experience any surprises when we arrive at the airport. I also am a bit anxious about the fact if my suitcase will be in one piece and if nothing is stolen. I like it when I have dropped of my suitcase so I don't have to drag it through the airport. And the last association is, how long do I have to wait for my suitcase when I arrive at the pickup carousel.

P-MS: We both described the trip to from Amsterdam to St.Vincent and the Grenadines. Was quite an elaborate trip because we had to fly to barbados, get on a waterplane there to St.Vincent and Grenadines and then step onto a boat and sailed to Trinidad and Tobago.

P-MS: I traveled with a backpack and a suitcase, which wasn't ideal for on a boat. However, I feel much more secure when I travel by plane to check in a sturdy suitcase than a soft sports bag. I also have the feeling that it is less easy to steal belongings from a hardshell suitcase than a soft canvas sports bag.

P-MS: In my carry-on I basically packed my P-Ms: In my carry-on I basically packed m wallet, Phone, keys, magazine, food, water tickets and passports. In my suitcase I packed, clothing, shoes, tolletries, coffee cups for my dad, and dutch food like chocolate sprinkles and peanut butter.

P-AS: I choose the same trin. The only using that is different that I packed in m carry-on is camera with lenses, headse lood, and chargers. The rest is just the usual like passports and important travidocuments.

P-AS: Things that I mostly find essential are things which I can entertain myself with The rest I just bring for safe keeping.

237. Don't experience any surprises

238. Anxious about stolen
239. Anxious about the state off suitcase

240. Like it when dropped off 241. Don't have to drop off

242. How long do I have to wait

243. Amsterdam to St. Vincent and

244. Elaborate trip

245. Get on water plane 246. Get on boat

247. Backpack and suitcase 248. Suitcase wasn't ideal

249. Feel secure about sturdiness suitcase

250. Less easy to steal

251. Toiletries in suitcase

P-MS: My toiletries are something that I really need before I depart, even though I always buy new toiletries before I depart. I don't bring half a bottle of shampoo or lotion. I could miss my luggage for a while, but it is nice to have your toiletries with you. My clothing I could miss for a longer period of time. I guess a week, don't know why I should. myself with 253. For safe keeping

Question 5:

Research & Book:

P-MS: My dad invited us and due to my job IP-MS: My dad invited us and due to my job we had to go during the summer holiday. Because he was on a boat, we had to do quite a bit of research to figure out which destination was possible for him to sail to and what would be cheapest destination for us to travel to.

P-MS: When we go on a more normal trip, we try to book tickets and accommodation simultaneously. Because I am a teacher, I stuck with certain dates that I can go on holiday. When try to figure out what we really want to do, we start of with a really broad perspective. Do we want to go to the beach? Do we want to travel to multiple cities? Are we going camping? It takes a while for us to decide what to do because Austin has difficulty with making up his Austin nas dimicurity with making up his mind. That is why we book not too long before we depart. I would say something like 2 or 3 weeks before we depart. The longest would be 6 weeks but that would be an exception.

P-MS: We just use google and from ther you are automatically redirected to sites cheaptickets or vilegwinkel.nl. But we do like to book our accommodation through the same site.

P-AS: However, we do like to double check the accommodation. Read reviews, look at

252. Essential things that I can entertain

255. Always buy new toiletries before I

depart 256. Don't bring half a bottle off shampoo

Could miss luggage for a while
 Nice to have toiletries with you

259. Clothing I could miss for a week

260. Dad invited 261. Due to job summer holiday

262. Cheapest destination to trave

263. Book ticket and accommodation imultaneously

264. Stuck to certain dates

265. Broad perspective what we want

266. Difficulty making up mind

267. Book not too long before departure

268, 2 or 3 weeks before departure 269. Longest would be 6 weeks

270. Redirected to sites like cheaptickets

the original site of the hotel. Stuff like that, just to be sure that we do have a good accommodation and don't pay too much.

P-MS: I love to book package deal because I have the security that I both have my accommodation and trip arranged. It off course depends on what kind of holiday you are going on. If you want to see a lot of stuff it might not be the best option, but if you just want to chill it might be better. I went to a resort with my mom and my daughter once, I thought it was great. It also includes a shuttle from the airport to the hotel, so you are really taken care off. They unburden you of all these different actions you have to do. I don't like it when I arrive to have to arrange transport or look for the car rental. I love it when everything is taken care off.

P-AS: I would never do that because I don't eniov trips like that

P-MS: We are triggered by the destination, if something looks nice and we decide to to first book our tickets and then our accomodation, we then start to look what we are going to do over there

P-MS: I hate to book tickets because it is never clear what the cheapest option is. I never clear what the cheapest option is. I also find it confusing with the whole deleting of your cookies and stuff like that. I just want to have it clear from the beginning so that I can book more easily and more self assured. That is why I let Austin book

P-AS: Planning is not my strong suite, I like to live from day to day. The best thing for me would be a flying experience similar to that of getting onto a train. Just arriving at the airport and buying a ticket to Sevilla or

P-AS: The moment when it is possible I will

271. Like to book accommodation through

272. double check accommodation

273. Read reviews 274. Good accommodation and don't pay too much

275. Love package deals 276. Security off both trip and

277. Not the best option if you want to see a

278. Chill with mom and daughter

279. Includes shuttle

280. Really taken care off

281. Don't like to arrange transport on the

281. Love it taken care off

282. Don't enjoy those trips

282. We are triggered by the destination

283. Afterwards look what we are going to do

284. Hate booking tickets 285. Never clear cheapest option

286 Clear from the beginning

287 Partner hook tickets

check in online, .it is just easier and this way I don't have to stand in the queue.

P-MS: Standing in the queue is not the biggest problem for me, I like to have the ability to choose the seat in the airplane. I think that is more important.

Preparing & Packing:

P-MS: The moment that we have booked, will start to prepare immediately. I am excited to go on holiday, which enthuses me to think about what we need to pack and if I need to buy anything new. Make to do lists and start gradually striping things off my list. This is also where the holiday feeling starts.

P-MS: A week before we depart I will gather everything we need and dump it onto one big pile. Gradually through the week, I will start washing and pack the bags once everything is clean.

P-MS: I take care of the laundry and make sure we have the necessary items such as sunscreen and other toiletries but Austin is responsible for his own packing.

P-AS: Once I have booked our holiday my P-AS: Once I have booked our holiday my brain sort of switches off. The day before departure I will realize: Oh I am leaving tomorrow maybe I need to start packing. I just grab everything that I need, a few T-shirts, underwear, shorts, and just throw it in my bag, But one thing that I always do is pack one extra set of clothes, let's say I am gone for 5 days, I make sure that I have enough for 6. You never know what might happen.

P-MS: My packing ritual is very different. I first start with thinking about what I want to bring, then I collect all the things and lay them out on the bed. After this I start to compare the double items and make a

288. Planning not strong suite 289. Live day to day

291. Check in online easier and don't have to stand in the queue

292. Ability to choose seat

293. Prepare Immediately

294. Think about what need to pack

297. Week before I will collect clothes

298. Gradually start washing

299. Pack once clean

300. In charge off the laundry and necessities 301. Responsible for the kids

302. Brains switch off after booking

303. Day before booking realize 304. Grab a few things

305. Always bring an extra set off clothes



decision which item I want to bring or if I need to buy anything new. Nonetheless, I always bring to much stuff with me.

P-AS: My holiday feeling starts when I start traveling. So, the moment I step through my front door and lock it. I must say if I go on holiday by car than I would especially have this holiday feeling when I cross the border.

P-MS: There is a massive difference when you travel with kids or without them.

Normally I really enjoy packing and preparing but with kids there is just so much to pack and to think about that it can be a quite stressful experience

P-MS: When we would travel with the kids by plane I would most definitely not take the by plane I would most deninitely not take Im-public transport because we have to bring so much luggage and additional items. It would be too much. The toys and all the additional food and drinks, it would be too much to carry. I also need to take care of my children during the journey.

P-MS: I prefer it if somebody could just bring us to the airport, gives me a more pleasant feeling and is less stressful. This trip however, we had to go by train which I just find a bit of a hassle. First I need to take the train than afterwards take train. You are carrying heavy bags, so it just isn't neesant.

P-MS: The moment when I have dropped of my bag is a relief. You don't have to worry about whether or not you have forgotten anything in the train or in the car or anything like that.

P-AS: I like to travel with public transport. The connection is quite good, and normally I have my sports bag but this time we had a suitcase which is less nice to carry.

306. Never know what can happen

307. Collect everything I want to bring

308. Lay on the bed 309. Compare double items

310. Do I need to buy anything new

311. Always bring too much

312. Holiday starts when I close the door.

313. Especially when I cross the border

314. Big difference when you travel with kids

315. Normally enjoy packing and prepping

316. So much to pack can be stressful

317. Not take the public transport with kids

318. Would be too much too carry

319. Would also take care of my children during journey

320 Prefer to be brought

321. Brought gives pleasant feeling and less

322. Public transport isn't pleasant

323. Bag drop off is a relieve

P-MS: My dad was waiting for us there with a taxi and we traveled from there to the marina, where we had to get into one of those small dinghies and sail to the boat.

P-AS: In this situation it would have been better to have just a sports bag because it fits everywhere. A hardshell suitcase isn't ideal to travel with on a boat.

P-MS: On different journeys we either take public transport or have a shuttle bus arranged to pick me up. In case of the latter, I still need to wait at the carousel, collect my own bag and load it onto the bus, it is not ideal but doable.

Final Journey:

Return journey:

P-MS: I think about before we depart, just to be sure I know at what time I fly ba and know where I am supposed to be, how I am going to bring everything back home, do I need an extra bag, or leave some spare kg's? However, once I am at my final destination I try to postpone thinking about my return journey as long as possible.

P-MS: I try to postpone repacking as long as possible, so let's say till the evening before departure.

Luggage thoughts:

P-MS: I never think about my luggage during my journey once it has been checked in.

P-MS: The five things that I have chosen are: No queues, good and friendly service

340. Will suitcase arrive 341. Consumes time 342. People waiting

343. Relax just wait

344. Travel with taxi with dad

345. Get on small boat

346. Better to have sports bag

347. Hard shell case isn't ideal for travel

348. Take PT or shuttle bus

349. Still have to wait for my luggage at

350. Carousel not ideal

351. Think about return before departure

352. How going to bring everything back

353. Postpone thinking about it

354. Start packing the evening before

P-AS: When we enter the train we sit in the P-AS: When we enter the train we can hallway because we are carrying a suitcase. It isn't pleasant to have to carry it down the stairs into the coupe where we can't store it anyway

Schiphol Baggage Drop off

P-AS: We try to arrive the time that is recommended by the airline. Not a minute more.

P-MS: There just isn't a whole lot to do and I don't want to spend my money on the airport but at my final destination.

P-MS: I want to drop off my bag as quickly as possible, just get it over with and head through to security.

Schiphol airport

P-MS: Maybe have a quick drink but we normally just want to depart as quickly as possible.

P-AS: Have quick read, listen to some music. Nothing much actually.

Arrival:

P-MS: Want to get off the airport as quickly as possible so we sort of run towards the carousel. I am always a bit stressed when I am standing there because you never know if your suitcase will arrive, it always consumes a lot of time, people are waiting to pick you up. There are a lot of thoughts that run through your mind.

P-AS: I am quite relaxed, just wait for your luggage and exit.

Transport:

324. Don't have to worry about forgetting

326. Like traveling with public transport

327. Good connection 328. Suitcase in PT isn't nice

329. Sit in hallway

330. Carry down the stairs

331 Arrive recommended time

332. Not a whole lot to do333. Don't want to spend money334. Spend money at FD

335. Drop off get it over with

336. Quick drink

337. Depart as quickly as possible

338. Runt to the carousel

339. Stressed at the carousel

through every process, shops and restaurant at the airport where I can have a small drink even though I don't like spend a lot of time at the airport, good in flight entertainment, and clear wayfinding so that I can figure out where I need to go.

P-AS: I also choose good in flight P-AS: I also choose good in flight entertainment, something to listen to, flexible and easy to carry luggage, on time departures and no waiting for your luggage at the arrival airport, and finally happy people around who don't bother you in any way. Not smelly or not too loud.

Question 7:

P-AS: The best thing would be like I described before, flying becoming more like grabbing a train. Just arrive ask for a ticket to Sevilla and leave all the planning and responsibility over to them.

P-AS: What I wrote down is that your P-AS: What I wrote down is that your luggage is picked up from home and delivered at your final destination. However I must say that I think that the whole planning aspect of a trip is more annoying than carrying my luggage.

P-MS: I would like to have a fair price for my trip with no delays. I like to check in my luggage so that I don't have to carry it anymore and experience this relieved feeling, grab a coffee, watch a nice movie during the flight, have a some good food on board, deboard and directly grab your suitcase and start to enjoy your holiday.

P-MS: I think it is really important that the service looks and feels reliable. Will my suitcase arrive where it needs to arrive? I would immediately look for online reviews, because I like to read how other people experienced the service. Real experiences,

355. Don't think about luggage during journey

356. No queues 357. Friendly service 359. Restaurant

360. IFF

361. Clear wayfinding

362. IFF

363. Easy to carry luggage 364. No waiting for luggage 365. Happy people

366. Flying becoming more like train rides 367. Just arrive and buy a ticket 368. No planning

369. Luggage is picked up from home

370. Delivered at final destination

371. Planning is most annoying

372. Fair price373. No delays374. No carrying luggage375. Experience relief

376. Directly grab suitcase



APPENDIX H: TRANSCRIPTS PARTICIPANTS

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P-MS: I would really like it actually, because the biggest hassle I experience during traveling, especially with children is having to drag so much luggage around.

P-MS: If I could make use of such a service I would consider flying with the kids more. But still, I need to be able to bring what I want and need.

Po-MS: I would like to pay as little as possible for the service. I think it would be best if it was included in the package. Like I said, we sometimes book package deals so if it would be included in the price I would be more likely to go for it. If I had to book it by itself it would be less likely for me to pay. I would brink to myself don't be such a spoiled luxury queen and just carry your luggage.

P-MS: If it also need to be checked-in I would say as late as possible? Maybe the day before departure. I need the stroller for the little one, which I would like to use as long as possible.

P-MS: If I had to pay extra for the service and would need to hand over my luggage including my stroller a week before departure, I wouldn't be willing to pay for it.

P-MS: My kids don't have the same amount of clothing as I have. And there are a few items of which you don't have spares. For instance a small sleeping bag, sometimes something goes wrong and you need to quickly wash it. If you have to miss those items for a week, it just isn't doable.

P-MS: What could be an option if you send a big bag with the large items beforehand, and carry some smaller items with you in a carry-on. Is this ideal?

377. Feels and looks reliable 378. Look for online reviews

379. Biggest hassle drag luggage

380. consider flying with kids 381. Bring what I want

382. Pay as little as possible

383. Best if included in package price

384. Less likely to pay for it by itself

385. Pick Up as late as possible

386. Need a stroller for the little one

387. A week is too long

389. Kids don't have enough clothing

P-MS: Currently the worst thing is traveling to the airport, so if I could just have someone take care off that would be nice. However, having a full fedged door to door service would be the best. I don't even think it is that expensive, €69 euros.

P-AS: However, when you buy your ticket you need to select these additional services. Do I want to select this in the normal booking flow? I think you should offer it somewhere else.

P-MS: I must say I would trust it more if a large airline than a smaller company. They are an established brand which gives me a more secure feeling.

P-MS: One thing that I don't really like is that I have to wait another week to be able to do my laundry. Normally when we arrive we plan an extra day or two before we have to work so that we can do the wash and take care of everything. I would like to have it back within 2 days.

P-MS: I don't like it when people touch my stuff, so I wouldn't like it if somebody else washes my clothes.

390. Just isn't doable

391. Send large bag beforehand

392. Traveling to airport is the worst

393. Door to door would be best394. €69 is not that expensive

395. Do I want to select this in booking flow

396. Trust it if a large airline would offer it **397.** Established brand

398. Don't like it to have to wait for dirty laundry

399. Plan extra days to do washing

400. Have it back within 2 days

401. Don't like it when people touch my clothes.



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Interviewer: Julius Blaauw I-JB	
Participant: Annika van Scherpenzeel P-AS	
Participant: Gert-Jan van Scherpenzeel P-GS	
I-JB: Well thank you both for participating, I would like to start the interview with discussing the answers you have given in the first assignment on the first page.	
P-GS: Well I am Gert-Jan, I am 30 years old. I am interested in food, kickboxing, photographing wildlife and cycling. In daily life, I work, eat and sleep, I am currently a sales manager. I love to be with friends and travel.	
I-JB: And where do you love to travel too?	
P-GS: I love to travel to Africa and Asia with Annika because I love the wildlife and both continents. I travel around 4 times a year by plane, mainly for leisure purposes.	527. Love travel to Africa & Asia 528. Travel 4 times a year for leisure
I-JB: And you Annika?	
P-AS: I am Annika I'm 29 years old. I am interested in traveling, doing nice things with my family, having dinner with my friends. In daily life, I work, eat and sleep. I currently work as a relocation advisor. I love to spend time with friends, eat, listen to music. I travel twice a year by plane, bus, train. Mainly for leisure and vacation purposes, to visit family. I usually travel with Gert, because it is thu and traveling can be very educative. Learning new cultures!	529. Travel for leisure 530. Traveling can be educative
I-JB: You answered twice a year and you	

P-AS: Yes I do. If you look at logical, I always choose the most logical solutions. Try to be efficient and don't try to make it more difficult than necessary. Good-natured because you need to be able to be a bit flexible in the case something goes wrong, I mean we are not really high-end travelers. You need to be able to see the positive side of a negative situation. Especially when you travel to Africa or Asia. Logical would be more related to the planning aspect of the journey and good-natured more to the experience of the journey itself.	539. Logic comes first 540. Be efficient in traveling 541. Be flexible when something goes wrong 542. Not a high end traveler 543. Keep positive in a bad situation 544. Logical is related to planning aspect of traveling 545. Good natured is experience related
I-JB: Nice to know. But looking at assignment 2B, as what kind of traveler have you described yourself?	
P-AS: I am an easy-going traveler because I like to see what happens. You can plan as much as you like but if you do not know the place it will always be different than planned. You need to be flexible and easy-going otherwise, it will be no fun at all. I mean we like to be as organized as possible before we depart, but in Africa, you are reliant on so many different factors that you can never prepare for everything. If you, for instance, suffer a flat tire or a bag goes missing you need to be able to adjust to the new circumstances.	546. Easy going traveler 547. Something can always happen 548. Just go with it 549. You are reliant on different factors 550. Things you can't prepare for 551. Be able to adjust
I-JB: Clear, and Gert how would you describe yourself? P-GS: I am a fun traveler because I like to go to awesome places and will always find an extreme thing to do and make others laugh. Combining our two personalities usually leads to fun experiences. It is good that one of us is the more sensible one. I-JB: If we continue to the next question could you please describe which luggage combination you most like to travel with, with which combination you most often	552. Fun traveler 553. Visit nice places 554. Experience extreme activities 555. One is more sensible 556. Is good

531. Family home in Europe 532. Mostly intercontinental travel 533. Visit Family
534. Try to have fun 535. Loyal to friends and family
536. Practical traveler 537. Loyal to friends and family 538. Look at the positive side of the situation

I-JB: And you Annika, what is your favorite combination? And with which combination do you travel most often with?	
P-AS: I travel with 2 backpacks, a small one, and a large one. When we travel to far destinations I like to travel with this bag because it can carry a lot of clothing and	564. Dual backpack 565. Fits a lot of stuff
items.	
I-JB: And when we take a look at your worst experience, I see that you both have selected traveling with a bicycle.	
P-AS: Yes	
P-GS: Yes, it quite straight forward actually, it is a major hassle every time! I travel to Spain with my bicycle once a year. In the	566. Traveling with bike is a hassle
Netherlands it is not such an issue, you just have to make sure that you arrive 1 hour earlier at the airport. I don't have one of those	567. Do it once a year 568. Arrive 1 hour earlier
suitcases that cost €300, so I have to buy one of those carton boxes at Schiphol for €28 and check it in at the odd-size counter.	569. Don't have bicycle box 570. Buy cardboard box at airport
I-JB: And what is inside of this box?	
P-GS: Nothing! It is just a regular moving box except that it is made for bicycles. You need to disassemble your pedals, after this, you need to disassemble your handlebars else the bicycle won't fit in the box. One	571. Need to disassemble bicycle
thing that is a bit of an advantage of such a large box, is that there is a lot of space left, once you have packed it. This allows you to pack additional items such as your pump, new tires, tools, shoes, and helmet. Like I	572. Can fit additional stuff inside box
said, in the Netherlands, it is not such an issue. You just need an hour extra at the airport to disassemble your bike.	573. Netherlands is not the problem
I-JB: But how do you travel to the airport?	
P-GS: We usually take the train, so I have to carry my bicycle into the train. Sometimes somebody drives me to the	574. Travel by train
Sometimes somethous unives me to the	orm. I raver by train

travel and with which kind of luggage you have had the worst experience.

P-GS: I travel most with a backpack and a P-GS: I travel most with a backpack and a trolley. Backpack because it is light and when I am at my destination and need to carry things around I at least have something to put it in. The trolley because can fit a lot of items in it and it carries rought 11 d. roughly 10 kg.

I-JB: It is a carry-on trolley?

P-GS: Yes

I-JB: And why do you choose for a carry-on

P-GS: Because a backpack is not ideal to P-05: Because a backpack is not ideal to put your clothes in, and the carry-on suitcase has the allowed dimensions for the overhead bins. So, you can fill the trolley with everything you need without worrying that it is not allowed.

P-AS: And your electronics are also quite heavy, it also offers them a bit more protection.

I-JB: And for what kind of trips do you use this combination on?

P-GS: Mainly for short trips in Europe.

P-AS: You also brought the trolley with you to Africa, just to carry all your electronics in

P-GS: True, but it really destroyed my r-us: Irue, but it really destroyed my suitcase. I had placed it in the boot of the car and the trolley got really dirty. So, if I would bring it again I would have to place it in a different spot in the car. I don't mind if it is one of those 'Staats Loterij' suitcases but if you have an expensive trolley it is quite a waste 557. Backpack is convenient at destination

558. Trolley can fit all my carry-on items

559. Trolley is convenient 560. Sure that it will fit

561. More protection for electronics

563. Or solely to carry electronics

arror. It is not ideal. That much is true. It rather a big nuisance. At Schiphol, there is always somebody at the odd-size counter to accept your bicycle. At this point, you hope that they load it into the plane and hope that they load it into the plane and that it will arrive at your final destination. But when you arrive, because you have a bicycle with you, you need a large car to transport that large box. However, it is so large that it does not fit well and you can't just throw it away because you need the same box for the return journey. I mean this box is massive and it is made from quite thick cardboard so it is hard to transport. Besides, you don't want to damage it because you still need it to properly protect your bicycle for the return journey. If we would be traveling with 4 people it would not be possible to bring along my bicycle. So, if we travel with just the two of us it is possible else not. Except of course if you have a bicycle rack, but you usually don't have these laying around

airnort. It is not ideal. That much is true. It is

I-JB: Sound like quite a hassle

I-JB: Sound like quite a hassle.

P-GS: It is. You need a car because it doesn't fit within the taxibus, you need to disassemble your bike which is not the worst thing, but you can only bring it when we are together, you need to keep the box and you never know how the handle your bike which is worth a couple thousand euro. you hope that it arrives in one piece but you never know. Well, once your holiday is over you need to start preparing for your return journey. You carefully fold the box so that it fits within the car. You can already prep your bike at home, once at the airport you put the bicycle back into the box and seal it up. And in Spain, the odd-size luggage is far less well organized. Because the box is big it does not fit on the standard odd-size luggage station. You are always standing in

575. Hope that they load it onto plane

576. Need a large car to transport box

577. Need to reuse box

578. Only possible when traveling with 2

579. Or you need a bicycle rack

580. Need a car with bike

581. Cannot bring it when traveling with more than 2

582. Anxious that bike arrives in one piece

583. Carefully fold box so can be reused

584. Prep bicycle at home

585. Odd size is awful in Spain

586. Always waiting in line 587. Bicycles aren't priority

line with people who are bringing along dogs and other stuff, and for some reason, they always get preferential treatment and let me stand there. So, at this moment you have to walk back to the check-in desk to ask if they could send another employee to come collect my bicycle and I need to ask this 2 to 3 times I guess. Which results in me walting for at least 1,5 hour before somebody has finally collected my bicycle.

P-AS: Every single time we bring the bicycle along, we are checked in only 30 minutes prior to departure.

P-GS: It makes the journey really

I-JB: Would you say stressful?

P-GS: Not really stressed, well the first time because we were not experienced with this situation and only had 30 minutes left situation and only had 30 minutes left before departure. But if you bring your bicycle, it is one of those things that you have to mentally prepare yourself for: 'Fu I need to wait and have to deal with all that

I-JB: How expensive is it to bring your bike?

P-GS: Transavia charges €40 for a single flight, so €80 return including the box sums up to a total of €108. And renting a bicycle for a week costs around €120, but as a cyclist, you don't want to ride on somebody else his bike but on your own. I think that any enthusiastic cyclist is prepared to pay that price, and there are even people who are willing to pay €300 for a special

I-JB: It must also be very frustrating for you Annika because you are also just standing there waiting in line.

P-AS: Yes, it starts with that you have to

589. Heavily reliable on the correct

590. 1,5 hours extra waiting time

591. Checked in only 30 minutes before

592. Cumbersome journey

593. Experienced with this process, not

594. Mentally prepare yourself

595. Pay €80 for return and €28 for box

596. Renting a bicycle costs €120

597. Bike enthusiast want to ride on his

598. Have to depart early

denart early because of the extra depart early because of the extra necessary time needed to pack the bicycle and it is just annoying that you have to wait so long. If you just have normal luggage you know what to expect. Because we have experienced this so often we know of course what to expect but still, it doesn't make it any better. I mean Gert is running from desk to desk...

P-GS: I almost need to pick a fight to have my bicycle picked up.

P-AS: It just leads to a non-enjoyable flight. Am I going to make my flight? Luckily we have not yet experienced missing our flight back home due to the bicycle but the entire experience is bad and it influences our moods.

I-JB: I can understand. Have you traveled with other odd-sized luggage?

P-GS: With golf bags, but the advantage of P-GS: With golf bags, but the advantage of traveling with golf bags is that they are checked in at odd-size but are loaded onto the normal collection carousel. I am not sure how that works. It was a while back that I traveled with clubs. But there is, of course, a major risk factor that your clubs will break. So, you need to be smart with putting brooms in your bags to protect your drivers.

I-JB: Your parents have multiple sets in Altea?

P-GS: Yes, they own two sets each and in Spain, there are I think about 4 golf sets. So, I never have to bring my own clubs, which is a relieve.

I-JB: Let's continue to the mind map. Could you both please present what you have written?

P-GS: Well I immediately think about the

599. Annoving that you have to wait so much

600. Know what to expect, doesn't make it bette

601. Almost have to pick a fight to be helped

602. Non enjoyable journey experience

603. Bike process is Bad influence on mood

604. Golf bags can be collected at

606. Never bring my own clubs, is a



extra time you need to check-in. You have to think about what you want to put in your check-in luggage. I would for instance never place any kind of electronics in my check-in luggage. I don't trust it. They might open your suitcase and then it is gone. An example is a brother in law of Annika's. He has got one of those sleeping apnea machines. But he lost his suitcase and now his machine is gone, he does not have a spare so he needs to buy a new one. I also think about the amount of kg's that I can bring. If it will arrive, especially if you are going on a trip with multiple destinations. My sister once lost her suitcase and during the entire trip, her suitcase had to follow her. Just halfway through her holiday, she had her own suitcase. It is a genuine fear of mine that this will happen to me once. That is why I always bring a spare set of boxer shorts in my hand luggage and maybe some other clothing. But combine this with all my electronics and my hand luggage become quite heavy.

I-JB: OK, and you An?

P-AS: I have written my thoughts more in

I-JB: That is no problem!

P-AS: The phases that I have described are, preparation, packing, check-in and pick-up. Well, preparation starts off with looking at my luggage and suitcases. Are they still in order and can't 1still use them? What kind of luggage am I going to bring along? Is this going to be a suitcase or is it a big backpack?

I-JB: And what does this choice depend on?

P-AS: Destination, if I know that is is easy to travel with a suitcase than I will bring a trolley and a backpack. But if I am for

607. Extra time for check-in

608. Never pack valuable in check-in 609. Don't trust handlers

610. Amount off kg's 611. Will it arrive 612. Multiple destination trip. hassle

613. Genuine fear to lose suitcase

614. Bring spare underwear

615. Carry on becomes heavy due to distrust

616. Is my luggage good to travel with

617. What type of luggage am I bringing

618. How easy is it to travel at the destination

small kids, which was quite an experience. This was during the Christmas holiday and we went to Cape Verde and Spain. I decided to bring a suitcase and a small carry-on trolley. But last we brought a big check-in trolley suitcase because we had to carry a lot of Christmas presents. This suitcase was more suited because it offered better protection.

I-JB: And which journey did you choose Annika?

P-AS: I have chosen the same trips.

I-JB: Oh ok, and do you share your

P-AS: Yes, when we go to Spain we share a single suitcase. But in this case, we needed the extra space for the presents. So we had actually packed some clothing in the carry-on.

I-JB: Ok, if we look at the items that you would pack in your carry-on. You already mentioned, food & beverages, electronics..?

P-GS: Laptop, headphones, a sweater because you are going from a cold to a warm climate, fragile and expensive gifts.

I-JB: And you Annika?

P-AS: I brought my medication and some extra clothing because Gert had to carry the presents.

I-JB: If we take a look at the items that you have packed. Which items would you consider as essential that you would really need during your journey towards your final destination?

P-GS: Headphones and a sweater

630. Traveling with small kids was an experience

631. Brought suitcase to pack and protect

632. We share suitcase for trips to Spain

633. Valuables, sweater and fragile items

634. Medication and spare clothing

instance visiting my dad in the Philippines where I have to hop on buses and boats than I will bring my larger backpack.

P-GS: The initial journey to the plane is not the problem, but when you are going travel around a particular region or country it will become a problem.

I-JB: You use one of those backpacking

P-AS: Yes we do. It can hold up to 30 kg/s, but then it is actually too heavy to carry. Normally we pack around 13 kg/s each. When we travel with a suitcase we take more with us but it is actually way too much. But let's continue to 'Packing', is it going to fit, is it going to be too heavy, what mal going to pack. Am I going to pack am I going to pack am I going to pack spares in my carry on in case my backpack goes missing? Items like medication I usually pack in my suitcase or check-in luggage but still, it is quite a risk. Normally I would just pack a bottle of water and a book and I'm done with my carry on luggage, but now I have to pack spares for a few items which makes it heavier than necessary. I have also written check-in because you need to take into account the extra time needed at the airport if it is busy or when you need to take into account the extra time needed at the airport if it is busy or when you are traveling with odd-size luggage. Where do I check in? And then finally pick-up. How long is it going to take? Is it going to fit in the car, yes or no? And do you have your own luggage? I once aimost took somebody else their suitcase. And visa versa, so I had to yell at the other passenger stop! That's my suitcase!

I-JB: Thanks, let's continue to the next assignment. This question is about with what kind of luggage you traveled and what you packed in which kind of luggage item. So Gert, if you could start?

P-GS: I traveled with Annika, family and

619. Initial journey is not a problem

620. Traveling through the country is

621. When traveling with suitcase we pack too much

622. Is the bag going to be too heavy to carry

623. Pack spares in my carry-on?
624. Pack medication in carry-on.

625. Carry-on becomes extra heavy due to spares

626. Extra journey time due to check in

627. Where do I check in

628. How long is it going to take

629. Is this my suitcase?

P-AS: Yes

P-GS: Well, it depends. We are probably talking about international flights. So I brought my laptop because it's chill to have it with you. But also, when you travel with Transavia, they don't have entertainment systems. So, I brought a movie with me on my laptop to entertain us benterain us both.

I-JB: And maybe also you medication

P-AS: Well not really. It is of importance of course, but I don't necessarily need it during my flight. Like I said before, I only need a book and a bottle of water and I am good to go.

I-JB: Ok, let's say that you two are traveling to Spain. You guys have one suitcase and a carry-on which holds some clothing. The clothing that you have packed within the carry-on, how long could you do without those clothes? Not on the destination but before departure?

P-AS: Well my work clothing is different than my holiday clothes?

P-GS: Let's say 3 days in advance? That is not a problem.

P-AS: Clothing wise it is not such an issue, but let's say that you are going on a trip for 3 weeks, you need a lot of clean underwear. Then it might become a bit of a problem because it would require me to have lots of underwear.

P-GS: If you had to send your suitcase earlier, you would need to prepare and plan better. It would mean that I need to pack my suitcase earlier and thinks in advance about all the things I might need. I am a last minute guy, a day before departure I start packing. I think this is more a guy thing

635. Bring own entertainment, not supplied by carrier

636. Only need book and water

637. Work clothing is not similar to leisure

638. 3 days in advance is not a problem

639. Long trips, need a lot of underwear

640. Would need to prepare beforehand

641. Pack suitcase earlier 642. Pack 1 day before departure



P-GS: There are a few airlines that fly to Alicante, and because I have flown this route a few times I know which airlines and which airports are linked to which journey. We prefer to fly from Amsterdam, even though Rotterdam is closer. The reason for this is because it is way easier to get there by train. Once you know all this, it is just a matter of finding the best deal. Sometimes we even book two single tickets because it is cheaper. So Transavia outbound and Vueling inbound.

P-AS: We also take departure time and arrival time into account and which day of course. It is way cheaper to fly on a Tuesday than on a Friday.

P-GS: We also need to think about what we want to bring with us. Within the Transavia booking flow your luggage is included but with other airlines, this is not the case. You need to complete this later on.

I-JB: Which channels do you use to do your research? Google or any specific sites?

P-GS: You start by looking at the airline's native websites because sometimes they offer good deals. But I also use Momondo quite a lot. I also make use of Cheaptickets. In and Tix. You always start comparing between the different sites because they have these special deal windows in which you could save around €10 on your flight.

P-AS: When we booked our tickets for Africa there was a black Saturday deal.

P-GS: Yes! When we book tickets for long journeys we take deals and specials into account. For example, 'Wereld Deal Weken' or other similar deals. We booked our tickets through Black Friday Special, which saves us €400 in total.

651. Only few airlines that fly to this destination

652. Prefer to fly via Amsterdan

653. Sometimes even book two single flights if cheaper

654. Departure times are important

655. Some days are cheaper to fly

656. Airline choice dependent on what we bring

657. Luggage is not always included in the booking flow

658. Use native Airline websites.

659. Use momodo, cheap tickets, tix

660. Could save €10

661. Booked via black friday deals

662. Ica flights think about wereld dea

was a bit different. You have to determine which trip you want to make and how you want to do this. Look at which domestic flights you might need to take, but all the hotels we booked on the spot. Of course, you read a lot about the destination beforehand because you are really excited to go, and when you travel to Africa you need quite a lot of stuff. So, you start looking at what friends brought and what you might be able to borrow from family members. For example, a Garmin GPS tracker for navigating through the desert, big flashlights. Those are quite specific items that you need. Those items you start to collect a few months in advance.

I-JB: But this is long preparation time is for very specific holidays?

P-AS: Exactly. I think that when we went to Cambodia we started 1 months in advance

I-JB: Ok, but in this journey, you are heading to Spain. When do you start to pack your bag for this trip?

P-AS: 1 day in advance

P-GS: yes, 1 day in advance. When you go to Spain, the only thing you have to pack are your swimming trunks a few t-shirts and some short. But for me specifically, if I bring my bicycle I will start planning a week before departure.

P-AS: But in that case, you also need to think about that big box.

P-GS: True, but you also need to think about all the additional items you need to bring. If I could put my bicycle and all its additional items in a van and I know that it will safely arrive, that would be great! 673. Trip to Cambodia is different type of prepping
674. Thinks about domestic flights

675. Hotels were booked on the spot 676. Look at what friends brought 677. Might be able to borrow stuff

678. Start collect specific items a few months

679. Clothes and similar items a day in

680. Cambodia start prepping 1 months before departure

681. For spain prepare one day in advance

682. For Spain we only need t-shirts and

683. When I bring my bike I start prepping a week before departure

684. Think about additional cycle items you need to buy

than a woman thing. By the way, I think that woman might have issues with makeup.

P-AS: Yeah, those items are not allowed to packed in your carry on so if you want to bring them and send your luggage in advance you need to have spare toiletries.

I-JB: Ok, great! Let's continue to the 5th assignment. The big one! In this part, we are going to draw out your journey. Could you please start with describing which journey you have chosen?

P-GS: We both have chosen the same trip to Spain.We flew from Amsterdam to Alicante.

I-JB: Looking at this trip. When did you decide to go, or when did you start dreaming about going to Spain?

P-GS: I think it was 4 months in advance. We were planning our Christmas break and we got invited by my parents. When you are spending Christmas with your family you need to plan these things far in advance because you need to take into account the agenda of every family member. But if I, for instance, would go to Asia or Africal a Would book my tickets a year in advance. We are early bookers if you look from a ticket perspective.

I-JB: 4 months in advance you receive an invitation from your parents if you would like to come to Spain. How do you prepare for something like that? What necessary steps do you need to complete?

P-GS: First we decide on the date that we are going to be there. Once that is clear, I tell my boss when I would like to take my Christmas holiday and then I will start to look for the best deals on tickets.

I-JB: And how do you do your research?

643. More a guy thing

644. Woman might have make-up issues

645. Need to have spare toiletries

646. Planned 4 months in advance 647. Family trip

648. Book tickets a year in advance for ICA

650. Look for best deals once boss is

I-JB: Ok, so you have booked your ticket, which is 4 months in advance. How do you live up to the moment of departure? When do you start thinking about your trip and which actions do you perform to prepare yourself for this journey?

P-GS: The trip to Spain is really easy. But if you look at longer trips you start planning way ahead. Where are we going to sleep, where are we going to, what do I want to see and what do I need? If I am going to hike through the jungle, I will need to bring my walking shoes and clothing that is comfortable during the hike. I need to bring a day pack.

P-AS: You need to make sure you even have walking shoes!

P-GS: Yes, you need to make sure that you have them. Medication, for when you are heading to a region where malaria is an issue.

I-JB: And how long before departure are you busy with making sure that everything is in order?

P-AS: Well it depends on how motivated ware....

P-GS: True. I can go really overboard with preparing for our holidays. For instance, our next trip in September is totally taken care of and paid for.

P-AS: He was done and ready a year in advance.

P-GS: But those are trips where you have to be well prepared and book well in advance because else they are fully booked.

P-AS: But our previous trip to Cambodia

663. Saves us €400

664. Planning for Spain is easy 665. Longer trips start planning way ahead

666. What do I need

667. Right medication for the region

668. Preparing is dependent on how

669 Can go overboard with preparing

670. Next trip is already taken care of (8

months) 671. Was done 1 year in advance

672. If you are not well prepared early is will be fully booked



I-JB: Well you said that if you bring your bicycle that you start preparing a week in advance. But what do you do during this preparation?	685. Would be best if I could put it in a var and not have to worry
P-GS: Just gathering all the necessary items. You want to know that everything is in order, service your bike at the bike shop, bring some additional inner tubes, lubricants so that you don't have to buy anything there.	686. Gather all the necessary bike items
P-AS: Also, you start thinking more about how you are going to travel to the airport. When you have to leave and when you are going to collect the box.	687. Is my bike in tip top shape 688. Think about departure when traveling
I-JB: OK, so you say one day in advance. You get back from work and then in the evening, you would start packing?	with bike
P-GS: Oh I have to say that if my bike is picked up 3 days in advance that is fine, but on my return journey I wouldn't like to have that. I would prefer it on the day of departure or the evening before departure.	689. Pick up bike 3 days in advance is fine
I-JB: Yes I agree, but let's say you are going to Spain and you are bringing your bicycle. You would pack your bags in the evening. This happens in your bedroom with your suitcase on the bed?	oso. Fick up for return on day or departure
P-GS: Well we have quite a lot of space, I mean we have a walking closet so we just put the bags there and start packing. But it is very easy I must say, Just gather everything, stuff it in the suitcase and let's	691. Have a walk in closet where we pack
go. P-AS: But we both have made this trip so often that we know exactly what to bring. That helps.	692. Gather stuff and let's go
P-GS: And when we go on a longer trip we would think a bit more about what we are bringing.	693. Made this trip often, know what to pack 694. Longer trip would need to think more

I-JB:	And how does that make you feel?	701. Cannot sit, have to stand in the hallway	
But to not ponly suito stran	6: It is not a relaxed way of traveling, raveling with suitcases in the train is leasant in general. It never fits, maybe a carry-on trolley. But if you place your ases on a chair you will receive ge looks from other passengers. That	702. Not relaxed manner off travel	
	y I always stand, waiting in the hallway the suitcases.	703. Traveling with suitcases in train sucks anyways	
	B: But then you are also standing in the of a lot of people.	704. Strange looks from passengers 705. Always stand in the hallway	
	Do have a bad feeling when traveling s context?		
of yo	S: It is not the ideal recipe for the start ur holiday. The best thing would be if ebody would pick you up at home and you off at the airport. But that is not		
	y possible.	706. Not ideal start off your holiday	
	S: We do try to travel after or before the hours.	707. Best would be to be dropped off and picked up	
	S: Yes, but the departure time always is letermining factor for when we leave.	708. Try to take rush hours into consideration	
could	And when you arrive at Schiphol, d describe the process of getting out of rain?	700. Try to take rush hours into consideration	
P-AS	S: Well nothaha		
P-GS	S: Schiphol is always busy.		
	S: Everybody wants to storm into the before anyone has had the chance to out.	709. Schiphol is always busy	
to ge you a bicyc	S: And people don't give you the space tt off, which is really annoying when are traveling with bulky bags and a ste. Everybody is looking at you grumpy	710. Storm into train, before getting out	
	a look like: 'Do you really want to get is train?'. Yes, I really want to get off	711. No space to get out, annoying	

	about what we bring
I-JB: We have arrived on the day of departure. You are carrying your bicycle. How are you traveling from home to the airport?	-
P-GS: Depends on how many family members there are, but let's just say that An and I are going together. Then I would walk to the metro from my house, take it to the station and then grab a train to Schiphol.	695. Normally take the metro and then train
I-JB: You are carrying a trolley, your bike, and a backpack?	
P-GS: Yes, it sucks.	
P-AS: Last time we did bring everything. Trolley, backpack, and your bike.	696. Carrying trolley, bike and backpack
I-JB: And that really sucks?	Sucra
P-GS: To be honest, both your hands are full.	
I-JB: It sounds quite miserable. You have to first get on the metro.	697. Both your hands are full
P-GS: You have to put a lot of effort in when you want to bring your bike.	
P-AS: Yes you do	698. Have to put a lot of effort in to bring
P-GS: And for the person who doesn't cycle it is an extra burden.	DIRE
I-JB: How do other people using the public transport experience this situation? Do they judge you?	699. Extra burden for my partner
P-GS: I think that they first would think to themselves: 'Dear god, what a lot of stuff is that guy bringing along'. Plus, you can't just sit anywhere so you have to stand in the hallway.	700. People judge in public transport

this train. They are all standing there like idiots. I-JB: You have arrived at Schiphol, you need to take the escalator upstairs. What steps do you need to take after this moment?	712. People are judging, you want to get off?
P-GS: Because I know where I need to be, I first drop-off my bicycle. I-JB: And you didn't do this before?	
P-GS: Well yes, but you first had to find out where you could drop off your bicycle. Which I know now. But you have to walk to the basement, with the two of us and drop	713. Know where to drop off bicycle
the bike off. You have to take into account that everywhere you go, you are dragging all your stuff with you. Once you have arrived at the bicycle basement (odd-size), you will start to disassemble the parts of the	714. First had to figure out location drop-of
you will start to disassemble the parts of me blike that you yet have not disassembled. For example, the handlebars. Else the bicycle is not easy to transport. Then you buy the box, assemble the box which is quite easy, but you need to know how to do	716. Everywhere you go dragging stuff 717. Disassemble bicycle at the basement
this. Then place your bicycle and all other items in the box. I-JB: Other items? How do you carry those	718. Buy box and assemble it
to the airport?	719. Pack bicycle and other items in box
P-GS: Sometimes I'm lucky that somebody can drop me off at the airport, if not I usually carry that in a plastic bag. The situation is really shift If I am just going for a week I would never do this.	
P-AS: That is not true!	720. Sometimes lucky to be dropped of at the airport
P-GS: Well, from now on then. Looking back at the entire journey and talking about it in this interview made me realize how shit it really is.	721. Carry extra items in plastic bag 722. Shit situation 723. Never do this for a weekend trip
I-JB: The odd-size at Schiphol is quite well	



organized?	724. Entire journey is really shit
P-GS: Yes it is quite well organized from an odd-size perspective.	
I-JB: You have dropped off your bicycle, what now?	725. Schiphol odd-size well organized
P-GS: We already check-in online, so we only need to drop off our suitcase. We do this at the normal baggage drop off.	725. Scriptior odd-size wen organized
P-AS: That is quite quick. It is actually really efficient. Don't have much anything bad to say about this process.	726. Already checked in online 727. Only need to drop-off suitcase
P-GS: Well depends, if it is the holiday season, even though it is only baggage drop off, you still need to wait in line. But we usually travel in the off-season, so that is quite a benefit. And if we do travel in the holiday season, we arrive rather early.	728. Luggage drop-of is quick and efficient
I-JB: And why do you arrive so early? P-GS: Because we don't want to take any risks. If you have to carry so much stuff and there is a problem with the public transport, then you have a problem. that is why we build in this time safety net. If we arrive early it is fine, we just have an extra cup of coffee and maybe have a bite to eat. I don't want to experience any stress.	729. Depends on the season 730. Holiday season still have to wait in line 731. Usually travel in off-season 732. Arrive early at airport in holiday season 733. Don't want to take risk
I-JB: How much time is this safety net? P-GS: Around 30 minutes I would say. P-AS: Yes, and on the morning of departure we always check the public transport times online just to be sure.	734. Build in safety time 735. Arrive early, drink extra cup of coffee
P-GS: We are those kinds of people that don't want take any risks.	736. Safety net is 30 minutes
P-AS: And we especially don't want to experience any stress. You just don't want	737. Always check PT times in the morning

with all the strict rules and regulations, that when I brought some get that is only half full that I still need to hand it over to the security guard. That is something that irritates me. This only occurs when I have carry-on luggage. And sometimes the lines can be very long, which is annoying. This is what you meant right?	747. Don't think about luggage 748. Not forget strict regulations
I-JB: Well, I actually meant that when you are flying, for example, that you would think about your suitcase or your bicycle.	749. Hand over gel, irritates me 750. Only when i travel with CO luggage
P-GS: Depends. Sometimes when I see the handlers load luggage, I will automatically search for my own luggage. Then you know that your luggage has been loaded onto the plane. When we are preparing to land I sometimes think to myself: 'Fuck, I hope my bicycle is still in one piece and does it arrive quickly at the odd-size carousel.'	751. Automatically search for luggage
P-AS: I hope it just arrives.	701. Automatically search for luggage
P-GS: Yes, so I hope it arrives and I hope that it is not damaged. Once you start to descend you start to think about the next	752. During landing, hope bicycle is in one piece
steps you need to take to pick-up your bike. Which, astonishingly, happens rather quickly.	753. Hope it quickly arrives 754. Hope it arrives
I-JB: Ok, so you arrive at the airport and then you continue to the baggage carousel. What steps do take from here?	755. Hope it arrives and undamaged 756. During descend think about next
P-GS: Well this is quite well organized. The first carousel you see if for odd-size bagage followed by regular bagagae carousels. Normally we have a command and conquer strategy. So I wait at the odd-size carousel and Annika collects our regular luggage.	756. During descend think about next steps 757. Need to pick up bike, happens quickly
P-AS: This generally goes rather quickly.	

758. First carousel you see is odd-size

P-GS: Pick-up is not really the issue, the drop-off is the problem because no-one is

to mess up your holiday by missing your flight.	738. Don't want to take any risks
I-JB: Once you have completed these steps and head through security, what do you do at the airport?	739. Don't want to experience any stress
P-GS: Eat.	740. Don't want to mess up holiday
P-AS: As usual haha	
P-GS: Depends on what time our flight departs, but usually have a cup of coffee, eat something, do a bit of window shopping to kill some time.	
I-JB: You two enjoy it to be at the airport?	
P-AS: In general, yes but it is getting less interesting I must say. It seems like there is less to do. Maybe because they are renovating certain parts of Schiphol.	741. Usually have a cup of coffee 742. Do some window shopping
P-GS: It also depends heavily on the airport.	
I-JB: Ok, now we are in the air. What do you do whilst you are in flight?	743. Less to do at the airport
P-GS: Watch movies and things like that.	744. Depends on the airport
P-AS: Read my book, listen to some music, play a game.	
I-JB: This is a 2-hour flight?	
P-GS: Yes, it is a short trip. Maybe look a bit out of the window.	745. Watch a movie
I-JB: The moment that you have dropped off your luggage to the moment you arrive at the arrival airport, is there a moment that you think about your luggage?	740. Neau anu iisteri (U illusic
P-AS: No	
P-GS: Well what you must not forget, is	

ever at the odd-size desk.	759. Command and conquer strategy 760. I handle odd-size, Annika regular
I-JB: We have already discussed this process, so let's continue. You have collected your luggage and bicycle. Do you	luggage
rent a car?	761. This goes rather quickly
P-GS: We take a bus, but you have to inform the bus company that you are bringing along your bike	762. Pick-up is never the problem 763. Drop-of is, there is no-one at the de
P-AS: No that is not true. The box doesn't fit into the bus so you need to take the bus to the car and then drive back to pick me and the luggage up from the airport.	
P-GS: The entire journey of bringing your bicycle with you is one big drama, because the box, and thus the bicycle, does not fit in the bus. Which means that I need to pick up the car alone, leave Annika by herself at	764. Inform the bus company traveling with bike
up the car alone, leave Annika by herself at the airport with all the luggage, pick up my parent's car at their own parking space next to the airport, and then head back.	765. Bike doesn't fit on bus 766. Take bus to car and then drive back
I-JB: How long is the initial bus trip to the car park?	767. Entire journey off bringing bicycle i drama
P-GS: Takes about 10 minutes, it is quite close by and everybody who lives there has their own parking space. But you need to call them to come pick you up with the bus because they are not allowed to double park at the airport.	768. Bike doesn't fit on the bus 769. Pick up car alone 770. Head back to the airport
P-AS: Normally we would take the bus together but in case we bring the 'fantastic' bike I have to sit there. This little joke with the bus to the car park and back again	771. Takes about 10 minutes
costs us another 30 minutes of travel time. I can assure you that when it is cold it is not a pleasant experience.	772. Need to call the bus to come pick you
I-JB: I can imagine that the additional hassle with the bus is not conducive to the holiday spirit.	773. Normally take bus together

P-GS: Bringing your bicycle is not conducive for you holiday spirit. If I have to be totally honest.

P-AS: No

I-JB: Ok, now we are at your final destination. This is your home, how before your return journey do you start to prepare?

P-GS: The evening before departure. It is our second home so maybe a day or two before departure you let the cleaning lady come by and start doing the wash.

I-JB: OK great, you have clearly illustrated that traveling with a bike is a real issue, but from which moment do start to experience a real holiday spirit?

P-AS: With or without a bicycle? haha, the moment we arrive at the house. I've written down, happy to be there. Traveling with a bicycle is just a big hassle and I'm really relieved when I am sitting in the house and can leave the journey behind me.

P-GS: I could solve it by buying a bicycle travel suitcase for €300 because it is smaller and does fit within the normal

P-AS: But you still have to drag everywhere

P-GS: True, not everybody has a suitcase like that, not everybody wants to rent one, and you also need to almost fully disassemble your bike and hope that you can properly assemble it again. Both wheels, handlebars, pedals, and seat. I mean my bicycle is perfectly adjusted to my body, it is just not a pleasant to have to disassemble it and then hope that you can do a good as job as the professional bicycle mechanic when putting it back together.

774. Picking up car takes another 30 minutes

775 Not pleasant when it is cold

776. Bringing bicycle is not good for the holiday spirit

777. Start preparing day before return

778. Experience holiday feeling when we rive at the house

779. Traveling with a bicycle is a big hassle

suitcase 782. Smaller and fits in the luggage process

783. Still have to drag it everywhere

784. Need to fully disassemble your bike

every kind of manner. Improved efficiency, especially when we are looking at the odd-size process in Spain. And finally good and healthy food in the airport and the plane. But my two main beneficial things are comfort and efficiency.

I-.IB: Ok we have arrived at the final I-JB: OK We have arrived at the little questions, could you both please describe what your perfect journey would be when traveling with check-in luggage?

P-AS: No check-in luggage at all, haha...

P-GS: Easy check in, no holdup at customs or security, no hold up at boarding, enough space for my bag on the plane. My bag is ready when I arrive, so I don't have to wait at the carousel but it is already available for pick up when I arrive at the baggage hall Maybe implement some baggage reclaim process with a number system? Tracking my bag via an application is something that I would be interested in. It probably is already possible but I don't want to invest in it. And if it is possible to pick-up my bicycle before departure and maybe even pick-up my regular luggage so that I can only travel with carry-on luggage, that would be great. It would actually be best if my bicycle is delivered the day after I have arrived at my destination. I don't care if it is driven there or flown, just so long that it arrives on time. But with the guarantee that it will arrive. A guarantee is really important. I don't want to hear that the lorry had a flat tire and that I have to wait for two additional days before my bike arrives. If to guarantee that my bicycle is on time I have to hand it in 3 days in advance instead of 2 then I would agree to that. my bag via an application is something that

I-JB: Ok. and you Ann?

P-AS: I approached it from a different perspective. I wouldn't mind traveling without any check-in luggage. The bes

797. Pack valuables in check-in luggage

780. Fast service, little to no waiting

781. Good service in case of disruption

782 More comfort

783.Improved efficiency

784. Good and healthy food

785. Main things are comfort and efficiency

786. No check in luggage at all

787. Easy check-in 788. No holdup at customs 789. No hold up at boarding 790. Enough storage room o 791. No waiting at carousel

792. Reclaim system with numbers 793. Tracking my bag with app.

796. Only travel with carry-on luggage

797. Best if bicycle delivered day after

798. With guarantee that it will arrive

I-.IB. Ok we are almost there if we look at the 6th assignment. What are the 5 services or items that you have written down that improve your journey?

P-GS: I have written down: charging possibilities at the airport and in the plane because it is nice to know that when you because it is nice to know that when you have had a 12-hour flight you also have a full battery on your phone. It's a stress point less. No waiting at the check-in and boarding, it is always business class go first and the rest of you peasants have to figure it out for yourselves. On the shorter flights. this results in barely enough space to store my carry-on luggage. Last trip I had to store between my legs. I had the opportunity to check the trolley in free of charge but I wanted quickly deboard the plane. I thought that I was going for efficiency however, this turned out to be just plain uncomfortable. Knowing my bags are at my destination, would be fantastic. Let's say the morning after my arrival with some kind of tracker included in the package so I can clearly see where my bicycle is, that would be great. where in you could be great. Good food in the plane and healthy food at the airport and not only junk-food. I always ty to lead a healthy lifestyle when I am traveling but you are heavily limited in your choices. It is especially hard when you are trying to follow some kind of diet. I can inging to thow some and of utel. I can imagine that if you have a healthy food court at Schiphol that you would generate more revenue. Come to think of it, something that jumps to mind now is being able to pack valuables in your check-in luggage and be sure that it will arrive.

I-JB: OK, great and you Ann?

P-AS: I have written down, fast service. So P-AS: I have written down, fast service. S as little as possible waiting time. Good service, in the case of a disruption, for instance, that they help you instead of saying wait here and we will see what we can do. Comfort, which is applicable in

785. Hope that you can assemble it again

786. Bicycle is perfectly adjusted to my

787. Can't do an as good job as a professional assembling it

788. Charging possibilities

789. Charged devices is a stress reliever

790. No waiting at boarding and check-in 791. Results in poor luggage room

792. Onboard trolley is efficient, but turn out to be uncomfortable

793. Knowing my bags are at my

794. Morning after my arrival with tracker

795. Good food

796. Limited healthy food choices when traveling

thing would be to have it picked up a few thing would be to have it picked up a few days in advance or to drop it off at a location anywhere near my house, I have spares for most of my toiletries so that will not be a problem. It would be best if it would be delivered at my final destination. If I would be traveling to Spain I wouldn't mind if it was sent to the airport but I would prefer to have it shipped to my hotel. As long as it is reasonably priced. I don't want people to unpack my luggage, just drop it off and that's it. On the return journey, I wouldn't mind if it is picked up on the day of departure. But what we do now is that we arrive one day early so that we can wash and chill a bit before we have to go to work So I would like to have it back as soon as

I-JB: And you wouldn't like to make use of a

P-AS: No, I don't want people to touch my clothes, or I don't like it when people are going through my stuff in my suitcase. I don't have anything to hide, but I've heard both Take anything to mole, but the head plenty of times that people's sulficases have been checked and that certain items have gone missing. I don't mind the dirty clothing, but what I find important is that I can collect my sulficase at the same time after work. And the best would be if it was in my neighborhood.

I-JB: Ok, when would you like to collect your suitcase? How many days after arrival?

P-AS: If I want it picked up 2-3 days in advance then I would also like to have it back 2-3 days after arrival. I mean I do have other clothing at home but I would just like to have the items back then.

P-GS: You would need to change the way people think about traveling. It is just a question of changing people's expectation. 799. Hand in 3 days before for 100%

800. Wouldn't mind traveling without check-in luggage

801. Have it picked up a few days in advance 802. Pick-up location near my hous

803. Would be best if it is delivered at my

804. Wouldn't mind if it was shipped to airport 805. As long as it is reasonably priced

806. Wouldn't mind if picked up at the day off departure

807. Arrive one day earlier so we can wash and chill 808. Have it back as soon as possible

809. Don't like people touching my stuff.

810. Don't want people going through my

811. Suitcases checked and items were

812. Pick-up suitcase after work 813. Pick-up near my home



If you know what to expect then you can plan accordingly.

I-JB: But do you guys see a future for a door-to-door luggage service?

P-GS: It depends on how much it costs.

I-JB: Would you do it for your normal luggage Ann?

P-AS: It really depends on the price, initially I would consider it for the bicycle. I mean if Gert would do it, I would be happy to contribute.

P-Gs: But to be honest, if I am going cycling in Spain with a group of friends in the near future, then I would make sure that I have some sort of road transport for the bloycles. Lefs say that they get ploked up on a Wednesday and that they get delivered on Sounday when we have arrived.

I-JB: And how much would you be willing to pay for such a service?

P-GS: I am paying €80 right now, and I don't think that it would be possible to travel without a protective box around your bicycle. So let's say €1107 €1207. You also need to take into account that the cost of renting a bicycle is €120.

P-AS: But you also need to think about the luxury of having your own bicycle. You also don't have the hassle anymore of bringing it along. I think that if you would charge a bit more that people will be willing to pay.

P-GS: I would seriously consider €120-150. I do think it is quite expensive, though.

I-JB: And a normal suitcase

P-AS: That really depends on the price, and we also have the luxury now that we don't

814. Have it picked up 2-3 days in advance 815. Have it delivered 2-3 days after arrival back home

816. Need to change how people think 817. Changing people's expectation 818. Know what to expect, plan accordingly

819. Depends how much it costs

820. Really depends on price

821. WOuld consider for the bicycle

822. If i go with friends I will organize some sort off road transport

823. Pickup on wednesday, delivered on sunday.

824. Paying €80 now 825. Not possible to travel without protective box 826. €110,€120? 827. Renting bicycle costs €120 P-GS: Basically the PostNL network. Imagine if they have a courier service which allows them to pick it up at the office.

P-AS: But then I would have to drag my luggage to the office. I would rather drop it off before or after work.

P-GS: It would be best if you could pick it up outside of working hours so that I do not have to make any adjustments to my working schedule, then I wouldn't mind if they come pick up my luggage from home.

P-AS: I would prefer to drop it off.

P-GS: In the case of traveling with my bicycle, I would prefer it if they come pick it up due to its size.

P-AS: Yes, but if I am only traveling with my backpack I would rather drop it off at a central point. I don't want to have the stress that when I am working I might need to run out of a meeting to hand over my luggage.

I-JB: Wouldn't it be possible to place it at the reception or at your secretary?

P-GS: It would be possible to place it at my reception I am not sure if it is possible at your work Annika. But I can't imagine that the receptionist would be pleased if I parked my bicycle there.

P-AS: If you don't travel by car to your work than you would be dragging your suitcase to the office in the public transport.

I-JB: And what about the station? That it would be possible to place it in a locker system or something similar to that?

P-GS: That would be ideal because you could determine by yourself when you are going to drop off your luggage. To have to

848. Start with parcel pickup points

849 Bruna PostNI in the neighborhood

850. PostNL network

851. Courier service pick up at the office

852. Don't want to drag it to the office 853. Drop off beforehand

854. Pickup outside working hours

855. Don't make any adjustments working schedule 856. No adjustments, pick up at home

857. Prefer drop off

858. Prefer pickup for bicycle due to size

859. Traveling backpack, rather drop off

860. Don't want stress at work, run out of meeting for pickup

861. Could drop it off at reception

862. Receptionist not pleased with bicycl

have to bring so much stuff.

P-GS: The tipping point will come, if I look at the experience I have had with traveling with my sister who has little children if you see how much shit they have to bring with them for those children, it would be fantastic if I could send my luggage for a couple of bucks. You have to pay anyway for your luggage, I think it is about €40 return. And you are not carrying one suitcase, you are carrying 2 or three. If it is possible to send at least one or both beforehand...

P-AS: When traveling with small children, I would really consider it. But now that we are just with the two of us, it is not a big problem.

P-GS: It also depends on how safe it is.

I-JB: What if we can guarantee that it will definitely be delivered?

P-GS: Well that is a must, but also that you can ensure that everything that is packed will still be inside the suitcase upon arrival. Maybe some sort of extra protection or some sort of casing, then I would also be willing to put some more valuable stuff in my lugagae. When I start thinking about what I have to pack in my carry-on for Botswana I already start to dread those extra 10 kgs that I have to drag around during my journey.

I-JB: We discussed a bit earlier already. But looking at pickup and drop-off points, what kind of stops could you imagine that can fulfill this function?

P-AS: I immediately start to think about parcel pickup points, I mean we order quite a lot of products online. I have a Bruna, a PostNL in the neighborhood, why not there?

828. Think about the luxury of having own

829. Don't have the hassle of bringing it along

830. Be able to charge more

831. Seriously consider €120-€150 832. Do think it is expensive

833. Normal suitcase depends on price 834. Luxury that we don't bring so much stuff

835. Experience with traveling with little children

children 836. See how much shit they have to bring

837. Would be great to send luggage

838. Have to pay anyway for luggage

839. Carrying 2-3 suitcases 840. Send at least one or both beforehand

841. Traveling with small children would consider it. 842. Two of us is not a big problem

843. Also depends on safety

844. Need to ensure everything remains packed

345. Some sort of extra casing

846. Put more valuable stuff in luggage 847. Start to dread extra kg's off carry-on drop it off at a central hub is not a problem. Even if I had to drop it off at the Forepark because it is close by. But it has to be within a maximum 10-minute effort timeframe. I think that would be a good guideline. Look we both have cars, but if you don't then you want to be able to drop it off at your local Primera or station.

P-AS: But seriously, when we have kids it is something that I would consider to use.

I-JB: Well thank you both, anything to add?

P-GS: When can I send my bicycle? haha...

863. Don't travel by car to work, drag suitcase public transport

864. Train station locker would be ideal 865. Drop off at central hub not a problem

866. Drop off at Forepark

867. Maximum 10 minute effort timeframe

868. No car, don't want to drop it off

869. When we have kids something to consider



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P-JV: I travel more than 20 times a year within Europe, mostly by plane, for business. When I travel for leisure I usually go to other continents.

P-JV: 90% of my flights within Europe are business and I always travel with carry on because I find it really annoying to wait on anything. I think it is a waste of time, especially when I am on a business trip.

P-JV: For pleasure, I like to travel to other continents with my girlfriend because I like to explore new areas and countries.

P-JV: I must say that the journey is also IP-JV: I must say that the journey is also part of my holiday. I kind of enjoy traveling. I like Schiphol and I like to spend some time on the airport. However, when I travel for business purposes I like to arrive as late as possible at the airport.

Question 2:

P-JV: I have chosen 3 main characteristics, ambitious, cheerful, happy, hard-working, extremely rational and a bit selfish and imaginative. And the three that describe me the best are ambitious, happy and rational.

Kind of traveler:

P-JV: I see myself as a practical traveler Because I have to travel a lot for work. I try to be as efficient as possible. Don't waste

870. Business travel within Europe 871. Continental travel for leisure

872. Business trip with carry-on luggage

873. Annoving to wait on business trip

874. Enjoy exploring new countries

875. Journey also part of holiday

876. Enjoy traveling 877. Like spending time on airport 878. Business arrive as late as possible

879 Practical traveler

880. As efficient as possible

traveled to Costa Rica with my student houses and my suitcase didn't arrive for 2 days. Liust traveled for 18 hours and L haven't got any clean clothes to wear.

P-.IV: The first association I have with check-in luggage is 'Timeline'. Because you have to pack your suitcase, then you need to carry it downstairs, need to either put it in the car or take it along in the public transport, afterward you need to head over to a desk or a baggage drop-off. Once you have arrived you need to collect it from the carousel, take it to your hotel in the public transport and then finally unpack it. This is a major hassle.

P-JV: You are busy with dragging that thing, and always waiting. It's clumsy and heavy, and the trolley's at the airport aren't always free. But the still the most annoying thing is having to wait. Either at the drop-off or at the collection carousel. For some reason, I always have the feeling that my suitcase is the last to arrive.

P-.IV: On the other hand you always have enough stuff with you, actually most of the time too much. So, you are carrying unnecessary kg's. When you are packing you think to yourself: 'Oh I can bring this, and this and that is also possible while in the end, the only thing you really wear are your swim shorts, a few t-shirts and a sweater that you had packed in your carry-on for during the flight.

897. Bad experience, suitcase didn't arrive for

898. Check-in association, timeline

899. Pack suitcase

900. Carry downstairs 901. Car or public transport

902 Head to desk

903. Collect from carousel 904. Take to hotel in public transport 905. Unpack

906. Major hassle

907. Busy dragging and waiting 908. Clumsy and heavy

909. Waiting most annoying

910. Suitcase last to arrive

911. Always enough stuff with check-in 912. Bring too much

913. Carrying unnecessary kg's

914. Wear things which fit in carry-on

any time. If I have to wait I will make sure that I can do some work. Something that I really appreciate is that I can make use of priority lanes

P-JV: I find queueing a waste of time, so I try to prevent this as much as possible. For example, I will check-in online as soon as possible, this saves me time at the airport But at the security check, you always have to wait which I find a waste of time.

Question 3A

P-JV: When I travel with carry-on. I like to bring a trolley because it is easy to roll around and I usually go on short trips so it can hold enough.

P-JV: The worst experience I had with my carry-on trolley is that I had to check it in because of the excessive amount of carry-on luggage. This beats the whole purpose of bringing a carry-on. This is why always tend to queue a bit early before boarding, to make sure that I have enough space to store my trolley.

P-JV: The last few times I traveled with check-in was with a large backpack, the good thing about traveling with a backpack is that it is easy to carry. Those old hard shell suitcases are less maneuverable. However, your clothes are less wrinkled when unpacked if you make use of a

P-JV: My worst experience was when I

881. Work during waiting

882. Appreciate priority lanes

883. Queueing is time waste

884. Prevent waiting 885. Check in as soon as possible

886. Always wait at security

887. Like carry-on trolley

888. Easy to roll 889. Holds enough

890. Bad experience check in trolley

891. Beats purpose of carry-on

892. Queue early boarding to prevent

893. Check in luggage mostly large backpack

894. Backpack easy to carry 895. Hard shell case less maneuverable

896. Are wrinkled in backpack

Question 4:

P-JV: The trip I choose, was to Bali. I went with Nathalie and the purpose was to ultimately chill out. We also wanted to make a round trip so that is why I packed a backpack. If you want to step onto a boat having to lift a suitcase isn't ideal.

P-JV: So I brought a backpack and a smaller rucksack. In the end Nathalie her clothes ended up in my backpack because I pack more efficiently.

P-JV: In my carry-on I packed my Ipad, toothbrush, toothpaste, sunglasses, book, passport, sweater, and I also always bring adapters. I usually don't like to pack my expensive items in a backpack because it is easier to open in comparison to a suitcase

P-JV: The rest I pack in my check-in luggage. My swimsuit, flipflops. clothes, shoes, toiletries. So basically things that you don't need during your journey.

P-JV: Sometimes I think to myself, shit I packed that in my suitcase. You think to yourself where did I pack it, wouldn't it be better if I had packed that in my carry-on luggage? I don't wear lenses, but Nathalie does. It would be really bad if you packed something like your lenses, glasses, or medication in your check-in luggage and it doesn't arrive. I don't need anything as long as I have my passport and my credit card.

P-JV: I could do without the things that I packed in my check-in luggage for a few days. Both before I depart or when I have returned. That wouldn't be a real problem, just as long as I don't have to wait for it. If I packed something that I want to wear, too bad. I just have to wear something else. 915. Choose trip to Bali 916. Leisure and chill out

917. Round trip so packed backpack

918. Backpack and smaller rucksack 919. Clothes nathalie in my backpack 920. Pack more efficient

921. Electronics, adapters, toothbrush and sweater in carry-on

922. Prevent packing expensive items

923. Pack toiletries and clothing in check-in

924. Things I don't need during journey

925. Shit that is stuck in my check-in luggage

926. For example lenses or medication

927. I only need my passport and creditcard

928. Couple of days without check-in luggage

929. Both before I depart as when I arrive

930. Just don't want to wait for it 931. Just wear something else



Question 5

Research & Book

P-JH: I used the same trip to Bali because it was the last time I traveled with check-in luggage. I actually only travel with check-in luggage when I travel for leisure purposes.

P-JH: If I travel with medical devices for business purposes I would make sure that I send it before I depart. Just pack it in a conference kit or something like that.

P-JH: Normally we are triggered through the KLM 'wereld deal weken', if we want to go on a cool long trip then this is a cheap way to buy our tickets.

P-JH: We first start off with booking a ticket. But there are different channels that I also use such as cheap tickets or Skyscanner. Google flights has become a quite good in finding reasonable tickets.

P-JH: Instagram has also become an inspirational tool. I must say that I don't really use if but Nathalie does. She does some research who are hip and trendy Instagrammers and looks at what they recommend.

P-JH: We are going to Capetown soon and we decided to book an Airbnb. The reason for this choice was because it was cheaper than booking a hotel and it looked way better on the pictures.

P-JH: I also make use of booking because it is easy and quick to book. I like to use it for business trips.

P-JH: I will book a rental car as soon as I have booked my ticket. Sometimes I use Avis, but I like to search through

932. Bali trip last time check-in luggage

933. Only travel with check-in during leisure

934. Medical devices send beforehand

935. Pack it in conference kit

936. Triggered KLM wereld deal 937. Cheap tickets

938. Start with ticket 939. Cheaptickets & Skyscanner 940. Google flights quite good

941. Girlfriend Instagram for inspiration

942. Research hip and trendy

943. Trip to Cape Town booked airbnb

944. Cheaper and better looking

945. Booking.com easy and quick 946. Use it mainly for business trips

947. After ticket book car rental 948. Avis those are things that you really need to think about, which I don't always do. Which isn't a huge deal, as long as I have my credit card or debit card and my passport I will be fine. Those are the basics.

P-JH: The evening before I leave I will indeed pack my bag and once that has been completed I hope that I have forgotten anything. Off course I run it through my mind what I have packed and if I haven't forgotten anything but sometimes this still occurs. It also is hard to check what you have packed in a backpack. One tip I can give you is to pack all your clothing in plastic bags, this way you know what you have brought and you also have something to put your diffy laundry in grifty laundry in the programme of the programme of

P-JH: On business trips, I always have to bring extra shirts. The evening before I depart I have to iron my shirts, but once I have arrived at my hotel and I unpack my shirt I need to iron them all over again because they wrinkle so much.

P-JH: It might happen that when I travel to a similar climate that I need to wash something, but most of the time this is not an issue.

P-JH: I check in online, normally I get a reminder and then I immediately do it. I like to have my boarding pass on my phone. A paper boarding pass is just something that I can lose.

Transport

P-JH: Most of the time I make use of public transport when I travel to the airport. I have to walk to the tram and after that, I have to take the train to the station.

P-JH: So a week before I leave I always check 9292OV to see which connection I

967. Forget them often

968. Not a problem 969. Passport and money I'm fine

970. Pack evening before departure

971. Hope haven't forgotten 972. Run through mind packing 973. Forget items occurs

974. Hard to check packed bag

975. Pack in plastics bags 976. Know what is packed through plastic bags

bags 977. Also use as laundry bags

978. Business trips, bring extra shirts 979. Iron shirts before departure 980. Iron shirt again after arrival

981. Travel same climate wash clothes

982. Check in online after reminder 983. Like boarding pass on phone 984. Paper BP. something to lose

985. Mostly public transport

rentalcars.com. They are the cheapest. But it highly depends on the country that I'm in. When I was traveling in Bali we rented scooters at a local shop.

P-JH: I normally take the cheapest, but it depends on what I want to do on my trip, how the road conditions are and how much luggage I bring with me. When I rent a car on a business trip, I usually choose the cheapest and smallest car.

Preparing & Packing:

P-JH: There are a few things that you need to prepare yourself for far in advance. Visa, medication or certain vaccinations. Sometimes, it is also necessary to book certain accommodations or activities far in advance because else the will be fully booked.

P-JH: We both like to scuba dive, so what you have to do in that case is book your accommodation including your diving trip. Sort of like a package deal. We did this last time we went to Capetown.

P-JH: The evening before we depart I will start to collect my clothes and other belongings I want to pack. Nathalie prefers to start a few days earlier. She lays out a lot of her clothes in little piles in the bedroom.

P-JH: I am responsible for my own packing, I'm a grown man. However, I must say that when Nathalie is finished she always asks me if she hasn't forgotten anything? And a lot of the times when I have run through such a list we discover that she indeed has forgotten something.

P-JH: Most of the times I don't really buy anything extra for my holiday. Maybe some anti-mosquito spray or some sunscreen.But

949. Book through rentalcars.com

950. Bali rented scooters

951. Normally book cheapest rental

952. But depends on country and driving conditions

953. Prepare far in advance few things

955. Certain accommodations book early

956. Like scuba diving both 957. Book package deal diving with accommodation

958. Collect clothes evening before

959. Nathalie prefers to start a few days

960. Makes small piles beforehand

961. I'm responsible for my packing
962. Always check what Nathalie packed

963. Run through mental lists 964. Forgets stuff often

965. Don't buy anything specific 966. Maybe mosquito repellant or sunscreen need to have and if there are any disruptions. I double check it the evening before and triple check it the morning I wake up. If there is a problem with the public transport or if it is too early. I would ask a friend or family member to drop me off.

P-JH: I never make us of a taxi service for my outbound journey because it is way too expensive. But what is strange, when I travel for business I do always take a taxi from the destination airport to the hotel

P-JH: Normally we both would carry our own bags but since Nathalie is pregnant, I am guessing that I have to carry both. She is carrying something else nonetheless!

P-JH: Train is always a bit awkward, no matter if you are carrying a small trolley or a backpack I always get the feeling that I am in the way. It's a clumsy situation, the train tilts over and my bag falls over, so I want to grab and now I am almost falling over.

P-JH: Most of the time I sit in the hallway because when you want to enter the coupe you have to walk through such a small doorway and down the steps. It is a less than ideal situation.

Schiphol Baggage Drop off:

P-JH: I have traveled a couple of hundred times, but every time I arrive at Schiphol I have to check the check-in boards to see where I need to go. I always have the feeling that when I arrive at the check-in counters that I haven't walked the most efficient and quickest route.

P-JH: From here it is waiting in the queue, waiting longer, waiting even longer and once it is your turn to drop off your luggage something happens with the machine. So

986. Check 9292 week before

987. Double check evening before

988. Problem PT ask friend

989. Taxi too expensive

990. Business taxi to final destination

991. Both carry own luggage 992 Pregnant, carry both

994. Always in the way 995. Clumsy situation

996. Sit in hallway

997. Traveled 100 times

998. Always check check-in boards 999. Think I don't walk quickest route

1000. Waiting starts from here



now you have to wait for assistance. P-JH: Once I have dropped off my luggage I feel free and happy. Nice, I've got rid of it. It's kind of a strange thing when you think about it because you are so happy to get rid of it but the clothes and items it contains are quite essential for your holiday.	1001. Machine breaks down 1002. Walt for assitance 1003. Feel free and happy 1004. Got rid of it 1005. Strange feeling
P-JH: It is also at this point that my holiday starts. This is the moment that I can relax. The steps before, such as packing and traveling to the airport, I would say are a necessary evil. Schiphol airport:	1006. Holiday starts here 1007. I can relax 1008. Preparing is necessary evil
P-JH: I have become quite efficient when heading through the security. Since a few months, you also have to unpack all your cables. So I pack my cables in small plastic bags in my carry on. This way I can grab all my cables in one go.	1009. Become efficient through security 1010. Pack cables separately
P-JH: I saunter through the airport, and usually buy something to eat or to drink according to the context. Early? Just buy a cup of coffee, but last time I was delayed with Nathalie during the afternoon we had a really nice lunch at a Japanese restaurant.	1011. Saunter 1012. Buy food
P-JH: When I am traveling for leisure purposes I tend to board as late as possible. Because my trips are longer I don't have to worry about the excessive amount of carry on lugage, so there is enough storage space onboard for my backpack. Besides, I going to be on the plane for a while, let's not increase that time.	1013. Leisure, board late 1014. Long flights, less carry on 1015. Don't increase plane time
Flight:	
P-JW: Watch a movie, drink a beer, watch a movie, drink a beer. Usually, we will start off watching a movie together. But after this	1016. Watch a movie drink a beer

Qı	uestion 7:	1036. Luggage tracking
	JW: I would like to have a homing device my luggage so I always know where it is.	
Th tha	JW: Instant access to check-in luggage. the moment that I might need something at is stored in the hold compartment of e plane that I can reach it.	1035. Instant access check-in luggage in plane
so	JW: When I arrive, I would like to have imebody that collects my luggage and ings it to my hotel.	1034. Bring luggage to hotel
ha of tha	JW: Or what I would also love is the oment that I arrive at the airport that I just we to hand over my luggage to a member the airline staff and that I am ensured at they will take care of it. A sort of porter us.	1033. Hand over luggage at arrival airport
my	JW: I want to have the quickest way to y check-in counter or luggage carousel on y mobile phone.	1032. Quickest route airport
Qı	uestion 6:	
ha	JW: Sometimes during my journey, I we this realization that I want something at is packed in my check-in luggage.	1031. Want something in my check in luggage
Lu	iggage thoughts:	
pri	JW: I will start packing or at least eparing for my return journey somewhere thin the last 24 hours before departure.	1030. Start repacking within last 24 hours
Re	eturn journey:	
to be ca	JW: Sometimes the hotel will send a bell by who will grab your bag and bring it up your hotel room. I usually just follow the ill boy but I still enjoy the fact that he is rrying my bag. It's one of those things at makes me happy.	1028. Make use off the bell boy 1029. Enjoy bell boy service

initial movie, she starts watching her romcom and I will probably watch some stupid action flick.	
Arrival:	
grab a trolley. Shit, I need to pay for it nevermind. 10: 10: 10: 10: 10:	017. Leave airport asap 018. Look for carousel 019. Need to pay for trolley 020. Lugqage arrives as last
Transport:	520. Euggage arrives as last
P-JW: Normally when I travel for leisure I have arranged a rental before, for business	021. Leisure arranged rental car
my bag. Is it safe? That is what I'm thinking	022. Don't trust cab driver 023. Is my luggage safe
P-JW: I would prefer to have some sort of pick up service arranged by my hotel before I arrive.	024. Prefer pick-up service hotel
grabbing a cab. It must be a metro or a train. I hate buses. They suck, except the	025. Within Europe grab public transport 026. Metro or train 027. Hate buses
Final Destination:	

P-JW: This is so cool. I leave fully unprepared from home, once I take a seat on the plane everything I want on board is nicely presented in my seat and once I arrive at my final destination all my clothes and other necessities will be in my hotel room or stored in the closet.	1037. Leave unprepared 1038. Everything presented to me onboard 1039. Clothes and necessities at hotel
P-JW: I wouldn't mind just getting new toiletries at the final destination but I do think I would like to have my own clothes. But why not, clean clothes that you like and that fit.	1040. Wouldn't mind new toiletries at destination
P-JW: When you return you just leave it there, and when I arrive back home it will be back at home washed, clean and folded. That I could practically forget about it. I hate to do my own wash when I get back from holiday. It takes me about a week. You grab your towel out of your backpack which	1041. Maybe even clothes 1042. Leave stuff when return 1043. Have it delivered clean and folded
still holds tons of sand. Door 2 Door reaction:	1044. Unpacking takes a week 1045. Sandy towel
P-JW: It would definitely be something that I would be interested in. But it might be more interesting for the business traveler than the leisure traveler. It would be great if I have a set of clean dress shirts everywhere I go. P-JW: I wouldn't send my trolley because it contains a few items which I need the evening before. But if it would only contain clothing than it would be possible, but then I am still carrying something substantial.	1046. Something interested in 1047. More interesting for business 1048. Clean shirts everywhere I go 1050. Wouldn't send trolley 1051. Need items before departure
P-JW: Oh, I could do without my luggage and clothing a week before I depart. That wouldn't be a problem. Even better, If I	1052. Could do week without clothing

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could have a standard set of traveling clothes that would be shipped to my destination. Or that I some company knows what I like to wear and my sizes and then just sends me new clothes.

P-JW: It depends on the total price of the journey. But somewhere between the €50 and €100 is something that I would be willing to pay.

P-JW: I'm not really keen on the idea of having to drop my bag off somewhere. Maybe you could drop it off at a boll.com pickup point or an Albert Heijn.

P-JW: I would love it if it washed. I would be willing to pay the normal laundry fee but not more.

P-JW: I am a service seeker If it improves efficiency or speeds up my journey than I am willing to pay for it.

1053. Best to have standard traveling set

1054. Set shipped to destination

1055. Or new set of clothes shipped

1056. Between 50 and 100

1057. Don't want to drop off luggage 1058. Bol.com or Albert Heijn

1059. Love if clothes are washed

1060. Service seeker 1061. Pay for improved efficiency



Interviewer Julius Blaauw I-JB

Participant Margot Mes

uestion	

P-MM: I am 57 years old work at the UWV, I travel about 3-4 times a year. Both long and short trips for leisure purposes. Short trips are within Europe and longer are to other continents

P-MM: I work as a freelancer at the UWV. 5 P-MM: I work as a Treetanuce of the days a week, and I love to read, stroll through Rotterdam and do some shopping. Just stuff basic people like to do. I love to travel, that is my biggest passion.

P-MM: I would say that my hobby is P-inim: I would say that my nooby is planning my next holiday. My preferred holidays are visiting cities, areas of which know that there aren't a whole lot of other as of which I

P-MM: Trips such as these. I undertake either with my sister in law or my best friend. Sometimes with the kids. I have three children, they are 32, 26 and 23 years

P-MM: If the flight is longer than 6 hours I won't fly economy anymore. Pure from a comfort perspective. Also after 6 hours, I start to get uncomfortable and everything becomes tiring. My feet start to swell, it is just too much.

P-MM: It depends on who I travel with whether or not I take a long journey. Last summer I went to Sweden, but that was with a friend.

P-MM: I fly with her every summer to a city within Europe. We like short city trips. The

402. Travel 3-4 times a year 403. Long and short trips 404. Eu is short

405. Planning holiday is my hobby

406. Love none touristic locations

407. Travel with sister-in law and friends

409. Get uncomfortable after 6 hours

410. Distance trip depends on company

P-MM: My worst experience was in Bangkok. During my return journey, I had to repack my suitcase at the check in because it was heavier than 23 kg. I never think about this, apparently, you cram more stuff in your suitcase when you go back home.

P-MM: So, I had to repack some of my clothing into another bag. That was a really conting into anomer bag. I nat was a reany awful experience. It is something which I find quite difficult to estimate. I am not that organized that I will bring a small scale with me, so it is always a bit of a gamble. Luckily this time I had brought an extra bag, but what if I hadn't?

P-MM: Sometimes what I do, because I fly business class and I'm entitled to 3 check-in bags, is to additionally check in the duffle bag. Just to be sure. Throw all my toiletries in there.

Question 3B

P-MM: The first thing that comes to mind is having to carry it and lifting it onto the conveyer belt. Which is awfully heavy.I find

P-MM: Also that I never know how heavy my suitcase is. I always encounter this problem. If I go on a fancy holiday where I also will bring a nice pair of heels and a dress I usually tend to bring too much clothing.

P-MM: Last time I traveled to Tanzania, somebody had stolen sealed perfume from my bag. So you are never sure what happens to your check-in luggage.

Ouestion 4:

P-MM: Last trin with check-in luggage v P-MM: Last trip with check-in luggage was to Abu Dabhi and within Europe must have been to Stockholm. When I went to Stockholm I traveled through Sweden for 2 429.Overweight suitcase check-in

430. Cram more in on return

431. Repack in other bag

432. Not organized enough to bring scale

433. Gamble on the weight

434. Check in additional bags for safety

435. Carrying luggage by myself

437. No clue how heavy suitcase

438. Bring too much clothing

436. Bothersome to carry

439. Stolen perfume from luggage

440. Check in to Stockholm

summer before I went to Tanzania and every winter I fly to Bangkok because I really like the city and everything there is just chill.

Question 2:

P-MM: Curious because I like to see the P-MM: Curious because I like to see the world, hard-working and organized. I am not a perfectionist but I do need to know that some sort of structure is there. When I depart there needs to be some sort of planning, or some arrangements need to have been made.

P-MM: I love comfort, but I am also able to survive in a hut with no running water or electricity. As long as I know it beforehand.

P-MM: Depending on the trip of course, but either a large 23 kg Samsonite suitcase, a large backpack, one of those large Kipling bags, or a Northface duffel bag, It really depends on the kind of holiday on what I will bring. If I know I have to carry my luggage a lot, I will bring a smaller piece of luggage.

P-MM: Carrying luggage is a serious issue

P-MM: If I have to carry my luggage a lot I will bring a combination of the Kipling and the backpack. I can fit quite a lot in the backpack, this way I have to pack less in the Kipling making it more bearable to carry.

P-MM: I most like to travel with the Samsonite because it is most manageable until you need to carry it. If that is the case am not able to travel with it. 411. Curious to see the world 412. Hard working 413. Somewhat organized

414. Need to have some arrangements

418. Large 23 kg samsonite for long trips 419. Large backpack

420. Kipling bag 421. Northface duffel bag

422. Small luggage if I have to carry

423. Carrying is an issue

424. Combine luggage types to reduce

425. Bearable to carry

426. Prefer large suitcase 427. Most manageable 428. Can't carry it

weeks with my sister in law.

P-MM: I brought one suitcase to Abu Dabhi because I traveled economy and when I went to Stockholm I brought my backpack and my Kipling bag.

P-MM: In my carry-on luggage I pack my e-reader, some napkins, small toiletries and not much more. In my check-in luggage, I pack my shoes, toiletries, and clothing.

P-MM: The kind of clothing that I pack when I go on holiday differ from what I wear on a weekly basis, so I don't necessarily need those items I packed in the days before my departure.

Question 5:

Research & Book

P-MM: I was invited by a friend of mine to come visit her in Abu Dabhi to celebrate h birthday. I think I booked my tickets 2 months before I departed.

P-MM: Stockholm was a different story. I was watching this nature documentary and immediately booked my trip after that documentary via Travelbird. This was 5 months in advance. Sometimes I just know I want to go and book far in advance, whilst other times I might book a few weeks before I depart. This can vary greatly.

P-MM: I like to use booking.com because it allows me to find something really quickly. However, I use it more as an inspirational tool than a booking platform. Because once I have found something I will compare prices on other sites. But I also use Airbnb, is nice.

P-MM: Normally I book through native airline sites, I have the 'my KLM' app on my phone which enables me to easily book

441. 1 suitcase economy

442. Holiday clothing differs from usual clothing 443. Don't need those clothing beforehand

443. Invited by friend

444. Inspired by documentary 445. Impulsive booking via travelbird . Inspired by documentary

446. Might book a few weeks before

447. Booking is easy to find 448. Use it as inspiration

449. Compare prices



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tickets. It is way easier doing this on your phone that on your computer.	450. Book through native sites 451. Make use of native airline application 452. Phone is easier
P-MM: If the flight is longer than 6 hours I will book business. But for our annual trip to Bangkok, I will usually scour the internet for	453. 6 hour flight is business fair
a few days to find the best deal.	454. Scour internet for best deal
P-MM: I use comparison sites like Skyscanner and ticketspy, there is another one of which I have forgotten the name.	455. Use comparison sites
P-MM: Normally I don't buy any ancillaries but when I went to Stockholm I had to purchase a check-in suitcase.	·
Preparing & Packing:	456. Don't buy ancillaries 457. Bought check-in luggage
P-MM: My trip to Abu Dabhi I just packed my bags a day before, I didn't have to prepare anything specially.	
P-MM: I don't make any piles or something, I maintain an overview in my mind. I have always done it this way.	458. Packed day before departure 459 Nothing special packed
P-MM: I check in as soon as possible. I am not sure why actually, I just do it. I don't print my tickets anymore either. I carry all	460. Dont organize clothing 461. Overview in mind
my travel documents digitally.	462. Online check in soon
P-MM: Make sure that my toiletries are security check proof. I don't want them to be thrown away at the airport.	463. Carry documents digitally
	464. Toiletries security proof
P-MM: Also I make sure that I arrange some sort of pickup service at the arrival	
airport or buy my public transport tickets online.	465. Arrange airport pickup
Transport:	466. Buy PT tickets online
P-MM: Normally I travel by car to the airport, either my partner drops me off or a friend. If it is necessary I will even grab a cab. I live really close to the train station,	467. Drop off by car, friend or family
but Liust can't carry my luggage.	

head to the luggage carousel and have to ask a stranger to help me carry my suitcase of the luggage carousel.	485. Ask for help at carousel
P-MM: This isn't a very pleasant situation, it is always a bit awkward.	
Transport:	486. Unpleasant situation carousel
P-MM: I always make sure that before I depart the last part of my trip is arranged. I would never just step into a cab. I either order a trusted chauffeur service	
beforehand or let myself be picked up by the Hotel.	487. Last part off my trip is arranged
P-MM: I must say that when I was in	488. Picked up by chauffeur or hotel
Stockholm, I made use of the public transport. But I had bought my tickets	
beforehand.	489. Grab public transport
Final Destination:	490. Bought tickets beforehand
P-MM: Normally I stay in a hotels, but I tend to book more Airbnb during my city trips.	
P-MM: I first head to my final destination to drop-off my luggage and then head into the	491. Airbnb during city trips
city. I don't really find it necessary or important to head to the hotel first, but I'm	492. Head to final destination to drop luggage
carrying my luggage around so I have to go.	493. Don't find it important to go to hotel
Return journey:	
P-MM: Repacking my suitcase is something I do very last minute. I am not neat at all so I just cramp all my stuff into my suitcase. I	
will take care off it when I arrive home.	494. Repack at the last minute
Luggage thoughts:	495. Will take care off it when I arrive at home
P-MM: I never really think about my luggage during my journey.	496. Don't think about it during journey
Question 6:	430. Don't think about it during journey

P-MM: My holiday starts when I am traveling towards Schiphol.	468. Taxi drop if necessary 469. Can't carry luggage
Schiphol Baggage Drop off:	470. Holiday starts on journey towards Schiphol
P-MM: I don't like to arrive last minute but arriving too early is also something I don't do. I guess I arrive at the recommended time.	471. Don't arrive last minute 472. Arrive recommended time
P-MM: Once I have been dropped off I walk to the baggage check-in desk because I have no clue how a self service drop off works. This is an unpleasant moment for me because I have to carry my bag onto the convever belt.	473. Use check-in counter 474. No clue how self service works
P-MM: I do feel very relieved once I have dropped off my suitcase.	475. Unpleasant to carry onto conveyer belt
P-MM: I am a silver flying blue member so I have access to priority lane. having to queue would also be something terrible.	476. Feel relieved and free
P-MM: I don't really mind the security, it is not ideal but it has improved greatly the last few years. It looks better than before and it seems to operate quicker.	477.make use off priority lane 478. Don't mind security
Schiphol airport:	479. Not ideal
P-MM: Once through security I usually just do a bit of shopping or try to relax in the lounge with a cup of coffee.	
Flight:	480. Do a bit off shopping 481. Go to lounge 481. Drink a cup of coffee
P-MM: On board I try to read on my E-reader. When I arrive at my seat I first grab the things that I want to use during the flight and then I will store it in the overhead bin.	482. Read on E-read 483. Grab things I need 484. Store bag overhead bin
Arrival:	To 1. Store bag sysmeth bill
P-MM: Once I have deboarded my flight I	

D MM. Distance at aircraft is according to a	
P-MM: Pick up at airport is something I can appreciate greatly. No queue's is something that I would also like to see, not too much hassle at the security, I like bellboys that can carry my luggage.	497. Airport pickup 498. No queues 499. Hassle security 500. Bellboys carry my luggage
Question 7:	ooc. Bomboyo carry my laggage
P-MM: My ideal journey would be if I wouldn't have to carry my own luggage, but having it picked up a week before I depart is also not something that I would like. It would make me feel a bit nervous. I would like to have the ability to pack something in	501. Dont carry luggage 502. No pickup week before
my suitcase last minute. P-MM: However, if you can leave your house without having to carry any luggage,	503. Feel nervous 504. Pack last minute
you would feel very free. In that case, I would be able to take the train towards Schiphol. It feels great not having to travel with luggage.	505. Leaving without luggage 506. Feel free 507. Make use off train
Door 2 Door reaction:	
P-MM: A week is way too long, I would say the evening before I depart. However, that is not possible of course. Else you really have to make a u-turn in your ritual and really know what you have packed.	508. Week is too long 509. A night before pickup
P-MM: You also need to think about what kind of clothing you might need over there,	510. Change packing ritual
when I traveled to Abu Dabhi the weather wasn't that hot, so I had also packed clothes that I could have worn over here.	511. Think about kind off clothing
P-MM: But when we travel to Bangkok, my partner is always dragging along a few suits. It would be nice if that wasn't	512. Needed similar clothing
necessary anymore. P-MM: When I return from my holiday I take	513. Partner dragging suits 514. Wouldn't be necessary
my time doing the laundry. This usually	
happens in a few stages because I have a maid who helps me.	515. Take time for laundry 516. Few stages



P-MM: Is it also possible for Airbnb? That trip to Stockholm would have been perfect for this trip. This way I wouldn't have had to carry my bags.

P-MM: I would be willing to pay €70, I think that is reasonable. Especially when I am traveling alone. I am not going to carry my luggage is it isn't necessary.

P-MM: One of the things about an Airbnb is that it is less easily accessible than let's say a Hotel. You need to figure out where to go, a solution like this would be great. This way I can also head directly into the city.

P-MM: I wouldn't like to drop it off. As long as they can collect my suitcase after works hours, lets say after 18:00.

- 517. Maid helps me
- 518. Perfect for Airbnb 519. Wouldnt have to carry
- 520. Willing to pay €70
- 521. When Im traveling alone 522. Not carrying if not necessary
- 523. Airbnb less accessible 524. Luggage service would be great
- 525. No drop off. 526. Pickup from 6 o-clock



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Interviewer: Julius Blaauw Participant: Marianne Vogel I-JB: Could you please explain why you would describe yourself as a relaxe P-MV: I am a relaxed traveler because I 1.Relaxed travelle have completed everything that should be done before I depart. When I leave my 2. Well organized house I don't have to think about how or 3. Don't have to think I-JB: So you would say that you are prepared for before you have to leave? P-MV· Yes I-.IB: And to be able to be ready for departure so far ahead, are there any activities or actions you have to complete or do you make use of any services? P-MV: Usually I am just busy with stuff at Prepare at home
 Early access conve home, I think it is really handy that I can check-in before I start my journey. This safe's me a lot of time. I am departing tomorrow and I have already checked-in 6. Precheck-in I-JB: Do you have any other habits when it comes to traveling? P-MV: I usually check if I have everything at 7. Multiple checks 8. Complete least three times before I depart to the

P-MV: I prefer to take a handbag and a carry-on trolley because it is all allowed onboard. that way I can skip the luggage carousel at the arrival airport and you are sure that it will not be lost by the airport. I-JB: You are sure that it arrives? P-MV: I am always afraid that my luggage

I-JB: You also wrote down, I can handle

this on my own. P-MV: I can either take a trolley and a

handbag or a suitcase and a handbag. I much more prefer the first combination because it is easier for me to carry. The only reason why I would ever consider of taking all the three baggage items would be if I need a lot of things on my holiday.

I-JB: The last question is about the worst experience you have had with check-in luggage, could you elaborate on this?

P-MV: A suitcase got lost once and traveling with golf clubs. Having to drag these bags all over the airport to find the spot where you need to drop them off. It is awful, and then when you arrive at your arrival airport you have to look for them. Usually, they are just discarded somewhere in a corner, not even being guarded nronerly

I-JB: Do you have friends or colleagues that share this opinion about odd-size luggage?

21. Light Luggage combination

23. Skip lines

24. In charge of own luggage

25. Anxious lost for luggage

26. Choice in luggage combination

27. Preference light luggage combination

28. Heavy luggage combination

29. Necessity amount of clothing

30. Lost luggage

31. Travelling with odd-size 32. Burden carrying odd-size 33. Long walk

34. Bad pick-up point35. Luggage handled badly36. Not guarded luggage

airport and when I arrive at the airport I check the labels that the ground staff puts on my suitcase. Because I have had the experience that the wrong label was put on my suitcase which lead to my suitcase being shipped to Lagos - Portugal instead of Lagos - Nigeria

I can assure that if your suitcases arrive without you at Lagos - Nigeria, you are going to miss a few items when you unpack

I-JB: Do you think this is the ideal type of traveler to be or do you wish you were a bit different? How would you describe this type

P-MV: Organized, I am an organized traveler and wouldn't just impulsively catch a flight to somewhere. I like to have the feeling that there is a place for me to stay at my destination.

I-JB: With which kind luggage pieces do you travel most and why do you choose to travel with these types of luggage?

P-MV: I usually travel with a handbag and a suitcase. I need the extra carrying space because when I go on holiday I am usually away for longer than 3 days. I need guite a lot of clothing and other necessities which don't fit in a carry-on trolley.

I-JB: And if we look at what type of luggage you most like to bring along on your holiday?

9. Check ground staff

10. Bad experience

11. Wrong destination

12. Unguarded

13. Stolen items luggage

14 Well prepared

15. Not impulsive

16. Be assured

17. Medium heavy luggage combination

18. Need for carrying space

20. Limitation carry on

P-MV: Most people that I know that book a golf holiday have a similar experience and you always have to pay extra luggage fees to be able to bring you luggage. It is not included in your ticket. That is why I think the odd-size luggage service is very bad, especially since your belongings are not guarded properly.

I-JB: Could you please describe your

P-MV: When I think about check-in luggage I think about packing my suitcase, checking if I have all the necessary items, labeling your own luggage with name tags and bandana's so that I can always recognize my luggage. I use the name tag in case something goes wrong and my suitcase ends up missing. Once I have completed this, I head to the airport and check-in. Off course I check and see if the ground staff has put the right label on my suitcase, but I must say that with self-check-in kiosks this is less of a problem

I-JB: Do you place your labels yourself?

P-MV: Yes, It is really easy. Then afterward you drop it off at the luggage bins and hope

I-JB: Do you think that other people would have the same associations as you?

P-MV: I think that people who have not traveled as much as I have, think more freely about or do not even think about what can go wrong with your luggage

37. Friends similar experiences

38. Have to pay extra luggage fees

39. Bad opinion service

40. Not being looked after properly

41. Packing 42. Double check packed items

43. Self labeling 44. Making suitcase recognizable

45. Precaution if luggage is lost

46. Travel to airport

47. Check work ground crew

48. Pleasant experience kiosk

49. Like self service 50. Drop -off luggage

51. Experienced traveller

52. People don't know what can go wrong



because they have not experienced it as much as I have

I-JB: If we look at the luggage that you have packed within the different baggage types, what would you feel are essential items that you need to have within an arm's

P-MV: I am dependent on medication so that is a must to have with me at all times. Furthermore, I have special lenses in my glasses and sunglasses so that is also nice to have with me. Oh. I also like to read. during my trip so I guess a book. The rest can actually be stowed away in my check-in

I-JB: If we look at the items that you have packed in your check-in luggage, how long could you do without before your

P-MV: Most of the items I pack in my suitcase have spares or duplicates for at home or are very specific for that trip and are not necessary for my daily life. Take my toiletries, for instance, that is just stuff I have in my bathroom. If necessary I would be able to miss these items a week before

I-JB: And would you like this?

P-MV: Yes, because your luggage has been checked in and taken care of and you do not have to think about it anymore. This is really what it means to travel light because I would only carry my handbag and a small bag for onboard.

53. Medication important item

54. Glasses important item

55. Entertainment important

56. Pack items of which I have duplicates

57. Very specific items for that trip

58. Could miss items for longer period of time

59. Would like to have luggage pre checked

60. No luggage worries anymore

61. Travel light with small bags

check if I have packed all of my medication.

I-JB: Do you check the weather or look at

P-MV: No I don't but I general I know that the roads towards Schiphol are very busy in the morning. Unpredictable actually when you think of it. That is why I try to take this into account and depart earlier from home than I have to.

I-JB: This means that you travel by car to

P-MV: Public transport is way too risky. How many times has the train been delayed by a defect train in the Schiphol tunnel? Usually, a friend or family member drops me off at the airport. Tomorrow, for instance, I am being picked up by my friend who is traveling with me to Abu Dabhi.

I-JB: You don't feel uncomfortable asking people to drive you towards the airport?

P-MV: People always offer to bring me. It is nice that somebody cares for you, and usually. I have a nice chat with the person before I leave so that is something that I always enjoy. I also drive a lot of people to Schiphol, I like to drive that route

I-JB: Now that we have had the journey to the airport, what do you do once you arrive?

P-MV: The services at Schiphol are nice and efficient, so if I arrive early I like to

71. Double check important items

72 Not worried about weather when

73. Experience with busy roads to Schiphol 74. Unpredictable journey to airport 75. Anticipate disruption 76. Precaution to depart early

77. Distrust in public transport system 78. Train has had disruptions many times

79. Dropped off at airport 80. Picked up by friend and travelling partner 81. Travelling partner is friend

82. Offered to be brought 83. Somebody cares for you 84. Enjoyable trip to airport 85. Return the favour 86. Like driving to Schiphol

87. Good service at Schiphol

ustomer Journey Map

I-JB: How before you depart do you start packing your bag?

P-MV: Usually a week before I depart. I put my suitcase in the backroom and attach a drying rack to my door on which I hang different sets of clothes. This is a kind of process that develops itself in a week.
Sometimes I remove certain items from the rack and replace them with others and then at the end of the week I hang the original items back. It just how I like to prepare for my trip. I see this dry rack as a sort of presentation pedestal. It also helps me pack because I can quickly see if I pack similar items, haha, it prevents me from packing the same items three times

I-JB: And this process takes about a week. but if necessary could you do it more quickly? and would you want to?

P-MV: Yes, of course, I could do it more quickly, because if I need to leave very quickly for any kind of reason, I would be able to pack my suitcase within 10 minutes. But that is mostly due to my travel

I-JB: Let's take a look at the last day before you depart, what are the final things that

P-MV: I start of by checking if I haven't brought too many shoes, then I double 62. Prepare one week before departure

63. Use dry rack to display clothes

65 Provides overview what I nack

66. Prevents overpacking

67. Able to do it more quickly

68. Ready to go within 10 minutes

70. Check amount of items packed

have a bit of breakfast and look at all the other travelers. Then after this, I perform my last few groceries at the airport before I depart

I-JB: Have you ever traveled towards the airport with public transport?

P-MV: No I have not. Mainly because I think it is cumbersome. I have to enter the bus with two pieces of luggage after which I need to buy a ticket at the train station. Once I have entered the train you need to find a seat where you can still keep an eye on your luggage and then the hassle of getting of at the crowded Schiphol station where you have to navigate through the crowds. It is not a relaxing way of travel

I-JB: Once you have checked in and gone through security, is there a moment that you think about your check-in luggage?

P-MV: Well, when I am waiting at the gate and I see those large luggage trolleys arrive at the airplane, I am always on the lookout for my own suitcase. I must say that I feel relieved once I have spotted mine! I currently have a bright pink suitcase, which is quite noticeable

I-JB: Can you tell me a bit about your experiences at the arrival airport

P-MV: Visum anecdote..... Our luggage was thrown somewhere on the ground in the arrival hall because we were the last to arrive due to the extremely long lines at the visa collection desk.

89. Look at travellers 90. Last minute shopping

90. Does not travel with public transport 91. Too much of a hassle 92. Amount of luggage

93. Buy ticket for public transport 94. Need to monitor luggage

95. Navigating through crowd

96. Non relaxing travel

97. Waiting for departure

98. Check luggage trolley

99. Look for own suitcase

100. Feel relieved when found

101. Luggage thrown 102. Random spot

103. Last to arrive



I-JB: Where you worried that your luggage would be missing?	
P-MV: No, because I was confident that it would be there this flight.	
I-JB: How long would it take you to prepare for you return journey.	104. Confident about luggage arrival
P-MV: I think that I can repack for my trip back to the Netherlands within 30 minutes. It is easy because I don't really have to	405 D
think about what I have to pack, just have	105. Repack within 30 minutes
to make sure that when I pack I pack all the items that I brought with me.	106. Not a hard task 107. Know what to pack
I-JB: This was quite a big and long trip to a different continent. But if we would look at a trip that you took a while back to Malta, how would they differ from each other when looking at the preparation aspect of traveling?	108. Check I packed everything I brought
P-MV: When I travel within Europe I usually start preparing a week before I depart. This is also due to the fact that I only had to pack summer dresses and more casual clothing instead of more specialized outfits. I-JB: And did you also travel to the airport by car that time?	109. Travel continental 110. Prepare 1 week 111. Only common items 112.No specialized outfits
P-MV: Yes, a friend of my drove me to the airport.	114. Brought by a friend to the airport
I-JB: What kind of baggage items did you pack?	
P-MV: I had the same kind of baggage items, so my suitcase and a large handbag.	115. Same baggage combination

P-MV: Yes, I would most definitely make use of a taxi then. I-JB: You arrive at your final destination, your hotel, but is this also the place you want to head to initially or do you want to head into the city immediately?	130. Yes choose taxi service
P-MV: I like to freshen up a bit and unpack my suitcase after which I like to orientate myself a bit. Where am I situated in the city, how far away are all the must-see sights? I prefer this way more instead of being dropped at the beach and then having to look for your hotel afterward.	131. Freshen up on arrival 132. Unpack suitcase 133. Orientate on location 134. Locations and sights around hotel 135. Preference for settling down 136. Don't like looking for my hotel
I-JB: Which 5 services or things do you think will improve your travel experience?	
P-MV: Well I think some sort of door-to-door service where I get picked up at home and dropped off at the airport and off course eventually brought to my final destination.	137. Door to door service 138. Dropped off at airport 139. Dropped off at final destination
I also like to have good coffee when I travel. It relaxes me and helps achieve that start of the holiday feeling. Some shops at the airport that if I have forgotten anything I can still purchase them. I also think it is important that there are good and clean facilities such as toilets and showers. Like when you travel business class that you can make use of the showers in the lounge, this is something that they	140. Good coffee 141. Helps me relax 142. Start holiday experience 143. Shops at the airport 144. In case I have forgotten something 145. Clean bathroom facilities 146. Travel business class 147. Make use of shower 148. Service available for everyone

I-JB: How was your airport experience at Malta? P-MV: Was quite nice. Because it is so small in comparison to Schiphol everything is a lot more efficient and quicker. When I arrived I could immediately head through border security and my luggage was already presented on the carousel. Once I collected my luggage I head for the exit where the driver of the hotel was waiting for us. I was then brought to the hotel by taxi bus, which was arranged by the tour operator. I-JB: So you usually make use of a taxi or limousine service of some sort?	116. Small airport Malta 117. Efficient process 118. Immediately head through security 119. Luggage already presented 120. Driver of hotel waiting 121. Brought to hotel with taxi bus 122. Tour operator in charge
P-MV: Yes, I always try to book this within my journey. This way I am sure that I arrive at the place where I am supposed to be. Except when I went to Barcelona because I read that the Shuttle bus service was great and very quick. The only thing that still bothered me about that service is that you always have the feeling that you need to keep an eye on your luggage. I-JB: Would you make use of the shuttle bus if you were carrying a suitcase? P-MV: I would find It uncomfortable if I would have to drag a heavy suitcase towards and in that bus. I-JB: Would you say that traveling with a suitcase is a defining factor for you to make use of a taxi if a pickup service is not included within your holiday package?	123. Always book door-to-door service 124. Shure to arrive at final destination 125. Exception in Barcelona 126. Great shuttle bus service 127. Bothered about service 128. Keep eyes on luggage

airport or the airline should also offer its economy passengers.	
economy passengers.	
I-JB: When we look at the last question,	
what would be your perfect future journey	
with check-in luggage, what would your answer he?	
anono. se :	
P-MV: Well that you can dispose of your luggage earlier, that would be great. The	
best thing would be that your luggage	149. Dispose of luggage early
would already be at your final destination. It would be the best that when I set foot	150. Luggage already at final destination
outside my front door, that I have that 'I am	151. Leave home
on a holiday' feeling.	152. Experience holiday feeling
I-JB: You don't have that feeling now? What	
is the biggest cause of this?	
P-MV: I think that the queues at Schiphol	
have a lot to do with that and all the	
security checkpoints you have to cross.	153. Queues at Schiphol 154. Many security checkpoints
I-JB: Let's say that it is possible to book a	104. Wally Scoulty checkpoints
service that allows you to send your	
luggage to your final destination. How much	
would you be willing to pay for this?	
P-MV: I would be willing to pay €100 for a	
return flight. I think that seems like a	155. Pay a 100 euros
reasonable price.	156. Reasonable price
I-JB: How much do you currently pay to be	
able to travel with check-in luggage?	
P-MV: Nothing, it was included in my ticket	
because of the distance of the flight.	



I-JB: Well ok, that was it thank you very much for your participation.	157. Did not pay for luggage 158. Included due to distance



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Question 1:

P-MH: My name is Mark, I am 27 years old. I currently work in the sports technology sector. I travel around 10 times a year, both by plane and car for either business or leisure. I love to travel to the beach with friends because it is awesome

P-MH: I tried to select 3 characteristics. I've chosen, ambitious, realistic and efficient. I find the combination of ambitious and find the combination of ambitious and realistic an interesting combination. I am realistic ambitious which means that without overestimating myself, I try to make the most of everything that is possible. And being efficient fits well with these characteristics but only if the pressure is there, in my case.

P-MH: I am a cautious traveler, because I just can handle the public transport. In my mind an airplane is also a form of public transport I am a cautious traveler because I know how people work that travel with carry on luggage, so my realistic and shitty conclusions is, if you can't beat them than join them. I want to be onboard on time so

1326. Travel 10 times

1327. Plane and car

1328. Beach is awesome

1329. Ambitious 1330. Realistic 1331. Efficient

1332. Overestimating myself

1333. Make most off everything 1334. Being efficient

1335. Cautious traveler 1336. Know how people work

1337. Join them

can weigh a total of 25 kg, and on the way back because there was still a bit of water in the kites the bag weight 27 kg

P-MH: In the ski bag I just pack my snowboard, boots, ski clothing and protection. So basically everything needed for the holiday except my normal clothing.

P-MH: I didn't have to pay anything because it was included in KLM's fare.

Question 3B:

P-MH: Where is my luggage? When I P-Min: where is my juggage? when I checked the piece in I will never see it again until the end of the journey. So is my juggage in the system, has it been packed inside the plane, is it on its way to the conveyor belt, which carousel do I need to go to?

P-MH: Will my suitcase be checked, will it be opened, by whom, and why was it opened?

P-MH: What are the dimensions of the allowed baggage? They vary slightly for different airlines, this really sucks. It just needs to be one standardized size. Everybody specially buy's these carry-on trolley and then for some reason it is too for this one airline.

P-MH: Last time I traveled I didn't have a P-MH: Last time I traveled I didn't have a scale to weigh my suitcase, so I was a bit anxious when I departed because I didn't know if my suitcase would be the right weight? When I arrived it was too heavy, but I just smiled at the check-in lady and she didn't make a big deal out of it. But on my return journey I had to pay £00,- because is weight 27 kg instead of 23 kg.

Question 4:

P-MH: Amsterdam to Capetown, with

1354. Everything I need except clothing

1355. Included in fare

1356. Where is my luggage? 1357. Never see it

1358. Luggage in the system 1359. Packed on plane

1361. Dimensions 1362. Variations sucks 1363. One standardized size

1364. No scale 1365. Anxious at departure 1366. Suitcase right weight

1367. Pay extra return

that I can have my carry-on above my seat.

P-MH: That is the reason that I stand in the long line before boarding. I have experienced it a few times that my carry on was not near my seat, and that beats the whole purpose of carry on luggage.

P-MH: One of the main reasons why I want it close to me is because I want to leave the plane early. 9 out of 10 trips I won't even touch my carry-on luggage.

P-MH: I travel most with carry-on trolley, P-MH: I travel most with carry-on trolley, because within Europel want to skip the check in queue and recovery carousel. And I have this peaceful feeling carrying my own luggage with me during the entire journey. I also like the compartments within the trolley, this way I can easily organize my stuff. I will just carry this trolley and either a check in bag, not a backpack. If I really need backpack at my final destination I will pack in in the trolley.

P-MH: This is my favorite piece of luggage because this way I can deboarded the

P-MH: My worst experience is not that had but I had to wait for a while for my check-in

P-MH: I have traveled with Ski's and r-win. I have taveled will ski s and kitesurf gear. I have a special ski bag and my kite surfing gear is packed in a golf bag. This is more of an aviation hack, because the handlers never knew what they were handling when operating my Kite surfing gear. It is basically a kite surfing bag, but the word golf bag is printed on it very big.

P-MH: I pack my board, two kites, my wetsuit, bar and special surf belt. Once that is packed I just stuff it as full as possible. It 1338. Stand in line boarding

1339. C.O. not near seat

1340. Leave plane early

1341. Don't touch C.O.

1342. Most C.O. trolly

1343. Skip queue 1344. Peaceful feeling own luggage

1345. Compartmens help organize

1346. C.O. and Check in

1347. Deboard guickly

1348. Wait on C.I.

1349. Ski & Kitesruf gear 1350. Special bag 1351. Kitesurf in golf bag 1352. Travel hack

1353. Stuff full as possible

colleagues. We are spread over the world bonding get together. Also the biggest kite surf event of the year is held in Capetown, which is important for our business.

P-MH: I traveled with my colleague but this was not intentional, on the way back I flew by myself.

P-MH: I didn't bring any check-in luggage besides my kite surf bag. I kinda regret it because I should have brought an extra one so that I didn't have to pay extra.

on, chargers, book, contact lenses. And ir my kite bag I packed: Kite gear, toiletries towels, wetsuit, and sunscreen.

P-MH: Things that are really essential for me during this trip are my laptop, so I can do a bit of work and my contact lenses.

P-MH: It depends on what kind of person you are, I have multiple spares of my tolletries for example but I guess that I can do without check-in luggage for around 2 days.

Question 5:

Research & Book

P-MH: We realised at the company that this would a great opportunity for us to have a team bonding trip. So we knew a year before we departed that we would be going. It has become an annual thing.

P-MH: When traveling within Europe I'm usually triggered to book 6 weeks before departure. There are a few triggers though, first that somebody tells me that they want to go skiing, but I think that I will start researching and booking 6 weeks before

1368. Travel with colleague

1369. Regret not extra suitcase

1371. Essential Laptop & Contact lenses

1372. Depends on type person 1373. Spares toiletries 1374. 2 days without C.I.

1375. Knew year before 1376. Annual thing

1377. Within Europe, 6 weeks before

1378. Different triggers 1379. Somebody tells me



P-MH: But I also love the spontaneous trips, for instance if I see that it is going to snow on Wednesday, I might just decide to go on friday and start driving towards the slopes on saturday. It really depends.	1380. Love spontaneous trips 1381. Just decide to go
P-MH: But on average I would have to say between the 4 and 6 weeks. But if I start looking actively I can have it arranged within a week.	1382. Average booking 4-6 weeks 1383. Can arrange in 1 week
P-MH: I usually use a few channels and then check to see which is most affordable. So, expedia, google flights, cheaptickets. But the last few times I have flown I choose	1384. Different channels most affordable
to book at KLM, because I just trust them. In the end, the cheaper airlines will hide	1385. Chose klm trust them
costs which will eventually lead to your journey costing almost the same.	1386. Cheaper airlines hide costs 1387. Costing almost same
P-MH: I book a lot of hotels but I have to say that I am booking more Airbnb's now. I only hear good things about airbnb, and it is cheaper than other accommodations. The house we had in South-Africa was really chill!	1388. Book a lot hotels 1389. Start booking Airbnb's
P-MH: It depends on who I travel with. My parents for instance will stay at a hotel and not an airbnb.	1390. Depends on companion
P-MH: I had the luck of KLM's wereld deal weeks, but I usually miss those.	1391. Usually miss deals
P-MH: I usually don't rent cars because I don't need them, and if I need a car I will	1392. Usually don't rent cars
either rent it for one day or just make use of ubers. This time however I needed a car because we had to do a lot of work related things, so I decided to rent one on the company credit card.	1393. Rent car 1 day 1394. Use ubers
Preparing & Packing:	
P-MH: This happens in different steps, let's say that I need a visa than I will	1395. Different steps

P-MH: Getting off the train is a point where everybody want to get in and out at the same time, but I just head through the stream of people and head on up to the airport.	1420. Head through stream of people
Schiphol Baggage Drop off	
P-MH: I like to play it safe when it comes to arriving at the airport, so for EU flights I choose to arrive around 1,5 hours before I arrive and for intercontinental flights I choose to arrive around 2,5 hours before departure. Missing your flight must be the suckiest thing in the world.	1421. Play it safe 1422. 1,5 h EU 1423. 2,5 h ICA
P-MH: I first check where I need to drop off my luggage on those screens at the airport and then afterwards I will head to the check in desk.	1424. First check drop off 1425. Head over to desk
P-MH: In EU I like to have my boarding card digitally and for intercontinental flights I like to make use printed boarding cards, just to be sure.	1426. EU boarding card digital 1427. ICA paper
P-MH: I was personally approached that I needed to head to another drop off point because of my odd-size luggage. Put my bag on the counter to weigh it, and saw that it was to heavy. So I laughped kindly at the check-in lady and she didn't make a fuss of it. Afterwards you need to go to the middle	1428. Personally approached 1429. Other drop off point
of the hall and drop it off at the odd-size belt. I've done this before so I know what to expect.	1430. Know what to expect
P-MH: I don't worry about my luggage at all for it being damaged. I know how it can be handled so I think it is your responsibility to pack it carefully and be a bit prepared mentally.	1431. Don't worry damage 1432. Responsibility pack carefully 1433. Prepared mentally
P-MH: The guy in front of me was whining about that his bag is fragile, but at that moment I think to myself. Dude you do realize that this message is never going to	

immediately arrange this when I have booked my ticket.	1396. Arrange visa immediately
P-MH: But the actual packing will happen only one day before departure. I will start	1397. Packing on day before
off by laying everything on my bed and checking if I have everything and if I am not	1398. Laying everything on bed
missing anything, or if it is too much and then I will just throw it in my suitcase.	1399. Check and not missing 1400. Or too much
P-MH: I don't take into account that I might need to wash something, if something is dirty then I will not bring it along. Only if it is possible to wash it there. But clothing that	1401. Don't wash something 1402. Dirty don't bring
are very specific, like my snowboard outfit are washed 2 days after my arrival and will not be used until the next time.	1403. Specific clothing 1404. Washed after return
P-MH: The only thing that is different for EU trips versus intercontinental is that you need twice the amount of clothes.	1405. Difference ICA 1406. Twice amount clothes
P-MH: I always check in online as soon as possible and choose the seat that I want to sit on. I am quite long, and I want to have a window seat. It helps me sleep better and I don't have to stand up for anyone who want to go to the toilet.	1407. C.I. soon as possible 1408. Choose seat 1409. Long and window
Transport	
P-MH: I check the public transport the night before I depart, this way I am sure that I will not miss my train.	1410. Check transport day before 1411. Not miss train
P-MH: Usually I grab the train because I can step on the train right in front of my house, and get off underneath the airport. The connection is really convenient.	1414. Usually train 1415. Get on in front house 1416. Connection convenient
P-MH: If you have a good bag for your odd-size gear, the journey towards the airport is doable. It still is a bit of a hassle and I would most definitely not sit in a	1417. Good bag, journey odd-size doable 1418. Still a hassle
coupe but in the hallway of the train. I don't want to burden other people.	1419. Don't burden people

be repeated to other people further along in	
the process that are handling your bags? Just buy a better bag.	1434. Just buy better bag
P-MH: When I dropped my bag I have this feeling of security that because it will go on board. I will also go onboard. And it is very	1435. Bag dropped secure feeling
relaxing that I don't have to carry that bag anymore, so this is the moment that I will try to relax and grab a cup of coffee.	1436. Relaxing don't have to carry
P-MH: If I am alone at the airport I usually just head through security immediately else I if somebody brought me I will drink a quick coffee at Schiphol plaza.	1437. Usually head through security
P-MH: My holiday feeling starts when I	1438. Holiday starts at packing
pack my suitcase, than closing the door behind me, but the biggest moment is when I drop off my suitcase.	1439. Biggest moment drop off
P-MH: The security check can take a while, but I always take this into account. But the security check at Schiphol is the best, it radiates this image of peace and quiet.	1440. Security takes a while
Schiphol airport	
P-MH: Once through security and passport check, I usually go to the toilet and buy a bottle of water. But I didn't have that much time, even though I was well in advance, the time it takes for me to check in my bags and head through security is always longer than anticipated.	1441. Check in longer than anticipated
P-MH: I bought a scale because I didn't want to have that uncertainty again, if my bags would be too heavy.	1442. Bought scale
P-MH: To make sure that we could navigate in Capetown I quickly downloaded the offline google maps map.	
Boarding:	
P-MH: And soon the 'sheep' queue will start	1443. Sheep queue



to form at the gate, so I usually head to the gate quite on time. The reason why I do it is because I want to have space for my carry-on but also to get a sense of security. I am queueing I can't miss my flight now.	1444. Head early gate 1445. Space for C.O. 1446. Queueing can't miss flight
Flight:	
P-MH: Normally I just watch a movie, listen to some music and have something to eat. However, this was the first time that I managed to do some work on the plane. I had to wireframe some app faces.	1447. First work plane
Arrival:	
P-MH: I first run to the toilet because tend to avoid going to the toilet on board. Afterwards I head through the visa and passport check and go through to the baggage reclaim carousel.	1448. First run toilet 1449. Head through visa 1450. Reclaim carousel
P-MH: The first thing that I tend to do is not to look for my luggage carousel number but to look for the odd-size carousel. So this is the moment for me to exit my sheep mode and start doing my own thing.	1451. Look for odd-size 1452. Exit sheep mode
P-MH: This is quite a popular trip for odd-size travelers, so spotting the odd-size carousel want't hat difficult. But still, when the light starts to blink above the carousel you still hope that your suitcase leaves exits first.	1453. Lot odd- size travelers 1454. Hope your suitcase first
P-MH: I don't have any fear that my gear is damaged or that it will arrive, well at least less than with my normal lugage because I know that a lot of manual labor is involved in this process. They must be a real idiot to lose such a big bag.	1455. Don't fear 1456. Must be idiots 1457. Manual labor
P-MH: When you grab your bag it is twice as heavy, because you are so tired from your trip.	1458. Bag twice heavy 1459. Tired from trip
P-MH: Afterwards, look for an ATM and	

1477. No stress C.O. Check
1478. No limits weight and size 1479. Luggage beats me 1480. Deboard took while 1481. Bag was waiting for me 1482. Luggage final destination 1483. Unpacked final destination
1484. Don't mind somebody unpack
1485. Odd-size is drag 1486. Just accept it
1487. Schiphol taxi interesting
1488. Taxi drive to plane
1489. Interested using service
1490. Shouldn't cost too much 1491. Not pay legroom
1492. 100% percent guarantee

grab some cash.	
Transport:	
P-MH: We had to look for the rental company but we had to drag our heavy gear over the airport, so my colleague decided to grab a trolley.	1460. Look for rental 1461. Drag heavy gear 1462. Grab trolly
P-MH: When we found the car rental we had to use our tertris skills to fit everything we brought into the car.	1463. Use tetris skills
Final Journey:	
P-MH: Interesting journey to the airbnb, driving on the wrong side of the road while I had to navigate through the dark countryside.	
Return journey:	
P-MH: I start preparing my luggage a day before I depart, start cleaning, desand and dry my kites to save weight. Then start to pack everything neatly again, including my clothes.	1464. Prepare luggage day before 1465. Clean and desand 1466. Pack neatly again
P-MH: When I travel within Europe, I start to think about it a day before I depart but will start to pack as late as possible. Normally I also bring a laundry bag, so I just have to toss that in my bag and I am done.	1467. EU day before 1468. Pack late possible 1469. Bring laundry bag
Luggage thoughts:	
P-MH: I don't really think about my luggage when I am through security, it is nice to see it but it doesn't do much for me.	1470. Don't think about luggage 1471. Nice to see 1472. Doesn't do much
Question 6:	
P-MH: I've chosen extra legroom, especially within EU because the seats are really small. Carry-on luggage within reach. No queues: that must be so chill. An	1473.Extra leg room 1474. C.O. within reach 1475. No queues 1476. Universal dimensions

percent guarantee that it will arrive. If it doesn't arrive and I need to head back to the airport to take care of this, that is totally fucked up.	4400 510 4
P-MH: What I mean with not too much is the same price for extra legroom? Let say €40 return. Well come to think of it. I would	1493. €40 return 1494. Compare cost taxi
need to compare it to how much the Schiphol taxi service costs.	1495. Same cost C.I.
P-MH: If it would be the same as normal	1496. Curious guy
check-in luggage I think I would try it, just because I am a quite curious guy. And if it pleases me, I will probably continue to use	1497. Pleases, continue use
it.	1498. City trip
P-MH: During my city trips I first want to go	1499. Drop off first
to the hotel to drop off my suitcase, also so	1500. Secure feeling
that I get that secure feeling: 'I can definitely stay here tonight'. However, If I	1501. Receive message same guarantee
receive an email or a text saying your luggage is waiting for you in your hotel room that would have the same guarantee feeling as having a key card for instance or being check-in at the hotel.	1502. Same as key
being encor-in at the notes.	1503. Drop off ok
P-MH: Not a problem with dumping my suitcase, but I don't want to pick it up somewhere in a city. My hotel should do that for me	1504. Pick up not city
P-MH: A week is too long without my	1505. Week is too long
sultcase if I travel with odd-size even with normal luggage. I mean the conditions can change quite a bit during that time.	1506. Conditions can change

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I-JB: Could you please introduce yourself by presenting the answers that you have given in the first assignment?	
P-MP: My name is Michiel, I am 40 years old. I like to travel to Bali because I enjoy good weather, do active things on my holiday's and like to surf. In daily life I work in my own company usually, I just sit at the office. The last year I have traveled to Portugal, Bali which are my favorite destinations and I visited my brother in the	1507. Active things holiday
states and this I usually do this by myself.	1508. Usually by myself
I-JB: And why are Portugal and Bali your favorite destinations?	
P-MP: Well they are great destinations for surfing, that is the main reason. And the weather is great in Bali during the winter.	1509. Weather is great
I-JB: Looking at the purpose of your trip, you would describe them as solely leisure?	
P-MP: Yes I would say pure leisure and vacation.	1510. Pure leisure

P-MP: Yes, I need some sort of goal when I travel and I need to have something to do. I have issues with sitting still and being quiet.	1518. Goal when travel 1519. Issues sitting still
I-JB: And how does this translate into what kind of traveler you are?	
P-MP: Looking from a luggage perspective I usually travel with a rucksack, and I'm generally well prepared. Everything within arm's reach, check-in in a quick manner and then straight through to the customs and security check.	1520. Travel with rucksack 1521. Generally well prepared 1522. Everything quick
I-JB: How have you described yourself at 2B?	
P-MV: As a solo traveler, for an extended period of time, last time was for 33 days through Indonesia. I enjoy it but I have noticed that other people find this a long time to be away, especially when you are traveling alone. And I tend to do things that	1523. Solo traveler
regular tourists would not, stay clear of the well-known brands and franchises and dive into the local culture.	1524. Dive into local culture
I-JB: Well you have stated that you are a soloist and well-prepared traveler, but to be able to be such a traveler, are there any services or items that you make use of?	
P-MV: Off course I make use of the internet, google. Well that is source number	1525. Use internet google
1, and if you travel to Indonesia you need a visa, in the States, you need one of those ESTA's. So I always check if my ticket is	1526. Need visa/esta
taken care off if my passport is still valid and maybe take care of my visa. That's it.	1527. Ticket, passport, visa

I-JB: If we look at the next question, concerning personal characteristics, how would you describe yourself?	
P-MP: I choose, analytical, resourceful, entrepreneurial, creative, independent and soloist. And if I had to choose one word I would choose self-controlled, mainly because I tend to rely on myself for acquiring my own knowledge and information and have quite an entrepreneurial spirit.	1511. Rely on myself 1512. Entrepreneurial spirit
I-JB: Which characteristics would describe you best?	
P-MP: Resourceful, independent and enterprising. Independent because I like to travel alone. You are not reliant on other people who might want to do this or that. That is especially nice if you travel for a longer period of time. I want my own schedule, no bullshit with people who want to depart at certain times or don't want to fly too long. Enterprising, because the types of trips I like to go on are not your everyday kind of trips and I think that a lot of people just want to sit at the beach or want to	1513. Like travel alone 1514. Want own schedule
relax. I find myself usually chosen for activities that are a bit daring in comparison to the mainstream preference. And resourceful because you have to be quite creative to find something new to do every	1515. Chose daring activities
time you want to go on holiday. Because doing the same thing over and over will become boring after a while.	1516. Find something new 1517. Same becomes boring
I-JB: So you find important that you are kept busy when you are traveling?	

I-JB: This is the case of long-haul trips, but how would this change if you travel to Portugal for instance?	
P-MV: It mainly stays the same, only a few things are different. One of the preparations is that you have to think about switching your debit card to worldwide, you don't have to think about bringing foreign currency because of the euro. For the rest, it is basically the same. However, one thing that is quite strange is that when I fly on intercontinental routes the name printed on the ticket can differ quite a bit in comparison to European flights. One airline only wants your first and surname whilst other airlines print all your names on the ticket. That is something that drives me crazy. If something is not quite right, in the system, which happened to me last time, the name on the ticket has to be exactly the same as the name in your passport. When I received my ticket, I saw that my name didn't correspond with my full name as shown in my passport. Which I thought would be a problem when I want to board.	1528. Debit card worldwide 1529. Name printed different 1530. Drives me crazy
I-JB: So what exactly happened? Did you have to go back to the check-in desk? P-MP: No, I called the airline and described the situation. They said that I was one of the few who had noticed but that I did not have to worry. It was just an error in their ticket system. However, it would have been nice to have known this beforehand. I experienced unnecessary stress.	1531. Experienced unnecessary stress

I-JB: Ok, you have said that you are quite a well-prepared traveler. Do you think that this is the ideal traveler to be or would you like to be a different kind of traveler, if you look at your habits and preferences?	
P-MP: Looking from a preparation perspective not really. The thing is when you have traveled multiple times, you start to form certain routines. Passport, ticket, and let's go. It starts to become second nature.	1532. Start form routines 1533. Passport tickets lets go
I-JB: Good, let's discuss the next assignment. Could you briefly describe what kind of luggage you travel most with, with which kind of luggage you most like to travel with and with what kind of luggage you have had the worst experience? And give a short reason why.	
P-MP: I usually travel with a trolley and a small backpack.	1534. Trolley and backpack
I-JB: And is this a carry-on trolley?	
P-MP: No, it is a larger one, so it has to be checked-in. I Alway travel with a trolley and a backpack. Doesn't matter to which destination I travel. Short trip, long trip it doesn't matter.	1535. Larger check-in 1536. Always trolley backpack
I-JB: And why do you choose this combination?	
P-MP: Backpack because it is handy to be able to bring items onboard and it allows you to keep your hands free when at the airport. The trolley because it has wheels	1537. Items onboard 1538. Hands free airport

airlines, you have to pay big bucks to be able to bring it.	1548. Pay big bucks
I-JB: And how much is 'big bucks'?	
P-MP: A few hundred euro. You could almost buy a new board for that kind of money. Besides, the risk of losing it or damaging your board is big. I have heard it multiple times that people received their boards heavily damaged or that they even didn't arrive. I mean a surfboard is hard to lose so I guess that they get stolen. It is a definite risk to bring your own board, so that is why I wouldn't bring my own board. Maybe, when I get a shortboard, well no actually still not.	1549. Few 100 euros 1550. Risk losing damaging 1551. Heavily damaged 1552. Definite risk 1553. Shortboard still not
I-JB: Ok thanks, let's continue to the next question. Could you present your mind map and give a brief description why you have these associations with check in baggage.	
P-MP: I usually bring my suitcase and a	1554 Suitcase survive
backpack. Associations that I have with my suitcase before I depart is; damage, is my	1554. Suitcase survive
suitcase going to survive this trip? Will it arrive? The weight of my suitcase? How much can I bring? Is it not too heavy? Not	1556. Weight off suitcase
necessarily transportation, but does my suitcase have wheels? And also think about the dimensions. Furthermore, I think about things that I might lose if my luggage	1557. Dimensions
doesn't arrive so I think about the items I want to pack double. I bring my backpack	1558. Pack items double
because it is small and light thus, easy to carry. All your electronics should fit within your backpack because if you fit that in	1559. Electronics backpack
your suitcase they will get stolen. Everybody knows those stories! A simple	1560. Electronics suitcase stolen

and because it allows me to pack more items.	1539. Trolley wheels 1540. Pack more
I-JB: So you travel most with this combination and this is also your most preferred luggage combination. But with what kind of luggage did you have the worst experience?	
P-MP: My worst experience was with one of those old fashioned suitcases. They are big, heavy and there is no easy way to carry them easily. I can imagine that other people would like to have the possibility to bring 40 kg, but it is not necessary for me. I-JB: But you have traveled with those suitcases before?	1541. Worst old fashioned suitcase 1542. Heavy carry 1543. 40 kg not necessary
P-MP: Yes I did, but I realized rather quickly that I needed one of those suitcases with 4 wheels, not 2.	1544. Suitcase 4 wheels
I-JB: And you have never traveled with odd-size? For example your surfboard?	
P-MP: No I have not	
I-JB: But how do you get your gear for your surf holiday?	
P-MP: I rent my board.	1545. Rent board
I-JB: And how do you like this?	
P-MP: It's fine. I would like to bring my board but it's a hassle. Also, it is not clear what is allowed at which airline. Some airlines don't allow it, some do and at other	1546. Bring board hassle 1547. Not clear allowed

digital camera even mysteriously disappears.	
I-JB: Is this solely on international flights or also on shorter flights, for example within Europe?	
P-MP: Also in Europe. Last time that I was in Portugal met an Italian who traveled from London to Faro and had his camera stolen from his check-in lugagage. Just a simple camera, maybe worth a 100 euro. Stolen! So, all electronics should be carried in your backpack: Camera's, op pro's, headsets, phone, iPads etc. Another association I have is what I am allowed to bring through security. All those liquids, which you need to place in special see-through plastic bags which you can't get anywhere off-course. So to give a quick recap, I think about what are items that might get stolen and what am I allowed to bring through security.	1561. Bring through security 1562. Items stolen 1563. Items allowed
I-JB: Do you think that other travelers have the same 'theft' association as you do with check-in luggage?	
P-MP: Well I have gotten advice from other travelers, to not pack electronics in your check-in luggage because it gets stolen. At first, you don't even notice that they have opened your luggage. But when you unpack you start to notice that things are missing.	1564. Don't notice open luggage
I-JB: Ok, let's continue to assignment 4. Could you describe the trip you have chosen and what kind of luggage you brought with you?	



1565. Bali, Doha, Amsterdam 1566. Emirates other people experiences 1567. Leisure holiday surfing
1568. Essential lens solution 1569. Charger phone
1570. Things need backpack

P-MP: Thought about it myself. It is reassuring to know that if something happens you have the items you need to take proper care of yourself. Something can always happen! You can be hit by a car when driving a scooter, you can fall, even if you have a small scratch on your toe it can get infected. Wounds don't heal as well as they do over here.	1576. Reassuring something happens
I-JB: Good to know, but we are moving a bit too fast. Because is we move back a bit in your journey, how do you come to the realization that you want to go? Do you do any kind of research beforehand? Could you sketch a picture on how you researched and booked this trip?	
P-MP: I always perform a bit of research, is everything still in order and good?	1577. Alway perform research
I-JB: And what do you look at?	
P-MP: I look at if there are any other accommodation providers in the area I want to stay, via google. Also, there are a few specific sites I use to do my research. Luex.com, Line Up Explorers is one of them.	1578. Other accommodations google 1579. Specific sites
I-JB: How many days before departure do you usually start with your research?	
P-MP: This can vary quite a bit, sometimes it can even be a few months in advance. I check my work schedule and see if it is possible for me to go on vacation. Last time I booked rather late, only 2,5 weeks prior. I	1580. Vary a bit 1581. A few months 1582. Check work schedule 1583. Last 2,5 weeks before

P-MP: My toiletries and towels, I mean if your luggage is lost you can easily buy a new toothbrush.	1571. Easily buy toothbrush
I-JB: Looking at the items that you would bring in your check-in luggage, how long could you go without these items before you depart on your holiday?	
P-MP: Well if you depart to a sunny destination in the winter, you would not miss your swim shorts. If I would go on a shorter trip within Europe with the same kind of climate it might be a problem. But	1572. Same climate problem clothing
not really, if I lose something for a week I just need to buy a new t-shirt and some swimming trunks and I am back in business.	1573. Lose something buy new
I-JB: Let's continue to the 5th assignment, which journey have you chosen for this assignment?	
P-MP: I have chosen the same trip to Bali as described in assignment 4. This is not a problem right? I usually do the same thing every time I travel. The only thing that is different on this trip is that I bring a medical kit because I don't trust the dodgy hospitals in Indonesia.	1574. Usually do same every travel 1575. Bring medical kit
I-JB: Just in case you have an accident with your scooter or during surfing?	
P-MP: Exactly. They disinfect something there with a slice of lemon and that doesn't work!	
I-JB: And how did you come to this decision to bring your own medical kit?	

accommodation.	
I-JB: You start with booking your ticket, which channel do you use?	
P-MP: The last couple of trips I booked through the airline's native site.	1585. Book native sites
I-JB: Why native sites and not through comparison sites?	
P-MP: The difference in price is not huge, and if something is wrong with my flight for	1586. Price not difference
example in Doha than I need to call the travel agency. The airline off course will redirect me to the channel where I bought my ticket.	1587. Wrong airline redirect
I-JB: So you would describe it as a form of reassurance?	
P-MP: It is just way easier in case of a disruption of any sorts. It just works.	1588. Easier in case disruption
I-JB: On your last trip, you booked your tickets 2,5 weeks prior to departure. But how do you prepare for this trip? Which actions do you complete during this weeks and when do you perform them?	
P-MP: I only do a few things, I check if I need a visa, check my passport, Is my suitcase in good condition? Medical kit	1589. Visa, suitcase, passport, medical ki
complete? And I always check if I have enough contact lenses with me and then I am good to go. If something is missing, I	1590. Contact lenses and go
can fix it on the spot through internet banking.	1591. Internet banking

start with booking my tickets and then

1584. Ticket and accommodation



APPENDIX H: TRANSCRIPTS PARTICIPANTS

I-JB: Do you complete these tasks during those 2,5 weeks prior to you departure or is there a specific moment in time that you complete these tasks?	
P-MP: I make to do lists and just check off the points on the list. Sometimes I think if it is necessary to buy some extra clothing, do I need new shorts for example. But those things are not very time-consuming.	1592. Make to do list 1593. Buy extra clothes sometimes 1594. Not time consuming
I-JB: But let's say the moment of packing your bag. When does this start?	
P-MP: Really packing? Short before leaving home. Let's say that I have to be at the airport at 17:00, I would leave my home at 16:00, then I start packing at 13:00. But in	1595. Packing short before leaving
general, you already know what you want to bring with you.	1596. Know want to bring
I-JB: At the airport at 17:00 leave at 16:00 is that enough time for you?	
P-MP: I wish to arrive at the airport as close to departure time as possible.	1597. Arrive airport close departure
I-JB: Why so late?	
P-MP: Else you are just waiting at the airport.	1598. Else just waiting
I-JB: So you want to spend as little time as possible at the airport?	
P-MP: Yes, I want to arrive, head through security and immediately board plane and depart.	1599. Arrive and immediately board

1610. Not ideal 1611. Nothing you can do
1612. Suitcase roll away
1613. Journey long sit hallway
1614. Experience some comfort
1615. Head drop-off desk
1616. Check-in soon possible
1617. Drop of luggage
1618. No problem drop of
1619. Simple traveler 1620. Suitcase 14 kg

I-JB: But let's go back a bit. The moment you leave your home, what do you do?	
P-MP: Walk to the train station and grab the train to the airport?	1600. Walk grab train
I-JB: You walk to the train station?	
P-MP: Yes, it is perfect! The train stops underneath the airport. In the case of a very	1601. Perfect train
short trip, I tend to drive to the airport. But only when I am away for 3 days or shorter.	1602. Short trip drive 1603. 3 days shorter
I-JB: And why do you tend to choose the car for short trips?	
P-MP: If you have a late arrival at the airport is nice to just step into your car and drive home. A lot of the times you make	1604. Arrive late nice car
use of budget flights, on those short trips, which have either very early or very late arrival times. It has occurred in the past that	1605. Budget air 1606. Late/ early arrival
there isn't a decent train connection, so then you have to wait at the airport until your train departs which is annoying.	1607. No decen train
I-JB: So basically pure from a comfort perspective. Ok, we are on the train at the moment. Where do you store your luggage? And where do you choose to sit?	
P-MP: Backpack is not such an issue but suitcase is. In the past, you could store	
your suitcases between those opposite chair sections but they have removed	1608. Luggage aisle train
those. So I have to place my luggage in the aisle. Which can be quite annoying when it is busy.	1609. Annoying when busy
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P-MP: That is very frustrating, you need to have a queue that moves in which competent travelers are waiting. There are	1621.Queue competent travelers
always people who don't have their things in order and ask silly questions at the drop-off point. But in general, the lines	1622. People silly questions
aren't too bad. I have my passport ready, I have printed my ticket, I usually don't have to wait longer than a few minutes. Sometimes they even change my seat for me at the desk which can be nice. I like to sit at the aisle so that I can stretch my legs.	1623. Wait few minutes
I-JB: How do you feel when you have dropped off your luggage?	
P-MP: That is a huge relief, that is one less thing you have to carry or keep an eye on. That is the first thing I do when I arrive at the airport because I don't have to worry about anything then anymore.	1624. Huge relief 1625. Don't worry anymore
I-JB: What kind of emotion do you experience and how would you describe this? Do you have a holiday feeling at this point in your journey or is this at a different time?	
P-MP: It is a relaxed feeling but my holiday starts when I arrive at my destination or	1626. Relaxed feeling
when I am sitting in my taxi to the hotel. Anything can go wrong. Schiphol is a busy	1627. Holiday at destination
place with a lot of queues with ignorant people. There are just a lot uncertainties,	1628. Queues ignorant people
for example, what if there is no train between Schiphol and The Hague.	1629. Lot uncertainties
I-JB: Once you have dropped off your suitcase, do you ever have the thought that it might not arrive?	



P-MP: No not really. I-JB: Ok, you are currently at Schiphol and you don't have a lot of time due to your strict schedule, what do you do with your remaining time before you depart? P-MP: I quickly head through security From past experience, I know that I can complete this rather quickly. What do I need to remove from my bag, which items should I take off etc? One thing that I do plan beforehand, if I have an evening flight let's say at 7 PM or something like that, I like to have an early dinner at the airport. I 1632. Early dinner 1633. Not spend time airport just don't want to spend so much time at the airport. I don't want to shop and I know what a Starbucks is. My most preferred trip would be to arrive, head through security 1635. Straight to gate 1636. No time woot walk straight towards the gate, board and depart. No time to waste. Other people for example who have to travel for 2 hours to arrive at Schiphol have a genuine reason to arrive early. Just to be on the safe side in 1637. Genuine reason early case something goes wrong with the public transport, but I live quite close. In the case of an emergency, I can always call a cab or a friend to drop me off at the airport. I-JB: Now you are on board, what do you do during your flight? P-MP: Put on my headphone and try to chill. First, half of the passengers needs to head to the restroom of course. Have a small bite, something to drink and try to relax. There needs to be a good entertainment system and proper legroom.

1648. Translate digital channel complete my visa! Why is it not possible to translate this to a digital channel? This way I can fill it in before I leave. I-JB: Clear! Ok, you arrive, head through the visa check, go to the carousel to collect your luggage. What do you do once you have your luggage? P-MP: Head through customs or the security and look for my taxi service. My hotel always has a pickup service. You just have to tell the hotel which flight you have 1651. Chauffeur grabs bags and what time you arrive and they take care of the rest. It's perfect, chauffeur grabs my bags and off we go. I-JB: And what do you think of such a pickup service? P-MP: It's the best. Perfect! I would not want it any other way. Just imagine that you have flown half over the world, you are tired and then you need to arrange a taxi. Every taxi driver wants to take advantage of you, 1653. Every taxi takes advantage this is why I prefer to have this arranged before I arrive I-JB: This is in Indonesia, but would you also do this in Portugal? 1655. Taxi drivers crooks P-MP: Over the entire world taxi drivers are crooks, when I was in Portugal I rented a car. But last time I also arranged a pickup service through the hotel, cost me €70. It was fun, the guy showed up with a large Mercedes, the chauffeur held the door open for me, bystanders must have thought that I was some kind of celebrity.

When you are comfortable the journey 1639. Comfortable easy journey I-JB: Ok, now we arrive at the arrival airport P-MP: Well when I leave the plain I always hope that my suitcase is the first to arrive the carousel, that is always an exciting 1640. Hope suitcase first 1641. Exiciting moment moment. Once my luggage didn't arrive, 1642. Luggage didn't arrive this was in Portugal I-JB: Let's talk about that in a minute, but you do feel a bit anxious if your suitcase will arrive? P-MP: Well, I am confident that it arrives. I just want it to arrive as quickly as possible. 1643. Arrive quickly possible There is always a bit of a risk if it doesn't arrive you need to take action. Fill in one of 1644. Doesn't arrive action those missing property reports, that is not 1645. Missing property reports something you want to do. It is your holiday I-JB: So once you have collected your suitcase you would say that your holiday has started? 1646. Start holiday taxi P-MP: Yes, when I am sitting in the taxi towards my hotel. I-JB: I see that you marked the visa check as a stressful moment in your journey. P-MP: yes normally the hand out these visa cards in the plane, but this time they did not. So, when I arrived at the airport I had to first look for the right form after which I 1647. Wasting time airport had to fill it in. I am wasting time at the airport. I had plenty of time on the plane to

I-JB: Now you have arrived at your final destination. What kind of establishment is this? P-MP: Usually a hotel, in Bali I like to go to 1656. Usually hotel the 'green room' I-JB: Once you have arrived, you directly go to your hotel. But is this the destination you want to go to or do you wish to go directly go into the city for example? P-MP: Well I can imagine that people want to arrive at the hotel drop their luggage and relax a bit. But if you travel for business 1657. Drop luggage purposes, you might want to quickly 1658. Business freshen airport freshen up at the airport and go to your I-JB: So one of the main reasons would be to drop off your luggage. P-MP: Yes, it is similar to the moment when you drop your luggage off at the airport. 1659. Similar drop luggage airport You are standing there with all your stuff only increasing the chance of you losing 1660. Increasing chance losing something. I-JB: But what do you usually do? Do you drop-off your luggage and directly head to the beach to go surfing? P-MP: Depends on the time I arrive. Normally, I just drop my stuff, organize a 1661. Drop organize head out few things and head out! Last time I arrived at 12 AM at the hotel, I dropped my stuff met an American surfer and at 1 AM we were drinking a beer in the city



APPENDIX H: TRANSCRIPTS PARTICIPANTS

on how you travel, but how do your preparations differ when you return back home? P-MP: It is exactly the same. My flight departed at 12 AM so I departed for the airport at 9 PM. Just to be sure a bit earlier, it can be quite busy on the roads in Indonesia. But I enjoy my last day to the 1662. Enjoy last day fullest fullest and shortly before I depart I just throw everything into my suitcase and 1663. Shortly throw into suitcase I-.IB: Ok now we have arrived at the final 2 assignments. Could you please describe the 5 chosen items or services that improve vour iournev? P-MP: Shorter waiting times at the airport. I 1664. Shorter waiting times am stuck in an airplane for 17 hours, why would I need to drink a cup of coffee at the airport 2 hours prior to my departure? Why would I need to dine at the airport when I already get four meals during my flight?
Why waste my time when I can do it 1665. Why dine 1666. Waste time I-JB: And you also feel this way about European flights? P-MP: Yes, waiting or standing in line is 1667. Waiting most annoying one of the most annoying things ever I-JB: Next point? P-MP: A good entertainment system can improve your journey greatly. Not 20 1668. Good entertainment movies to scroll through but 200. This gives you something to do on the flight and enjoy

P-MP: You arrive, drop your luggage in some sort of machine that can scan and place labels, after this, you walk through a autonomous door complete security check and walk to the boarding gate. My luggage is directly shot from the machine into the 1671. Luggage shot belly plane belly of the plane through some high-speed conveyor belts and depart I-JB: And at your arrival airport? P-MP: I want my luggage to be there before 1672. Luggage before I arrive I arrive, similar experience to Eindhoven airport. Because it is so small, luggage is 1673. Really quick arrive really quick to arrive. Come to think of it, why don't we all have standard suitcases 1674. Standard suitcases one size, and shape! This way we can improve the efficiency of this entire process! Maybe even place your backpack 1675. Improve efficiency in some sort of hard case shell, this 1676. Reduce load time reduces the amount of time needed to load the plane. I-JB: If you look at the journey that you have described, would you be willing to pay extra to be able to experience such a P-MP: Well, maybe I would. It is hard to 1677. Priority boarding shit say, it depends on the price I guess. If you look at priority boarding, for example, that is total shit. I don't want to sit longer on the plane. When I stand up in my seat I have to stand crooked and it just annoying. Let's 1678. Time plane minimum just keep the time you spend in the plane to a bare minimum. When you sit in the front row as one of the first to enter the plane,

you have to wait until 200 other people have entered the plane. All carrying

vourself. And enough space for my legs! I love the new A380 because it is big, enough leg room good entertainment system. Just perfect. Also what I find important, if you do have to wait that there are good waiting facilities. Not cheap plastic seats, but comfortable seats. Fnough space to walk around or to stand. When I was in Philadelphia I noticed that the Starbucks had those proper leather armchairs. That is inviting for me to have a cup of coffee, but the best thing would be to 1669. Directly board best directly board the plane and depart immediately. My last item is good wifi, in Europe it is not such an issue anymore but if you travel abroad the quality of the wifi is ay worse. If people have wifi the can at least read the newspaper or make calls if necessary. I like to make calls when I am 1670. Like make calls waiting at the airport. I-JB: And who do you call in those cases? P-MP: For example, my brother or Piet-Hein or my parents. Just to kill some time. I must say that it depends greatly on whether you are on a direct flight yes or no. In transit, I don't mind as much to spend time at the airport but when I am traveling directly or I am at the first departure airport I just want to go. When I am at Schiphol, I just want to go because that is my goal for that airport. And waiting for 1 hour on a flight of 17 hours is different than on a flight of 2 hours because then your waiting time pecomes a third of your total journey. I-JB: Final assignment, how would you describe your perfect trip with check-in

carry-on luggage, apologizing for accidentally hitting you with their elbow in your face. I dislike priority boarding, but if 1679. Speed up total process somehow they can speed the total process up and I can make us of it by paying extra Why not? I mean, I already spend 12 euro for a pasta dish. 5 euro for a coffee and a 1680. Skip why not bottle of water. If I can skip this why not? If would be great if you just had to be at the 1681. 1 h instead 2 h airport 1 hour in advance instead of 2 I-JB: What I am currently working on, is researching the possibility of designing a door to door luggage system. Where your luggage is picked up from your home and dropped off at your final destination. This pickup moment is a week before departure and it arrives 1 day in advance of your 1682. Week is long P-MP: A week is long. It depends of course on what you will be needing on your trip. Let's say it is winter here and I am 1683. Depends on needing 1684. Leisure winter beach departing for a leisure trip to the beach, I would not miss my swimming trunks in that period. What might be a problem is when 1685. Forget packing you forget to pack something? I mean I quite often buy the things I need a few days before departure when using such a service 1686. Buy things few days that won't be possible anymore. If I would go skiing now, I would need to pack my skies boots, warm jacket and items like that. But it is also cold here, so it wouldn't I-JB: Ok, you said that 7 days is too long. But how would you feel if you used it to send your surfboard to your final



destination?

luggage?

P-MP: That would be a good option, I mean I don't need my surfboard a week before I depart.	1687. Surfboard good option
I-JB: And would you consider to make use of such a service in that context?	
P-MP: It sounds like a fine option. I don't need to carry my stuff and it is already at my final destination, have you ever tried to carry a surfboard on your holiday? It drives you mad! I could also imagine people who	1689. Drives you mad 1690. Travel golf clubs
travel with golf clubs would be interested in using such a service. I-JB: How much would you be willing to pay	
to make use of such a service? P-MP: I think I would be willing to pay as much as the airline is currently charging	1691. Pay currently charging
me. Of course, there is a big benefit of such a service, I don't have to carry my gear and it is more likely to arrive in one piece.	1692. Arrive one piece
I-JB: But you just said that shipping your board would cost a couple 100 euro?	
P-MP: True, I even believe that it is free when flying with emirates but still. When I was in Ball I met a few surfers who were waiting for their boards at the carousel. Quite anxious! Were there boards going to arrive and were they going to be in good shape? You are on holiday and want to feel relieved instead of anxious.	1693. Holiday relieved instead annxious
I-JB: I have got one more question, currently we are thinking about setting up a door to door service. However, could you	

hink about different locations where people might want to drop off their luggage?	
P-MP: Well if you head to work in the morning and pass a train station I can imagine that people could drop it off there.	1694. Drop train station
Or the standard pickup points for parcels such as bol.com, Albert Heijn, PostNL and other venues like that. However, when you	1695. Standard pickup points
are sending large items I can imagine that people are not looking forward to cycling to	
the drop-off point with such items. Why don't you offer different service levels, pick up at home is more expensive than pickup	1696. Different service levels
at the pickup point?	
I-JB: Well this was the interview, thank you	
for your time.	



Interviewer: Julius Blaauw

Participant: Robert Blaauw P-RB

	Question	1
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P-RB: I love to live well and stay healthy

I-JB: What do you mean with live well?

P-RB: To lead a nice life. Relax and keep busy with doing cultural and educative activities. I travel about 10 times a year, by aircraft and car, both for business and leisure purposes. I would say that half of my trips are business related and that about 70% of all my trips flying is my main

1710. Live well healthy

1711. Lead nice life 1712. Relax busy cultural educative 1713. Travel 10 times 1714. Business and leisure

1715. Half business related 1716. Flying main transportation

Question 2:

Characteristics:

P-RB: I've chosen 6 attributes consisting out of primary and secondary attributes. My primary attributes are insightful, optimistic and dependable. I am the guy to go to and to have optimistic ideas about anything. For example energy. For my secondary attributes I have chosen, confident, loyal and rational. So no nonsense, but also loval to causes that I believe in or people. These sets, both primary as secondary are acquired through the lesson of life.

1717. Insightful, optimistic, dependable

1719. Confident, loyal, rational

1720. Loval causes and people

1721. Acquired through life lessons

I-JB: So you are saving that the security check at the airport is the worst part of your journey, would you say that this is being worsened by the fact that you are carrying

P-RB: It does have an influence. I try to travel as lightly as possible, but at the same time trying to bring as much as would fit in my carry-on luggage. The moment that you have to open your trolley at the security, it means that all your stuff comes pouring out because you packed it so tightly. You are kind of fucked because your things fall out of your trolley and it is difficult to reclose it. So if you are smart, you place your laptop and maybe your liquids in a backpack so that you don't have to open the trolley. However, is not always possible. When I am traveling for business purposes I will not be carrying a backpack but a laptop bag in which I can't fit extra toiletries. I just don't like security. Those annoying security employees who need to frisk you with their wet hands, it is disgusting. 'Please stand over there sir, do you mind....', yes I do mind!

1743. Luggage has influence 1744. Try travel lightly 1745. Bring much fit C.O.

1746. Security stuff pouring out

1747. You are fucked

1748. Difficult to reclose

1749. Smart liquids laptop backpack

1750. Not always possible

1751. Business purpose laptop bag

1752. Don't like security

1753. Frisk wet hands disgusting

1754. I do mind

I-JB: The next question is about which type of luggage you travel the most with, type of luggage you most prefer to travel with and which luggage you have had the worst experience with.

P-RB: I prefer to travel with my Rimowa carry-on trolley. It is the ideal trolley. It is big enough for short travels and saves me

1755. Rimowa C.O. trolley

1756. Big enough short travels 1757. Saves lot time

Kind of traveler:

P-RB: I'm a keen traveler because traveling is fun and planning well is part of the journey and enjoyment. Because of work and long experience I am a seasoned and well-organized traveler. This reflects back onto my rational side and insightful characteristic because I can imagine which hurdles I can encounter during my trip. That is why I am so organized.

I-JB: You say you are a keen traveler, does this lead you to use any specific kind of services or products? Or do you have any specific habits because you are a keen

P-RB: I prefer to have everything digitally and try to make the most of the lovalty programs that I am a member of. The thing that must be avoided is standing in a queue and to carry unnecessary items. I never print my boarding cards anymore because I prefer to have it on my phones. I just have to open my phone and there it is. The thing that I always experience as the worst part of my journey is the security. I try to be efficient and make use of my loyalty benefits, but fo some reasons you always need to wait in a very long queue, take off your belt, the hassle of taking your laptop out of your trolley and your toiletries. It is by far the worst part of the airport, it is also at this point that you are most likely to lose something. Why don't they just place an MRI scanner so that I never have to open my luggage again? I don't want to take off my jacket and blazer, it is just one big hassle.

1722. Keen traveler 1723. Traveling fun 1724. Planning part enjoyment 1725. Seasoned organized traveler

1726. Rational insightful characteristics

1727. Imagine hurdles encounte

1728. Why so organized

1729. Prefer everything digitally 1730. Make most loyalty programs

1731. Avoid standing queue

1732. Carry unnecessary item 1733. Never print boarding card

1734. Just open phone

1735. Worst part security

1736. Be efficient loyalty program

1737. Always wait long queue

1738. Hassle trolley toiletries

1739. Worst part airport 1740. Most likely lose something

1741. Place MRI scanner 1742. Just one big hassle

a lot of time. No waiting at the check-in and no risk of losing it. I must say that it requires some planning in packing the right stuff as a number of items that it can bring is rather limited. This is also my preferred type of luggage because it is convenient

I-JB: You say that it requires a careful packing planning, would you say that traveling with carry-on luggage is a bit of an

P-RB: Yes I would say so because it means that I can only bring one pair of shoes. If I have to travel with both check-in as carry-on luggage, I would make sure that I pack clothing and other items in my carry-on that allow me to live normally for 3 days. So you could say that I am planning ahead for the possibility of my luggage being lost.

P-RB: My worst experience was lost check-in luggage, but I was prepared for this as I had already packed extra clothing in my carry-on luggage.

I-JB: Would you say that you pack extra clothing in your carry-on luggage because you are an experienced traveler, or do you do this from an anxiety perspective.

P-RB: I would say because I am an experienced traveler, but also because it is possible to carry extra clothing in your carry-on luggage. I always bring a clean shirt, and maybe something warm to wear if the climate there is precarious.

1758. No waiting C.I. 1759. No risk losing 1760. Requires planning packing 1761. Items bring limited 1762. Prefered luggage 1763. Convenient and fast

1764. Impediment only bring one pair

1765. Pack clothing C.O.

1766. Live normally 3 days

1767. Planning ahead luggage lost

1768. Worst experience lost luggage 1769. Prepared extra clothing C.O.

1770. Extra clothing experienced traveler 1771. Possible carry extra clothing

1772. Alway clean shirt



Question 3B:

I-JB: And Robert, could you please present your mind map about check-in luggage

P-RB: It starts off with an itinerary. Do I have a non-stop, transfer or multiple transfer flight? This can be a deciding factor for what kind of luggage I would bring.
Other criteria that I find important is the purpose of the trip. If I am traveling for business purposes I have little time to lose Furthermore, I think about how I would travel to the airport. Will I be making use of public transport or my own car? or a taxi? Having heavy luggage is inconvenient when you are traveling with public transport. Also, I think about what kind of ticket do I have? Can I make use of my loyalty benefits, or do I need to arrive early to queue up? Same thoughts at the destination when traveling to your final destination, either taxi or train. When you arrive in your hotel the bell boy takes your luggage and brings it up to your room which I find annoying because it can take up to 30 minutes before he brings it up when I just want to get a move on and get out of that room. In short check-in luggage is a drag.

1773. Starts with itinerary 1774. Non-stop or transfer

1775. Deciding factor kind luggage

1776. Purpose of trip

1777. Business little time to lose 1778. Travel to airport

1779. Heavy luggage inconvenient P.T.

1781. Use loyalty benefits 1782. Arrive early and queue

1783. Thought destination transport

1784. Bellboy luggage annoving

1785. Take 30 minutes

1786. Get out of room

1787. Check in luggage drag

Question 4:

I-JB: Could you please describe which trip you have chosen for this assignment

P-RB: I traveled to LA in may, I traveled by myself on my outbound journey but was joined by my girlfriend a few days later. The purpose of the trip was a mix of business

1788. Traveled LA in may

1789. Mix business leisure

P-RB: One problem I see is that when you send your stuff a week before departure is what will happen when you decide not to go on this trip anymore?

Research & Book

I-JB: How did you come with the idea to go to LA?

P-RB: I was invited by the Guggenheim institute. However, this was the first time that I had to book my own tickets for a business purpose flight. I first used a price checking website after which I saw that the KLM had the best deal. Once I knew this I went to the native site of the KLM and booked my ticket from there. I also mmediately rented a car via Avis, because It is linked to KLM. I wanted to make a lot of trips through America and you can barely cross the street without using a car in the states. It is not expensive and it is also the best way of getting to your hotel from the airport.

-JB: How many weeks before departure was this?

P-RB: Quite a while before departure, I think 3 weeks or something like that. They had arranged a deal with the Hilton for visitors of the conference so I decided to stav with them.

-JB: You have arranged transport and accommodation 3 weeks prior to your

1803. Problem one week before

1804. Happen not go anymore

1805. Invited by Guggenheim

1806. First time book tickets business purpose

1807. Price checking website

1808. KLM best deal

1810. Immediately rented car Avis

1811. Make lot trips America

1812. Not expensive best getting to hotel

1813. Quite while before departure

1814. 3 weeks before 1815. Arranged deal Hilton

and leisure. Went to a conference for networking purposes and stayed to do some sightseeing in California. I brought a check-in trolley and a carry-on trolley in which I packed enough clothing so for my conference. In my check-in luggage, I mainly packed clothing which I was going to use during the leisure part of my trip. So in my carry-on luggage, I packed my computer, toiletries, initial conference clothing and some shoes. In my check-in luggage, I packed general clothing, some suits and an extra pair of shoes.

I-JB: Which items do you think of essential for your trip? Which items do you need to have within in arms reach all the time during your journey towards your final

P-RB: I think my phone, passport, a book or newspaper, and my computer. Sometimes you want to work during a long flight.

I-JB: The items that you have packed in your check-in luggage, how many days before departure could you do without them?

P-RB: It wouldn't be a problem for me to pack my bags a week in advance, provided that it is only clothing. This is of course based on the fact that you have enough clothing. One exception, if you pack a suit in a suitcase for a week, I can assure you that they are messed up when you unpack them. That is also a reason why I pack my suitcase at the last possible moment and try to unpack it as soon as possible, to reduce the amount of wrinkling.

1791. Packed clothing conference 1792. C.I. clothing leisure part

1793. C.O. computer, toiletries clothing

1794. C.I. general clothing, extra shoes

1795. Phone, passport, book, computer 1796. Work during flight

1797. Not problem pack week advance

1798. Only clothing

1799. Have enough clothing

1800. Exception suite in suitcase

1801. Messed up unpack 1802. Pack late possible reduce wrinkling

departure, when do you start to prepare further for this trip. What do you do and what do you think about?

P-RB: I usually start to prepare or to think about my trip 2 days before departure. I check the weather forecast. For business trips what I pack is always the same, two suits, a few shirts, ties, and a good pair of shoes. My leisure itinerary is dependent on the weather, so for this trip, I packed a lot of summer clothing but also some warm sweaters because it can be a bit cold there. Also of course activity related.

I-JB: You always check the weather 2 days before hand? Also if you only go for leisure

P-RB: Why not? I already have everything

I-JB: Anything else that you might need to arrange beforehand? Visa or something like that?

P-RB: Well normally you need to arrange an ESTA but I already had one. One thing that I find incredibly annoying about the ESTA is that you never see how long your last ESTA is still valid. They should do something about this.

Packing:

-JB: You say that you check the weather forecast 2 days in advance would you also say that this is the moment that you would start packing? 1816. Prepare 2 days before

1817. Check weather forecast

1818. Business always same 1819. Suits, shirts, ties, good shoes

1820. Leisure dependent weather

1821. Activity related

1822. Arrange ESTA

1823. Annoying how long valid

1824. Do something about



P-RB: No normally I will start packing 2 hours before I leave home. I already know what I want to pack and I know where it is in my house. When I start packing I always make sure that I pack as neatly as possible. I find this very important, this way my clothes don't wrinkle too much and remain representable.	1825. Start 2 hours before 1826. Know what to pack 1827. Pack neatly 1828. Important clothe don't wrinkle
Transport	
P-RB: Something that I do the day before departure is to see how I will travel to the airport. What I prefer to do nowadays if I have a short trip is to grab the car and park at long term parking. You can arrange this online and everything works automatically. When I arrive the parking barrier recognizes my number plate and I can just enter and park anywhere. After this, I just grab the shuttle bus to the airport, It is a perfect service. There are a lot of non-legitimate services that will use your car once you have left it with them for taxi services so I always chose to go for the legitimate service.	1829. Day before departure 1830. How travel airport 1831. Short trip car 1832. Arrange online automatically 1833. Recognize just enter 1834. Perfect service 1835. Non-legitimate service 1836. Chose legitimate service
I-JB: Why only for short trips?	
P-RB: Because else it will become too expensive. I believe that for a short trip you have to pay €50. Else it would be best to grab the train. The train is convenient if you look at where I live. I can either walk or take the tram to the station. Train:	1837. Else too expensive 1838. Pay €50 short trip 1839. Train convenient 1840. Walk or tram to station
P-RB: I usually just take my luggage into the coupe and place it between the seats, if	1841. Luggage into coupe

P-RB: Since I am an elite member I am entitled to priority boarding. Which is nice, this way I can take my seat in peace and don't have to worry if I can stow my luggage away.	1856. Elite member entitled priority 1857. Seat in peace 1858. Don't worry stow luggage
Flight:	
P-RB: I usually just try to relax during flying and do a little bit of work. I believe I made some slides this flight but that was about it. Watched a movie and had something to eat	1860. Relax do little work
I think. I always open my carry on luggage when I am flying, because I need to either grab my laptop or something to read. That	1862. Eat watch movie 1863. Always open luggage
is also the reason why I always book an aisle seat so that I can easily reach my	1864. Always book aisle
carry on luggage.	1865. Easily reach luggage
Arrival:	
P-RB: Arrived at LAX and then you have to go through immigration and customs. 20 planes arrived at the same time and I had to wait for over an hour. This really irritates me but sadly there is nothing that I can do about it. It is stressful because you are wasting an hour, which you just want to	1866. Arrive go immigration 1867. Wait for hour 1868. Really irritates 1869. Nothing can do about 1870. Stressful wasting hour
spend at your final destination. I have experienced this everywhere, from houston to washington to Los Angeles.	1871. Experienced this everywhere
P-RB: Because you have to wait so long at the immigration desk, your luggage has already arrived and been picked off the carousel. It is presented next to the carousel, so it is good that you don't have to wait for your luggage there.	1872. Wait long luggage already arrived 1873. Picked off carousel 1874. Good don't wait luggage there

Boarding:

it is really busy I will sit in the hallway. There is always enough space to place your suitcases there and it is not that uncomfortable. I do prefer to go with the car but I think that more than €50 is just too expensive.	1842. If busy sit hallway 1843. Enough space not uncomfortable 1844. Prefer car 1845. More €50 too expensive
I-JB: And getting off the train?	
P-RB: It is always a bit busy but I don't really mind.	1846. Don't mind getting off
Schiphol Baggage Drop off:	
I-JB: You have arrived at the airport what do you do now?	
P-RB: I always make use of priority lanes to drop off my lugage. Seeing as I have already checked in online the day before. I always experience this as a pleasant experience because it is efficient and goes quickly. Once I have dropped off my suitcase I feel relieved! I am traveling light now, I don't have any anxiety concerning if I will see my suitcase again. I-JB: When would you say that your holiday feeling starts?	1847. Always priority lanes luggage 1848. Checked in day before 1849. Experienced pleasant is efficient 1850. Dropped off relieved 1851. Traveling light 1852. No anxiety see suitcase
P-RB: When I am on the plane I think. When I have left all the hassle behind. Schiphol airport:	1853. Holiday when on plane
P-RB: Once I have cleared security I immediately head into the lounge. Have a cup of coffee, read the newspaper, eat a croissant.	1854. Head immediately lounge 1855. Read and eat

Transport:	
P-RB: Next thing to do is to get out of the arrival hall and get onto a shuttle bus which will lead to the avis rental car park.	1875. Shuttle bus avis rental
Because everybody in the States drives a car, this system has been designed well. It	1876. System designed well
s easy to find, easy to get into, and easy to store your luggage in. Actually, it is quite	1877. Easy get in store luggage
comfortable.	1878. Quite comfortable
I-JB: You don't mind that you have to keep an eye on your luggage during this bus trip?	
P-RB: No not really, it is quite visible and it something you have to keep an eye on anyways.	1879. Quite visible keep eye on
P-RB: Once you arrive at Avis, it just a matter of heading to the desk and loading	1880. Load luggage into car
/our luggage into the car. Their service is mpeccable, this time it took a bit longer	1881. Service impeccable
nan usual because they wanted to arrange	1882. Arrange better car
better car for me. I didn't mind having to vait in the Californian sun, besides, I was letting a better car for free.	1883. Didn't mind better car free
Final Journey:	
P-RB: I choose not to go for valet parking,	1884. Not go valet parking
which cost \$25. I am not that lazy that I can't walk 100 meters from the parking lot	1885. Not lazy
to the hotel. I think it is bullshit.	1886. Is bullshit
P-RB: Normally I try to bring my own luggage to my room, but this time a bellboy had grabbed my luggage. Every service in	1887. Bring own luggage room
the States is designed in such a manner	1888. Service states designed tip

that you can tip the hotel or restaurant employees. It is really annoying because you need to carry small bills, which I usually don't do. Besides, they usually arrive 30 minutes late to your room with your luggage and they treat you as if you are retarded and never have been inside a hotel room before. Look sir, here is the mini bar and this is how the lights work. You can have a tip when I think you deserve a tip and stop kissing my ass. In a moneyless society like today, the tipping system is very annoying. Can't this be included in the overall price?

1889. Annoying carry small bills

1890. Arrive 30 minutes late room

1891. Have tip when deserve

1892. Moneyless society tipping annoying

1893. Include overall price

Return journey

P-RB: I can be ready to go in no time because I already know what I need to pack. It it is besically just repacking the things that you have brought with you in the first place. I will start packing maybe 30 minutes before check out. You know everything when it comes to returning to the airport and how long it will take to get there so the return journey is a lot more relaxed. Furthermore, leaving the States is a lot more relaxing than arriving. This can be explained by the fact that the security is less of a hassile to go through.

P-RB: If I was on business trips I would

than a week and if it was paid for by the

you would travel back home with clean

make use of laundry services. However, I would only us it if I was there for longer

company. I would usually have my clothes washed a day before departure. This way

1894. Be ready no time

1895. Basically repack things brought

1896. Pack 30 minutes before

1897. Know everything

1898. Return journey more relaxed

1899. Leaving states more relaxing

1900. Less security hassle

1901. Business use laundry

1902. Only longer than week 1903. Paid by company

1904. Washed day before 1905. Travel clean clothes

1906. Pleasure once own butler

P-RB: The best would be if they come collect it at your home and drop it off in your hotel room. Don't need to drag my suitcase around anymore. On the return journey, it would be the same, but they need to deliver it on a designated time of your choosing. When you are at home you need to do a lot of stuff and you don't want to be waiting for your suitcase. I want to know in which 1-hour timeslot my luggage is delivered. For example, bring it over to my place at 7 in the evening. And it would be even better if the laundry was already done. So that your clothes are washed and folded neatly

1926. Deliver designated time

1927. Don't want waiting suitcase

1928. 1 hour timeslot delivered 1929. My place 7 evening

1930. Laundry already done 1931. Clothes washed folded

I-JB: Would you be willing to pay extra for the entire service?

P-RB: Yes.

I-JB: And how much?

I-JB: And what if this service would enable you to book a €200 euro ticket because you save on other services.

P-RB: Yes that actually makes sense, and another thing that is great is that you don't have to head to your hotel first to drop off your suitcase. You can immediately spend your time the way you want. This is

1932. Pav 50 extra

1933. Depends comparison ticket

1934. Costs 1000, 50 not much

1935. Cost 300, 50 much

1936. Save other service makes sense

1937. Don't head hotel great

1938. Immediately spend time want

1939. Valuable city trip

P-RB:I once had the pleasure of having my own butler in the hotel. This was in Moscow in Russia. Besides taking care of all the usuals things, he also made sure that my suitcase was packed and ready to go at the reception.

Luggage thoughts:

P-RB: Just imagine that you are going on short trip, let's say to London, you usually arrive around 7 am and have to go to the hotel because you are carrying this stupid trolley. If you didn't have this trolley you could be able to have some nice breakfast in the city and afterwards head to a museum or some other leisure related activity. Sometimes the hotel is even quite far away so you are wasting valuable time with delivering your suitcase at the hotel, whilst you are not even able to check in yet. There are better ways of spending this time than to dropping off your luggage. I think it would be best for me If I could just teave my trolley at the airport and have it delivered to my hotel.

P-RB: I choose for non-stop flights,

e-boarding, and digital visa on my phone. I would also like to see electronic and digital

biometric scanners or something. This way I wouldn't need my passport all the time. Further, I would like to have personalized in flight services. I want to decide when I can be served or when I want sleep.

1907. He packed suitcase

1908. Short trip london

1909. Go hotel stupid trolley

1910. No trolley nice breakfast city

1911. Head museum leisure activity

1912. Hotel far away

1913. Wasting valuable time

1914. Not able check in yet

1915. Better way spending time

1916. Best deliver hotel

1916. Non-stop flights 1917. E-boarding

1917. E-boarding 1918. Digital visa phone 1919. Biometric scanners

1920. No need passport

1920. No need passport

1921. Personalized flight services

922. When served or sleep

Question 7:

1923. Come collect at home 1924. Don't drag suitcase

1925. Return journey be same

especially valuable when you are on a city trip.

I-JB: Would this tempt you to bring a suitcase instead of a carry-on trolley?

P-RB: No it would not, but why wouldn't my carry on luggage become my pick up luggage? How cool would it be that when I travel I only have a small backpack? No more nonsense with liquids and toiletries at the security. But the main questions still is, what happens with your luggage when you leave the airport? Can't they simply bring it to your hotel for you?

P-RB: I wouldn't mind to drop off my bags at the local supermarket, but the most important thing is that I don't want to experience any hassle in the destination airport. Why wouldn't you make use of the current hotels? I am part of their loyalty program, isn't this a better way to ensure that I remain a customer if they allow me to drop off my luggage?

37:56 P-RB: One problem I see is that when you send your stuff a week before departure is what will happen when you decide not to go on this trip anymore?

Door 2 door reaction?

1940. Not tempted C.O. for C.I.

1941. C.O. become pick up

1942. Cool only travel backpack 1943. No nonsense security

1944. Happens luggage leave airport 1945. Simply bring hotel

1946. Wouldn't mind drop supermarket

1947. Don't experience hassle destination airport 1948. Make use current hotels

1949. Part loyalty program

1950. Remain customer drop off luggage



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P-MP

Question 1:

P-SP: We travel 3 to 4 times a year only for holiday purposes.

I-JB: And what is the deciding factor for you if you travel by car or by plane?

P-SP: Distance, When we went to Denmark we drove and when we went to Greece we flew.

P-MP: And driving is cheaper than flying when traveling with the family.

I-JB: So budgetary reasons are also a decisive factor?

P-MP: Or we pay for 4 tickets or we pay for petrol, so it saves us a lot of money when

P-SP: But when we fly we always have to rent a car, so those are additional costs. That is also a reason why we prefer to travel with our own car. The kids also have the ability to watch some movies whilst we are travelling.

1951. Travel 3-4 times holiday

1952. Distance 1953. Denmark we drove 1954. Greece we flew

1955. Driving cheaper with family

1956. Pay tickets, pay petrol 1957. Safes lot money

1958. Fly always rent car 1959. Prefer travel own car

1960. Kids watch movies traveling

P-MP: That is very true, I don't have to be organized because there is already somebody that does it for me.

I-JB: And do you mind?

P-MP: I just to find it really nice but now it is becoming a bit annoying. I am more a bit annoyed by myself.

I-JB: How come?

P-MP: If you don't organize anything, then you will not be able to do anything that you want. So in our case I would always follow the decisions that Stephanie has made for us. If you look at what kind of traveler I am, you could describe me as last minute. I like to pack my bag as late as possible but depart on time from home. I don't like to be stressed. I don't want to miss my flight, so if I have to check in two hours before departure than I will check in two hours before departure.

I-JB: And do you make use of any services before departure?

P-MP: I tend to check in online but I don't see that as a major benefit as long as I still need to drop off my luggage. When you look at the current check-in process, it seems as if the check in time has remained the same or increased. In the past they used to have 10 check-in desk and now they only have 4 check-in desk.

I-JB: They try to push people towards the self service kiosks.

1976. Somebody organized for me

1977. Becoming annoying 1978. Annoyed by myself

1979. Not able do you want

1980. Follow Stephanie's decisions

1981. Last minute traveler

1982. Pack late as possible

1983. Don't like be stressed 1984. Don't miss flight 1985. C.I. two hours before

1986. C.I. online 1987. No benefit still drop of

1988. Check in time increased

1989. Only 4 C.I. desk

P-MP: It is almost not doable for us to go on holiday with the plane and not have a car at our final destination. This is because of all the stuff that we have to bring with us.

Question 2:

P-SP: I am intuitive, hard working, loyal, and a doer. I am also quite well organized, when I think of something that I need to do I will write it down on a 'To Do' list. This also reflects in what kind of traveller I am. I am patient, open minded, self controlled, realistic, and polite.

I-JB: And what does realistic mean in this

P-SP: When I arrive at the airport I know that there will be queues and that I will have to wait. I know this beforehand so I can prepare for this mentally. I also like to think ahead of the amount of time I am going to be so that I can take into account for what I can do, need to do and need to bring. How many bottles for Feline? How many diapers, do we need to bring toys.

I-JB: And how would you describe yourself Marnix?

P-MP: I am happy, humorous, practical, efficient, polite, rational, sensitive, good-natured and chaotic. And the three that describe me most are, chaotic, polite and good-natured.

I-JB: It is funny to hear, that you are chaotic and that Stephanie is well organized.

1961. Not doable fly no car f.d.

1962. Because stuff have to bring

1963. Intuitive, hard working, loyal, doer 1964. Well organized

1965. Write to do list

1966. Kind traveler I am 1967. Patient, open minded, self controlled, realistic and polite

1968. Arrive airport know queues

1969. Know before prepare mentally

1970. Into account need to do/bring

1971. Bottle feline 1972. Diapers and toys

1973. Happy, humorous, practical, efficient, polite, rational, sensitive, good-natured, chaotic

1975. Chaotic, polite, good-natured

P-MP: I experienced them once when flying with the KLM, I really liked that.

Question 3

P-SP: We like to travel with two large check in trolleys because the are easy to roll around, and we can fit everything we need for our entire family in them. But I would prefer just to travel with a small carry-on trolley but that is just not realistic.

I-JB: And why is this your most preferred?

P-SP: Because then I don't have to wait in line at the baggage drop off. So I check in online and just head straight through to security. And the most annoying thing to bring is the buggy. This is because it either arrives at the carousel or I have to pick it up at some special pickup point, it is never

I-JB: Could you please describe from where to where you need the buggy?

P-MP: Well we need it during our travel to the airport and then at the airport. When we start to board we need to hand it over to the ground crew in the sky bridge just before entering the plane. Then they take it to the runway and load it into the plane. It starts to become confusing when you land, with some airlines they drop the buggy off in the skybridge at other airlines they drop it off at the gate, or they drop it off at the regular luggage carousel. It is really confusing.

1990. Liked self service kiosk

1991. Two large trolleys

1992. Fit everything need

1993. Prefer small carry on 1994. Not realistic

1995. Don't wait drop of

1996. Straight through security
1997. Annoying bring buggy

1998. Pick up never clear

1999. Need during travel airport

2000. Board hand over

2001. They load unto plane

2002. Confusing when land

2003. Buggy skybridge 2004. Drop at gate 2005. Regular carousel 2006. Really confusing



P-SP: And last time when we flew we had a transfer, so we didn't know if it would arrive. Did they label it through, were we supposed to pick it up somewhere? P-MP: When we were waiting at the carousel in Athens we did experience some anxiety because we just didn't know if it would arrive. The reason why a buggy is so important is that you can fixate your children and keep them in one place. This is necessary because it is so busy at airports and you want to get a move on. To either catch your next flight or continue on your journey. I-JB: Do you have any other bad experiences related to luggage? P-SP: No not really, the only thing that I find
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annoying is that your luggage doesn't arrive simultaneously. The first items arrives and then you have to wait another 20 minutes for the next suitcase.
I-JB: And you Marnix, could you share your experiences and habits when it comes to traveling with luggage?
P-MP: I usually travel with a large check-in trolley. I also like this the most because it 2016. Large C.I. trolley
holds a lot of stuff and I am able to roll it around. This immediately is also its 2017. Hold stuff roll it
downside. Because it holds so much it is heavy, and because of the wheels it is hard
to tip it over or to let it stand by itself on the 2019. Hard tip over train
train. I would prefer to travel with something that is rollable but also light. 2020. Prefer light rollable

I-JB: And for the kids?		
P-MP: No it wouldn't be suc Because we don't bring eve own.		2031. Don't bring everything kids
Question 5:		
Packing:		
P-SP: A week before depart		2032. Week before look necessities kids
the kids. I will check their clo	oset to see if	2033. Check closet
they have grown out of anyt I need to buy some clothing		2034. Buy clothing trip
I-JB: And you do this 1 weel	k in advance?	
P-SP: yes usually one week and then start packing 3 day departure.		2035. Start packing 3 days
I-JB: And you are doing the beforehand?	laundry	2036. Never bring dirty
P-MP: We never bring dirty	laundry.	
P-SP: No we don't bring dirt		2037. Not do laundry before
will not specifically start doin before departure. When you	have a family	2038. Family laundry everyday
you do the laundry everyday you will focus a bit more on but I wouldn't say that I reall	specific clothing	2039. Don't think about
I-JB: How do you start the p process? Is this an ongoing you do this in phases?		
		2040. Pack one setting

I-JB: Which associations do you have with check-in luggage?	
P-MP: It's a hassle, it takes a lot of time, large queues, slow, long waiting times at the carousel, stressed and tired.	2021. C.I. Hassle, queues, time, stressed, tired
Question 4:	
P-SP: We were traveling to Athens, via Zurich, from Amsterdam. We were carrying two large check in trolleys, a babybag (verschoontas), and a backpack.	2022. Large trolleys, baby bag, backpack
P-SP: Essential items are really the pampers and baby food. Our main goal of	2023. Essential pampers food
the journey is to entertain the kids and that they are ok. There is zero time to entertain	2024. Goal entertain kids
yourself or relax a bit. I do bring a magazine or a book with me in my carry on but it rarely gets read.	2025. Zero entertain yourself
I-JB: How long can you do without the stuff that you have packed in your check-in luggage?	
P-SP: Maybe a week. Toiletries would be a problem, but clothing wouldn't be an issue.	2026. Without toiletries problem
mean in general it is holiday and summer clothing that you wouldn't need when you	2027. Summer clothing wouldn't need
are at home. Towels we can miss for longer periods of time. Only thing that would be a	2028. Miss towels longer
problem would be toiletries.	2029. Only toiletries problem
I-JB: And imagine that you would go on holiday to a destination with a similar climate? Would that be a problem?	
P-SP: No because I have 4 jeans I would only bring 2 with me.	2030. No problem 4 jeans

P-SP: No when the moment arrives, I will pack in one setting. You make little piles based on the things that you need. How many underpants, how many pants, how many socks, you think about how many of each item you need to bring.	2041. How many each item
I-JB: And you do this for yourself and the kids?	2041. Pack myself and kids
P-SP: I pack for myself and the kids, and Marnix packs for himself.	
I-JB: Is there a final check moment to see if you have everything?	2042. No final check
P-MP: No not really, I mean, I know that they also have stores on the other side of the world. Just as long as I have my passport and my wallet I will be fine.	2043. Stores other side world 2044. Passport and wallet
Transport	
P-MP: Stephanie takes care of the children whilst I carry the suitcases. She has Feline in the buggy and Oliver walking beside her. Oh, she also carries the diaper bag. I am busy with carrying two suitcases and a backpack. And what is really stressful is	2045. Stephanie takes children 2046. I carry suitcase 2047. Feline buggy oliver walking 2048. Carrying two suitcases 2049. Stressful getting into tram
getting into the tram. Because there is a time limit on how long the doors will stay	2050. Time limit doors
open. So I first need to help Stephanie with the kids after which I quickly need to load the suitcases into the tram and all this whilst the doors want to close. When we arrive at the station this situation starts all over again.	2051. Help stephanie 2052. Arrive station situation starts over



Train

P-MP: When we enter the train we have to sit in the general hallway area. Which is totally not comfortable and not relaxed, especially when traveling with kids. You just want to have normal seats and you are seated on those foldable ones. The kids are walking around and the doors open continuously. You are also seated next to the dirty toileit, there are little steps. You are continuously alert, and trying to calm down your children. What also is a problem, is that we use those roller suitcases so the suitcases will start rolling around in the train. There is a lot to do and watch out for in a non comfortable environment.

2053. Train sit hallway

2054. Not comfortable especially kids

2055. Just want normal seat

2056. Kids walking around

2057. Next dirty toilet

2058. Continuously alert

2059. Suitcases start rolling

2060. Lot to do 2061. Non comfortable environment

Schiphol Baggage Drop off

P-SP: This is a very stressful point and total

P-MP: What are you going to do? Wait with a trolley two suitcases and two children in the queue? This is the moment the family is split up. Mom goes away to entertain the children whilst I wait in the queue for 25 to 30 minutes because it is holiday season. You are always waiting and standing in a queue.

P-SP: Standing in line with kids is a no go.

P-MP: Queues in general are a burden, but it is extra difficult with kids because they don't understand why they have to wait. 2062. Very stressful drop of

2063. Wait with children

2064. Family split up

2065. Wait queue 30 minutes

2066. Always waiting queue

2067. Queues burden 2068. Extra difficult kids the aisle a High-five but if somebody is sleeping they will find this very annoying

Layover

P-MP: Was the best thing that we could have done. The flight obviously is shorter which reduces the time that they need to sit still. And when we arrived in the airport we found a sort of large playground for the kids which they loved. We first thought that it would be a bad idea to book the cheapest tickets with an layover but it turned out to be the best decision that we could have made.

2080. Layover best thing

2081. Flight shorter time sit 2082. Playground kids

2083. Bad idea cheapest tickets

2084. Best decision

Arrival: (Carousel)

P-SP: When you arrive at the carousel you just start thinking, come on come on when will my bagage arrive. This is also a moment that we split up as a family, I head of to a corner or somewhere where there is a bit more space and Marnix waits at the carousel to pick up our luggage. It is also a moment for me that I can go to the toilet with them, probably need to clean a diaper and Olivier also needs to go to the toilet.

P-MP: When I look at this journey it looks really stressful, I am never going to fly again haha.

P-SP: Normally when I get back from the toilet, Marnix already has the suitcases. Except this time our buggy didn't arrive. So after a while we decided to let the buggy go.

I-JB: This was a cheaper buggy?

2085. When baggage arrive

2086. Family split up

2087. Marnix waits pick luggage

2088. Go toilet kids

2089. Journey really stressful

2090 Back toilet marnix suitcases

2091. Buggy didn't arrive 2092. Let buggy go

Schiphol airport

P-SP: We try and make a real outing for the kids. So we have something to eat and something to drink, and try to entertain them as much as possible.

P-MP: Something that we do miss is some sort of children play center or fantasy land. Kids lose their energy and it is a moment for us to catch our breath.

I-JB: Now it is time to board

P-MP: You are forgetting a steps, the journey you have to make to the gate with the kids. From a place where there is a lot to do, to a boring gate.

P-SP: You need to think in advance how long it will take you to get anywhere, when you are travelling with two kids.

Boarding

P-SP: Have to drop off our buggy inside the sky bridge.

P-MP: This is actually really nice, that is what I call service.

Flight:

P-MP: When we are in the plane we have one job and that is to entertain the kids.

P-SP: We need to make sure that they are calm, that they don't run through the aisle, that they don't bother other passengers. Fien for example loves to give everybody in

2069. Make outing kids

2070. something eat drink entertain

2071. Miss play cente

2072. Kids lose energy catch breath

2073. Boring gate

2074. Think advance travel time

2075. Drop off buggy

2076. Really nice service

2077. One job entertain kids

2078. Sure calm don't bother

2079. High-five aisle annoying

P-MP: Yes it was our travel buggy which I picked up from marktplaats for a few bucks So we thought to ourselves nevermind just let it be. We also need to drive for a while so let's just continue on our journey.

I-JB: Did you need to buggy on the airport?

P-MP: No not really but it would have been nice to have it. This mainly because it enables use to strap one child in and it is possible to hang some luggage on it.

Transport:

P-MP: Afterwards we went looking for the car rental place but had some difficulty finding it. It took me an hour to finally find it and then it is just a matter of driving to the final destination. It was a 4 hour drive but we have done it before. Oh small moment of stress is when you arrive at the tollbooth and totally forgot about it. So you are looking through your bags looking for change.

Return journey:

I-JB: When do you start to prepare for you return journey?

P-MP: The evening before we depart, I would say?

P-SP: No, I start 2 days before we depart with doing some laundry and collecting all the stuff that we had brought with us for the kids.

2093. Cheaper travel buggy

2094. Let it be

2095. Let's continue

2096. Nice to have

2097. Enables strap child

2098. Look car rental

2099. Driving final destination

2100. Done it before

2101. Small amount stress tollbooth

2102. Looking bags money change

2103. Evening before departure

2104. 2 days before 2105. Laundry collecting stuff



Luggage thoughts:	
I-JB: Is there a moment in your journey, from the departure airport to the arrival airport that you think about your luggage?	2106. Relieved don't carry
P-MP: No absolutely not. I am just relieved that I don't have to carry it anymore.	,
Question 6:	
P-MP: There is one thing that I find most	2107. Important luggage door to door 2108. Parents send crate
important and that would be if it is possible to send luggage from door to door. My parents used to send a large box or crate,	2109. Love to have this
put all our stuff in it and send it off. I would love to have this now, I would not even	2110. Drop off don't mind
mind to drop it off at the local post-office.	
I-JB: And how long ago is this?	
P-MP: I would say 30 years ago.	
Additional Questions:	
Door 2 door reaction?	
I-JB: What are your thoughts on such a service and would you be interested in using such a service?	2111. Thinking doing it
P-MP: The funny thing is that I was thinking about doing this last time we went to Greece.	
P-SP: Well it depends on what the costs are linked to such a service.	2112. Depends costs 2113. Think pay C.I. now

P-MP: But when you think about it, I also need to pay for my check in luggage now. So I don't think that it will differ that much in price. However, what is a bit of a problem is that we were staying in a privately owned home that does not have an address. P-SP: But then we would have to send it to a postal office in Mythone that is closed when we arrive.	2114. Don't differ much 2115. Problem privately home 2116. Postal office closed arrive
I-JB: How much would you be willing to pay for such a service? P-SP: I think we pay around €100 euro's now so I would say the same. You are paying for the convenience and inconvenience. Inconvenience being that we probably can't pick up our suitcases when we arrive.	2117. Pay € 100 now 2118. Pay for convenience 2119. Can't pick up suitcase arrive
P-MP: It is strange because why should you pay for inconvenience if convenience already exists? I would be happy to pay a bit more now. But age is a really important factor for parents who travel with kids. If your children are bit older and they are able to carry their own luggage, that would change a whole lot. So I would say that in this age group making use of such a service would be more a necessity and as a way to relieve stress, but there will be a tipping point that it will transform into something you do pure from a luxury standpoint.	2120. Why pay inconvenience 2121. Happy pay bit more 2122. Age very important 2123. Older kids carry luggage 2124. This age group 2125. Relieve stress 2126. Tipping point luxury
I-JB: Could you think of other drop-off locations people might be interested in to drop off their luggage?	2127. Make use delivery vans 2128. Everybody shops online

P-MP: Why not make use of all the delivery vans that drive through my street. Everybody shops online, and I have one of those vans riding through my street every hour. Why not let them pick it up.	2129. Them pick up
I-JB: How long could do without your luggage before your departure?	2130. Longer week problem 2131. Toiletries problem
P-MP: If It would be longer than a week it would become a problem. Toiletries is a problem anyways but I can maybe put them	2132. Put them C.O. 2133. 4-5 days best
in my carry on luggage.	2100. 1 0 dayo book
P-SP: I would say a week? However, I think that 4 to 5 days would be the best.	



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Participant Nico van Wingerden

Question 1:

P-NW: We have traveled a lot but due to Suze's health issues we're not able to travel the same way we used to. We can't stroll around big cities as long any more and do bit more intensive activities like hiking. We still can go for bike rides which is nice.

P-NW: Every winter we rent an apartment on the Costa Brava in Spain and retreat there for a couple of months

P-NW: We arranged the apartments there via local residents or other long stay tourist. You just meet people in bar or on some terraces who are renting out apartments or are responsible for someone's apartments

P-SS: Normally we travel by car to Spain because we are staying there for a longer period of time, lets say 2 to 3 months, but this year we are going by plane.

P-SS: If we are gone for a longer period of time, we like to bring our bicycles and other items such as comfortable patio chairs, special food items and things like that. Else we would just take the plane and then I

1062. Traveled a lot 1063. Health issues travel differently

1064. Can't stroll or hike anymore

1065 Go for hike rides

1067. Rent apartment Spain 1068. Retreat winter months

1069. Arrange apartment local residents

1070. Meet people renting apartments

1071. Responsible for apartment

1072. Travel by car 1073. Longer stay 1074. 2 to 3 months 1075. Going by plane

1076. Like to bring bicycles

1077. Comfortable patio chairs 1078. Special food items

P-SS: We are really travel enthusiast, but since my heart attack I'm not as mobile as before. Now I don't mind to just check into an all inclusive hotel and don't do anything. But still see a lot! Just rent a car and travel through the city or the countryside. Liust can't lay flat on my back for two weeks and do nothina.

P-SS: I don't like driving to Spain anymore. It takes so long, and with the plane you can cover the same distance so much faster. Alicante is only 2.5 hours away by plane, with the car it is almost a 1 day drive.

P-SS: I've chosen happy, polite and realistic. I am happy with my life, with what I have experienced and what I am able to do, even though I have had a heart attack

P-NW: I have chosen adventurous, creative, energetic, independent, calm, ambitious and adaptive. I like to challenge myself, I used to be a fireman. Quite an action packed career which I enjoyed and in which you need to be creative and adaptive when certain approaches don't

Kind of traveler:

P-NW: I would say that my characteristics also reflect the kind of traveler I am. I did experience quite adventurous holidays but also more relaxing and calm. We like to be independent and arrange everything ourselves. It is cheaper and you have control over what you are going to do

1101. Travel enthusiast 1102. Heart attack 1103. Not as mobile 1104. All inclusive hotel

1105 Still see a lot

1105. Still sec a loc 1106. Rent a car 1107. Can't do nothing

1108. Driving to Spain 1109. Too long

1110. Plane 2.5 hours

1111. Happy life 1112. Experience and able to do

1113. Adventurous

1114. Challenge myself 1115. Fireman 1116. Creative and adaptive

1117 Experience adventurous holidays

1118 Also relaying and calm

1119. Be independent 1120. Cheaper and control

wouldn't be able to bring my bicycle with

P-NW: We've made some beautiful trips in the past. Traveled through China, went to Brazil, we even cycled across the entire coast of Malaysia. We brought our own bikes, Just disassembled the pedals. turned the handlebars and packed them in that plastic bubble foil. Easy as that! Just a day later we were cycling through Asia on our own bicycle!

P-NW: The trip to the airport was quite pleasant. A friend of ours dropped us off at the airport with our bicycles, by car.

P-SS: Since all the terrorist attacks and the increase in security traveling has become less pleasant. Especially when they frisk you! The security guards are even touching the inside of my thighs. This makes me feel very uncomfortable

P-SS: The queues are getting worse as well.

P-SS: I also like to go with friends on short trips of around 4-5 days. By plane, to other cities such as Bilbao. Or Greece, I like to go everywhere except those Islamic countries. I just don't feel safe over there

P-NW: The ambiance on the airports is really bad, they can never ask you anything on a normal tone. Everything has to be yelled at you. We have seen enough so let's stay closer to home.

1079. Not able to bring bicycle 1080. Would miss bicycle

1081. Made beautiful trips

1082. Cycled across Malaysia

1083. Brought own bikes

1084. Packed them in bubble foil

1086. Cycling a day later

1087. Friend dropped us off

1088. Terrorist attack

1089. Increase security 1090. Traveling less pleasant 1091. Touching insight thighs

1092. Very uncomfortable

1093. Queues worse

1094. Short trips with friends 1095. By plane

1096. Except islamic countries 1097. Don't feel safe

1098. Bad ambiance airport 1099. Yelled at

1100. Stay close

P-SS: I am a similar kind of traveler Independent traveler, who likes to have control over the itinerary who always brings way too much luggage.

P-SS: I like to bring everything I am really fond off. This way I always have something to choose from when I am on holiday. But I must say that we always stay below the maximum weight limit. I pack and Nico weights the suitcases

P-NW: I am the different, as long as I have a few t-shirts, pants and underpants I'm fine. You can wash your clothes at the destination anyways

P-SS: When we travel for longer periods of time, let's say 2-3 weeks, we both carry a large samsonite suitcase. But if we would only go for a short trip,4-7 days, we would choose for a smaller check-in trolley. I always need to bring check in luggage, I just need the extra kg's.

P-SS: Bringing luggage with you has become a huge business for airlines. It is really expensive to bring it with you. We fly a lot with Transavia, so it is not included in

P-NW: Last time I traveled with easyjet I was amazed at what people brought with them onboard. These carry-on luggage items were huge! It is getting ridiculous. It is 1121. Independent traveler

1122. Like control itinerary 1123. Bring too much luggage

1124. Bring everything fond of

1125. Choose from

1126. Below maximum weight

1127. I pack 1128. Nico weights

1129. I'm different 1130. Few t-shirts

1131. You can wash

1132. Longer period 1133. Both carry suitcase

1134. 4-7 days

1135. Check-in trolley 1136. Need check-in luggage 1137. Need extra kg's

1138. Luggage huge business

1139. Really expensive 1140. Fly with transavia

1141. Last flight easy jet

1142. Amazed at people 1143. Carry-on huge 1144. Ridiculous 1145. Same for fat people



the same for very fat people. Why shouldn' they be forced to buy two seats'

P-SS: I agree, it is disgusting and I wouldn't want to sit next to somebody like that

P-NW: I've had a few bad experiences. from waiting very long to check in my bag or to retrieve it from the carousel to having lost my luggage.

Question 3B

P-NW: We always try to make our suitcase as recognizable as possible, so we seal the suitcases and add stickers to them so that when we arrive at the carousel we can easily spot them. Never put medication in your, check-in luggage and the type and size of suitcase

P-SS: Indeed, always put medication in your check-in luggage. Something might go wrong. But I also think about the weight that I am allowed to bring, always pack a backpack in the suitcase.

P-NW: Check-in and drop off is never a m. We always check in online a soon as possible and from there it is just a matter of dropping of your suitcase. The lines usually aren't too bad because we hardly ever travel in the holiday season.

P-SS: We chose our trip to Canada. We were invited by a friend of ours to visit him in Toronto. From there we road tripped 1146. Disgusting

1147. Bad experiences 1148. Waiting check in 1149. Lost luggage

1150. Suitcase recognizable

1151 Seal and stickers

1152. Easily spot them 1153. No medication luggage

1154. Medication check-in

1156 Think about weight

1157. Never a problem 1158 Check-in online 1159. Soon as possible

1160. Dropping suitcase 1161. Lines aren't too bad 1162. Don't travel holiday

1163. Trip to Canada 1164. Invited by friend

1165. Road tripped through Canada

cheaptickets to see if there are any nice deals

P-NW: For this trip we choose Toronto, we were invited by a friend of ours. I think we booked 6 weeks before we departed.

P-SS: Like I said I'm always looking on the internet for good travel deals. Once we found something it is Nico's jobs to fill in all the necessary information. That is just something that I don't like to do

P-NW: We do find it important to fly with a Dutch airline or at least a well known and highly regarded airline.

P-SS: Sometimes we also fly with TUI, but we always book comfort class because the seats are so small! And we book our luggage online as well. We have our own insurance so we skip those steps but we prefer to do everything online.

P-SS: When we go to Spain for the winter we normally have an agreement with the house owner that we want to rent it again for the next year. But last time we arranged everything a bit last minute, I think a few weeks or so. But that is our adaptive

P-SS: On thing that I do find very important is when booking an accommodation or a trip for instance, is to read the reviews. This is the only way to know how the service really is. We also quite enjoy it to read these reviews and do a bit of research

1185. 6 weeks before

1186. Always looking 1187. Nico fill in information

1188. Don't like to do

1189. Fly well known airline

1190. Sometimes Tui 1191. Book comfort cla

1192. Luggage online

1193. Own insurance 1194. Everything online

1195. Spain winter

1196. Agreement house owner

1197. Arranged last minute

1198. Adaptive nature

1200. Read review

1201. Know service

1202. Enjoy reviews

through Canada together.

P-SS: He also visited use when we were staying in Spain, afterwhich he had to continue his journey to Lisbon afterwhich we decided to just join him. It wasn't planned at all but we really like these spontaneous trips.

P-NW: We carried to large check-in suitcases. But I don't pack my own bags, Suze does that. My only task is to weigh the suitcases to see if they are the right

P-SS: That is true, I pack for the two of us and he tells me whether or not I have overpacked. This routines works quite well.

P-SS: I always pack because that's my thing. We always have lists on what we want to bring and once it is packed, I just check it off. It helps me organize and calm my thoughts.

P-SS: I think that a week before we depart I start to get a bit twitchy. I already start to sort our clothes, do the wash, look at what I need to buy.

P-SS: Something that we won't do anymore is travel to countries where you have to take special medication like malarone.

When I go on holiday I don't want to risk getting sick, especially not in the state that I am in now.

Question 5:

Research & Book:

P-SS: I look everyday! On my phone. I have a tablet but my phone is just so much easier. I look through channels such as sunweb, ticketspy, travelbird and

1166. Spontaneous trip

1167. Large check-in luggage 1168. Suze packs bags

1169. Weights suitcases

1170. Pack for two

1171. Tell me overpacked

1172. Packing is my thing

1173. Lists what to bring

1174. calm my thoughts 1175. Twitchy week before

1176. Sort clothes

1177. What to buy

1178. Travel to countries 1179. Special medication

1180. Risk getting sick

1181. Look everyday 1182. On phone

1183. Look through channels 1184. Sunweb, ticketspy, travelbird, cheaptickets

P-SS: We either book our accommodation via people we know or through Caré. But we have also used sites such as sunweb for instance or fox travels, but the later mostly for longer trips

P-NW: When I turned 50 we made a big roadtrip through the states which was marvelous. The only thing we had arranged was a flight and a rental car, the rest we used booked along the way and on the snot Great!

P-SS: A lot of older people, especially those we meet in Spain, need to have the secure feeling that they have arranged an accommodation. We are the total opposite Just step into the car and go! See where the road take you.

Preparing & Packing:

P-SS: First things we do is arrange a visa, check online what we need to take care off, maybe already exchange some money? Maybe buy a traveler's guide or book of some kind.

P-NW: When we go to Spain there is not a lot of preparing to do. We just pack and go.

P-SS: A week before we depart I will ask Nico to grab the suitcases out of the storage so that I can pack. Once that has been done, I usually will lay them down on the floor in the side room and start packing them bit by bit. With my check-list off course!

1203. Book people we know

1203. Long trips

1204. Sunweb or fox travels

1205. Big roadtrip

1206. Arranged flight and car

1207. Booked along the way

1208. Secure feeling

1209. Road takes you

1210. First Visa 1211. Check online necessities

1212. Exchange money 1213. Travelers guide

1214. Spain just pack

1215. Week before departure

1219. Weigh them



P-NW: Once it is packed it is my job to 1220 Moment check-in P-NW: The moment when we can check-in online I will check-in the both of us 1221. Detective work 1222. Nico responsible paying P-SS: I do all the research and detective work and Nico is responsible for filling all 1223. Not patient the forms and arranging the payments. He is a better reader then I am. I am not 1224. Complement each other patient enough. He also prints the tickets. P-NW: We complement each other 1225. Additional mobile phone P-SS: I also arrange additional mobile phone packages for in the EU. I used to have massive bills because I like to call my friends back home. 1226 Massive hills 1227. Arrangements neighbours P-NW: We also need to make 1228. Disconnect house arrangements with our neighbours to open our mail if it is important. Oh, and we also make sure that everything coming into the house is disconnected: water, electricity, gas. So, we also need to make sure that our fridge is empty. 1229. Packed evening before P-SS: Bag is fully packed the evening before we go, so we can take a shower in the evening. Wake up early and jus depart without having to do a lot in the morning. 1230. Wake up early 1231. Holiday start leave the house P-SS: My holiday really starts when we leave the house. But I must say I also get this holiday feeling once the holiday is booked. It is nice to have something to look forward to. 1232. Holiday feeling once booked 1233. Look forward to 1234. Grab train to airport 1235. Dropped at train station P-SS: When we travel by plane we grab the train towards the airport. Perfect! Our neighbour drops us off at the station and 1236. Connection is perfect

P-SS: The security is the worst part of my journey. When we traveled to Canada, the security employee almost put his hands down my pants during the frisking process. Excuse mel That seems to cross the border of common decency. 1248. Common decency 1249 Rit excessive 1250. Dump valuables P-SS: I just dumped all my valuables and belongings into one of those crates, but the question I ask myself is whether or not the security employees really can keep an overview. It is so busy at the security. 1251. Employee keep overview 1252. Quick drink 1253. Visit casino P-SS: When we are through the security, 1253. Visit casilio 1254. Exhilarating we have a quick drink somewhere and pay a quick visit to the casino to gamble. It is so exhilarating. 1255. Close to departure time P-SS: After these activities it is time to board, we usually try to arrive as close as 1256. Don't arrive advised time possible to our departure time P-NW: We never arrive at Schinhol at the advised time, 3 hours in advance never! 1257. Carry-on arrive earlier P-SS: Depending on whether we are travelling with carry-on or check in luggage 1258. Enough room we head to the gate a bit earlier. This way we can secure enough room for our own luggage onboard 1259. Biggest annovances P-NW: One of my biggest annoyances is 1260. Too much luggage having to wait for my carry-on luggage, because other people brought to much

1261. Long flight

luggage onboard

from there we just grab the train. The connection is perfect, and the station is underneath the airport. 1237. Taxi dependent on time P-NW: We have taken taxi's before but this 1238. Flights normal time is dependent on time. That is one of criteria nowadays, only book flights with normal denarture times 1239. Don't enjoy early departure P-SS: Early departure is not something we enjoy! 1240. Carry suitcases train P-SS: We do have to carry those to big 1241. Is an issue suitcases into the train, that is a bit of an issue but we have no other choice. But on the other hand I think to myself, so what I am going on holiday. 1242. Sit in hallway P-NW: We do have to sit in the hallway but that is not such a big problem for us 1243. Accustomed to trip Neither is getting out of the train. We have taken this trip so many times that we have become accustomed to the crowd that gathers at the platform Schiphol Baggage Drop off 1244. Easy and pleasant P-SS: We head to a check in desk, hand 1245. Older queue nuisance over our passport, weight our suitcases and that's it. It is real easy and pleasant unless you have to stand in a queue. If you are bit older this becomes a nuisance and 1246. Get rid earlier uncomfortable. P-SS: They should solve this somehow, for instance that you can get rid of your suitcase earlier in the process. 1247. Security worst part Schiphol airport

Flight: 1262. Take pill 1263. Music and read P-SS: If it is a long flight I will take a sleeping pill and take a nap, else I would just listen to some music and read a bit. 1264. Fly economy 1265. Entertain yourself P-NW: We fly economy so you have to entertain yourself a bit. But if there is in flight entertainment that is nice, else I would read a book or also try to sleep. 1266. Pay luggage 1267. Doable now P-SS: Paying for your luggage is something that we can't avoid. It is doable now, but it shouldn't become more expensive. If that is the case, I would consider buying my toiletries and other items at my final destination. 1268. Consider buying toiletries 1269. Fuel costs redeemed P-NW: I understand it completely, the plane uses extra energy to carry all that extra weight so the fuel costs need to be redeemed somehow. 1270. Head off soon P-NW: We don't like to spend so much time on the airport, so we try to head off as soon as possible. In this case we had to stand in the queue for our passport and visa check. 1271. Queue for passport 1272. Not anxious suitcase P-SS: I never experience this anxious feeling whether or not my suitcase will arrive at the luggage carousel. Once the airline left our suitcase in New York, but they took full responsibility for it and delivered it to my doorstep a few days later. 1273. Left our suitcase 1274. Delivered to doorstep 1275. Position opening carousel P-NW: Like everybody else I would position myself near the opening of the baggage carousel so I can quickly see if our suitcases are being dropped onto the belt. 1276. Nico at carousel 1277. I take seat 1278. Have to wait P-SS: Waiting at the carousel is never really a problem. Nico waits at the carousel and I usually take a seat somewhere in the near the carousel belt. There is nothing you



can do about it so you just have to wait.	1279. Spain arrange pick-up
Transport:	1280. Prefer pick-up
P-SS: When we go to Spain we arrange that a local friend of ours picks us up from the airport, but we don't mind taking the bus, metro or train. However, I still prefer to be picked up.	1281. Unpleasant experiences taxi
P-NW: We have had some unpleasant experiences with taxi's in the past. Cab drivers are a strange bunch of people who	1282. Aren't trustworthy 1283. Sometimes included
aren't really trustworthy.	
P-SS: Sometimes it is included in the trip that we book, else we will book it in advance. I don't want to burden my children when I arrive at Schiphol for instance.	1284. Don't burden children
Final Journey:	1285. Final destination
P-SS: Our final destination can either be a hotel, appartment and in this case it was our friends home.	
Return journey:	1286. Day before
P-NW: Usually a day before we depart.	1287. Bring check-lists
P-SS: I bring my check lists with me on my trip and there is nothing else to think about really. Just check if we have everything and go.	
Luggage thoughts:	1288. Dont think about luggage
P-SS: No not really, I never think about my luggage when I am at the airport.	1289. Small airport
P-NW: It is quite fun to see when you are at a smaller airport how they load the plane with bags and suitcases. But it is not something I specifically about. It is just a	1290. Load luggage 1291. Trust airline

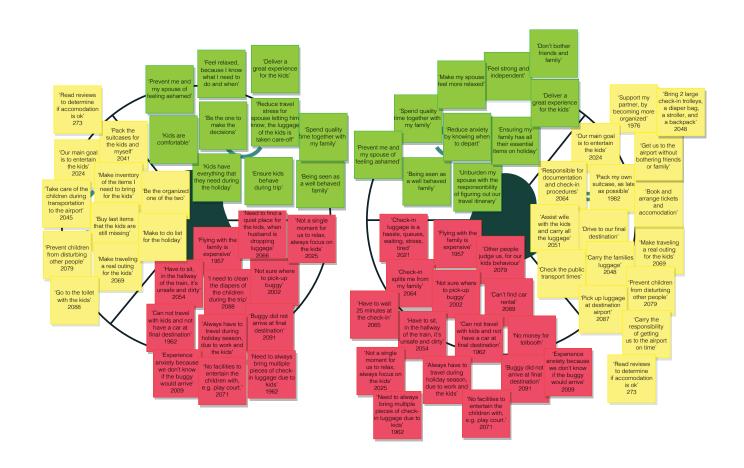
P-SS: I wouldn't just drop it off at a store, the industrial site would be ok.	1312. Send to hotel
P-NW: If I stay at a hotel I would have it deliver to them, else in a big city I would send it to some kind of drop off spot.	1313. Send to drop off spot
Door 2 Door reaction:	
P-SS: What cool that you are designing this.	1314. Implement in steps
P-NW: Look this service is quiet revolutionary so I can imagine that you have to implement it in steps.	1315. Great to use
P-SS: Would be great to be able to use such a service.	1316. Picked up 3 days
P-NW: Maybe have it picked up at my adress 2-3 days before I depart.	1317. Track every step
P-SS: Look at what Bol.com is doing, I can track my package every step of the way. This could also be implemented in this service.	1318. Pay €50
P-SS: I would be willing to pay €50 for a return flight, seems reasonable?	1319. 5 days no problem
P-SS: 5 days before departure wouldn't be	1320. €60 is a lot
a problem for us. But I must say that €60 is quite a lot of money. But when you compare it to the current cost of check-in	1321. Would be tempted
luggage I would be more tempted. Actually I would be interested in making use of such	1322. Easy and pleasant
a service.	1323. Security factor
P-SS: Your journey becomes really easy and pleasant, no more dragging your suitcase and no more hassle at the airport.	1324. No strange things on plane
But the thing that I also like is the security factor. This way I am sure that no suitcases containing strange or nasty things will be	1325. No one check in luggage

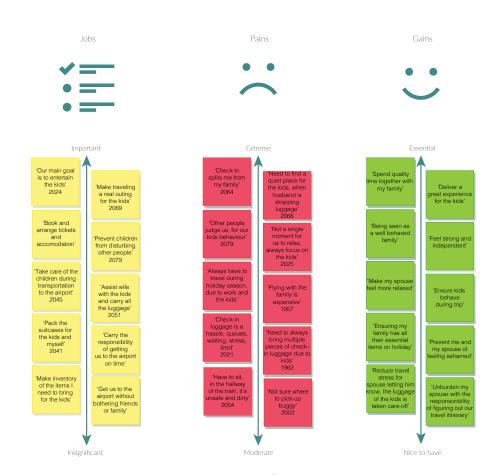
Question 6: P-SS: Services that improve my journey are: no long queues, no delays, minimal touching during the security check, better procedure for carry-on luggage, and they need to do something about overweight people who only buy one seat.	1292. No queues 1293. No delays 1294. Minimal touching 1295. Carry-on procedure 1296. Overweight people
P-NW: I have similar answers the only thing that I would add are that I would like to see more legroom in the economy class and have better audio quality onboard. I can never understand the captain or the cabin crew.	1298. Audio quality
Question 7:	1299. No queues
P-SS: It would be perfect if there were no queues. Also, it would be great if I could print out my luggage labels at home and just have drop my bag off at a conveyer belt at Schiphol. Help speed up this process. Furthermore, I would like to a quick pass through the security check. The best thing would be if everything would just be speed immensely, no wasting time during my stay at the airport.	1300. Print label 1301. Drop at conveyer 1302. Speed up process 1303. Quick pass security 1304. No wasting time
P-NW: The best thing would be if my luggage would be send as a package. Have	1306. Picked up days before
it picked up a few days before I depart and just send to my final destination in Spain.	1307. Door to door
Door to door, that would be the best.	1308. Local post office
P-NW: Maybe I could even drop it off at my local post office, shopping mall, maybe even somewhere on an industrial site. I wouldn't mind.	1309. Industrial site 1310. Wouldn't drop store
	1311. Industrial site ok

matter of trust in the airline.

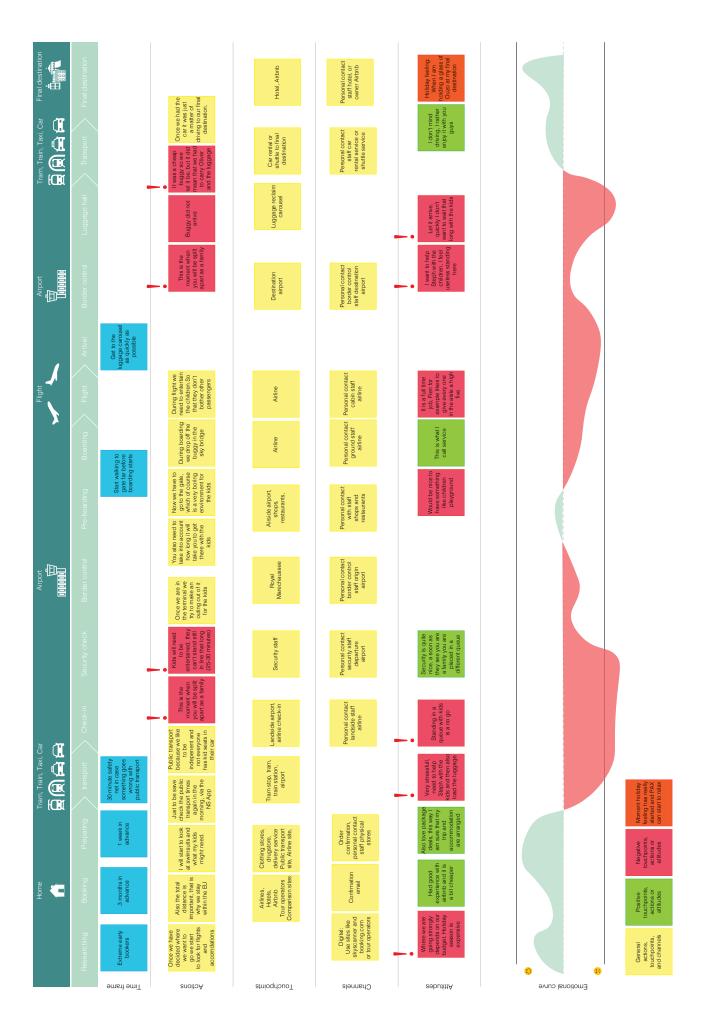
paded unto the plane.
-NW: The ideal picture would be if nobody yould bring check-in luggage to the airport.











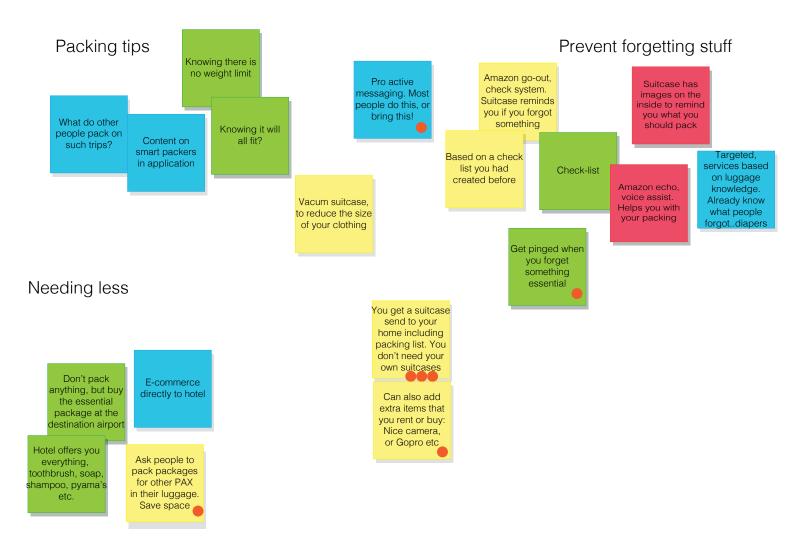


Problem analysis - - - 12:30 Discussion homework - - 12:45 Mindmap - 13:00 Presentation Design Brief - 13:15 Create H2's 13:30 Idea generation 13:35 H2 Idea generation Clustering Dots Idea improvement Develop - - 15:30 Presentation

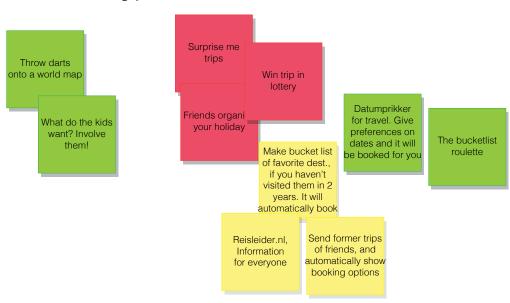


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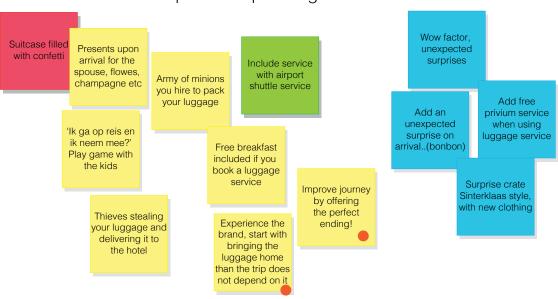




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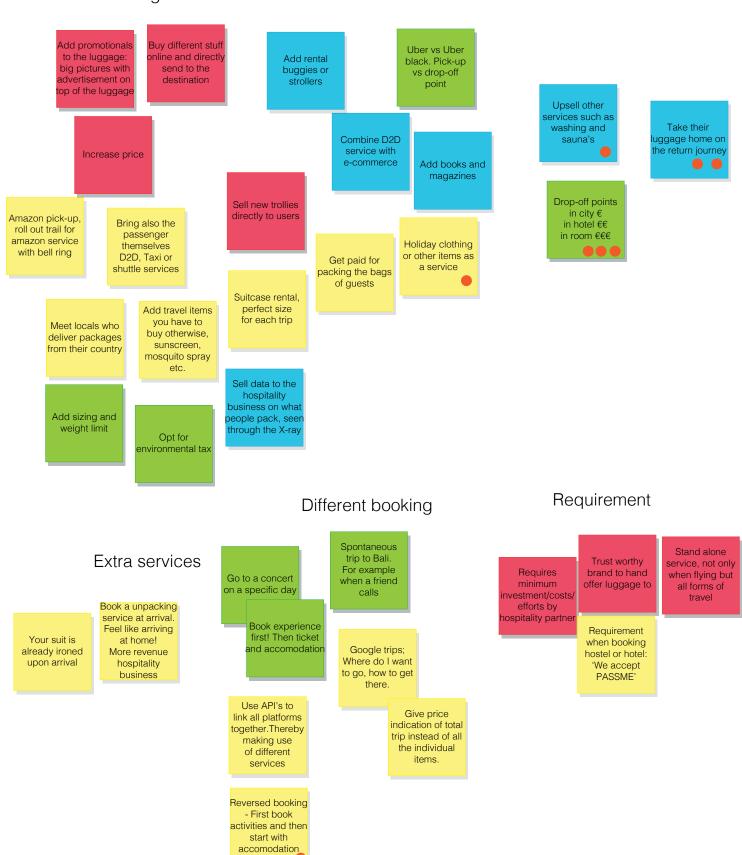
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Benefits for hospitality businesses









Back-home service offer

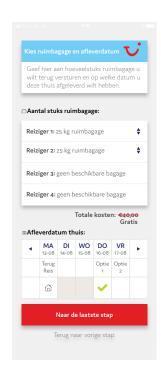


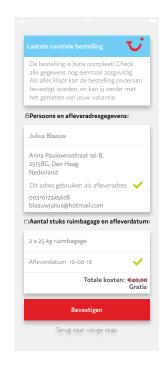








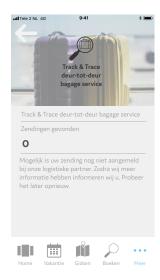






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Scan de QR-code met de TUI app



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TUI Deur-tot-deur bagage service

Omdat wij zo blij zijn dat je met ons op vakantie gaat willen wij jou graag uitnodigen om gratis gebruik te maken van onze deur-tot-deur bagage service tijdens je terugreis. Zo reis jij licht en handsfree naar huis, en kunt je optimaal ontspannen met je reisgezelschap tijdens de terugreis. Dus pak deze kans en sla de rijen bij de check-in en bagageband op de terugreis over!

Hoe werkt het?

Tijdens het uitchecken laat je jouw ruimbagage achter bij de receptie van ons hotel. Zodra, je vertrokken bent zal onze logistieke partner, TNT, jouw ruimbagage ophalen en 2 dagen later thuis afleveren. Zo kan je nog maximaal genieten van jouw reis en ontspannen thuiskomen. Wel zo lekker!

Download de TUI Nederland applicatie, accepteer onze push-notificaties, en scan de QR-code om naar de actie verwezen te worden. Het is ook mogelijk om via jouw 'Mijn TUI' portaal gebruik te maken van deze actie op www.tui.nl. Klik op de deur-tot-deur bagageservice actie in jouw overzicht en vul de unieke promocode in.

Meer informatie is te vinden op de TUI-website of in de TUI Nederland applicatie in de 'Vakantie extra's' submenu.

Wij wensen jou veel plezier met deze nieuwe service en vooral een hele een fijne vakantie!



APPENDIX M: VALIDATION RESEARCH FORM

Validation Questions:

Participants:

Date:

	Very low ()	Low (-)	Not high nor low (0)	High(+)	Very high
Compatibility					, ,
with current					
travel					
behavior					
Relative					
advantage in					
comparison					
to normal					
luggage					
journey					
Trialability of					
the service					
Functional					
risk of the					
proposed					
service					
Financial risk					
of the					
proposed					
service					

When looking at the proposed concept (back-home service and ancillary strategy), Which values does one relate to both services as described in the value hierarchy pyramid?



How does the proposed D2D luggage service score on the following acceptance and risk criteria? (outbound journey)

	Very low ()	Low (-)	Not high nor low (0)	High(+)	Very high (++)
Compatibility					
with current					
travel					
behavior					
Relative					
advantage in					
comparison					
to normal					
luggage					
journey					
Trialability of					
the service					
Functional					
risk of the					
proposed					
service					
Financial risk					
of the					
proposed					
service					

What are your overall th	noughts on the	back-home s	ervice concept?
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When within the customer journey would you like to be approached for the back-home service?

How likely are you to buy the ancillary on your next trip if you could have experienced it first for free? (score 1-5, 1 being very low and 5 being very high)

How much would you be willing to pay for the D2D luggage service concept?



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Are you willing to pay a reduced fee for the back-home service if it is offered to you during your holiday? If yes, how much?
What are your overall thoughts on the referral concept?
How likely are you going to refer people if you and your referral get a 10% discount per referral? (score 1-5, 1 being very low and 5 being very high)
How likely are you to buy the ancillary on your next trip if you get a referral discount? (score 1-5, 1 being very low and 5 being very high)
What do you think is a good and fair referral reward?
Through which channel do you prefer to be approached? (mobile, desktop, offline)
Do you have anything to add?

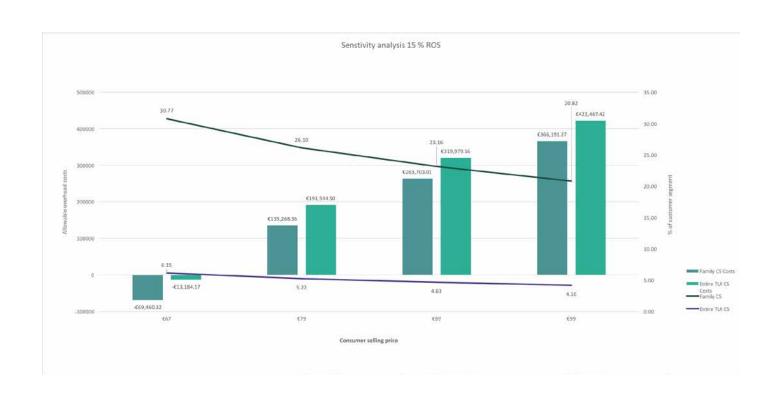


Families					
traveling with					
you children					
	Consumer price	€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin				
	Required profit	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales	43.189	36.629	32.513	29.229
15 % profit	Necessary revenues	2.391.453,48	2.391.453,48	2.391.453,48	2.391.453,48
	Allowable costs	2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46
	Platform development costs	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance costs	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs	-286.974,42	-286.974,42	-286.974,42	-286.974,42
	Promotion costs	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Referral costs	-28.936,59	-28.936,59	-28.936,59	-28.936,59
	Shipment costs	-1.336.999,89	-1.133.911,30	-1.006.505,54	-904.838,31
	Packaging costs ship.	-10.797,23	-9.157,15	-8.128,25	-7.307,22
	Staff training costs	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhead	-69.460,32	135.268,36	263.703,01	366.191,27
	Per-sale figures				
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs	47,07	55,50	62,52	69,55
	Total % of customer segment	30,77	26,10	23,16	20,82



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Entire TUI						
Customer base				670		
	Consumer price		€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin					
	Required profit		358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales		43.189	36.629	32.513	29.229
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	Allowable costs		2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46	2.032.735,46
	Platform development costs		-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance costs		-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs		-286.974,42	-286.974,42	-286.974,42	-286.974,42
	Promotion costs		46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75
	Referral costs		-28.936,59	-28.936,59	-28.936,59	-28.936,59
	Shipment costs		-1.336.999,89	-1.133.911,30	-1.006.505,54	-904.838,31
	Packaging costs ship.		-10.797,23	-9.157,15	-8.128,25	-7.307,22
	Staff training costs		9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Allowable overhead		-13.184,17	191.544,50	319.979,16	422.467,42
	Per-sale figures					
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs		47,07	55,50	62,52	69,55
	Total % of TUI customers		6,15	5,22	4,63	4,16





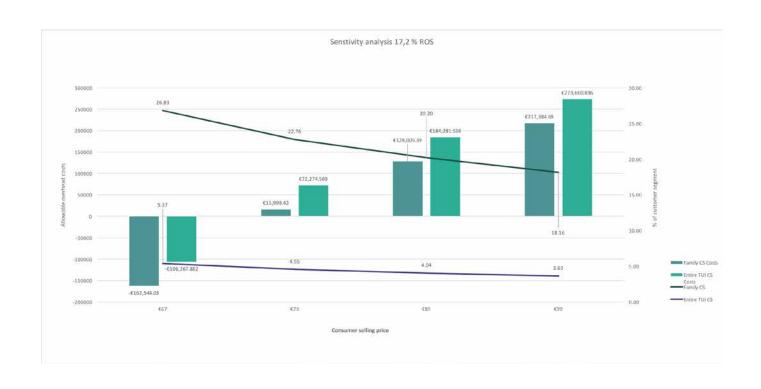


Families						
raveling with						
you children						
	Consumer price		€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin					
	Required profit		358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales		37.664,77	31.943,54	28.354,38	25.490,30
17,2 % profit	Necessary revenu	es	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90
	Allowable costs		1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87
	Diations develope		350,000,00	350,000,00	350,000,00	350,000,00
	Platform development costs Platform maintenance costs		-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
		ince costs	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs		-250.268,39	-250.268,39	-250.268,39	-250.268,39
	Promotion costs		9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Referral costs		-25.235,40	-25.235,40	-25.235,40	-25.235,40
	Shipment costs		-1.165.988,28	-988.876,13	-877.766,46	-789.103,18
	Packaging costs ship.		-9.416,19	-7.985,88	-7.088,59	-6.372,57
	Staff training costs	3	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhea	ıd	-162.544,03	15.998,42	128.005,39	217.384,69
	Per-sale figures					
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs		45,85	54,06	60,90	67,75
	Total % of customer segment		26,83	22,76	20,20	18,16



Entire TUI					
Customer base					
	Consumer price	€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin				
	Required profit	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales	37.664,77	31.943,54	28.354,38	25.490,30
17,2 % profit	Necessary revenues	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90	2.085.569,90
	Allowable costs	1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87	1.726.851,87
	Platform development costs	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance costs	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs	-250.268,39	-250.268,39	-250.268,39	-250.268,39
	Promotion costs	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75
	Referral costs	-25.235,40	-25.235,40	-25.235,40	-25.235,40
	Shipment costs	-1.165.988,28	-988.876,13	-877.766,46	-789.103,18
	Packaging costs ship.	-9.416,19	-7.985,88	-7.088,59	-6.372,57
	Staff training costs	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Allowable overhead	-106.267,88	72.274,57	184.281,54	273.660,84
	Per-sale figures				
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs	47,07	55,50	62,52	69,55
	Total % of TUI customers	5,37	4,55	4,04	3,63



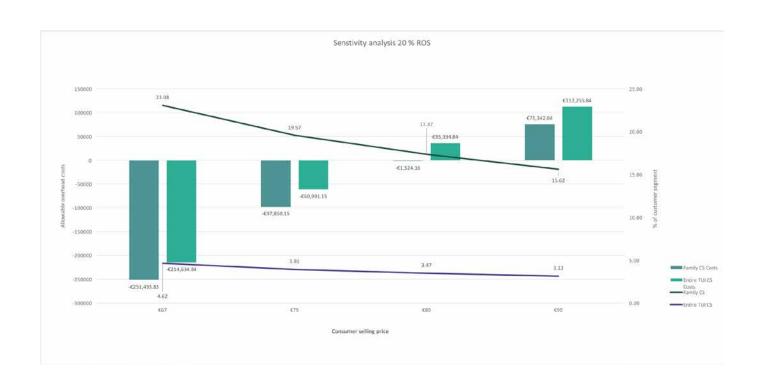


Families						
traveling with						
you children						
	Consumer price		€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin					
	Required profit		358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales		32.391,70	27.471	24.385	21.922
20 % profit	Necessary reven	ues	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11
	Allowable costs		1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09
	Platform development cost		-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform mainter	ance cost	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs		-215.230,81	-215.230,81	-215.230,81	-215.230,81
	Promotion costs		9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Referral cost		-21.702,44	-21.702,44	-21.702,44	-21.702,44
	Shipment costs		-1.002.847,09	-850.433,48	-754.879,15	-678.628,73
	Packaging costs ship.		-8.097,93	-6.867,86	-6.096,19	-5.480,41
	Staff training cost	ts	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhead		-251.493,83	-97.850,15	-1.524,16	75.342,04
	Per-sale figures					
	Selling price		55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs		44,30	52,23	58,84	65,45
	Total % of custon	ner segment	23,08	19,57	17,37	15,62



Entire TUI					
Customer					
base					
	Consumer price	€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin				
	Required profit	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales	32.392	27.471	24.385	21.922
20 % profit	Necessary revenues	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11	1.793.590,11
	Allowable costs	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09
	Platform development cos	sts -350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance cos	sts -87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs	-215.230,81	-215.230,81	-215.230,81	-215.230,81
	Promotion costs	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75
	Referral costs	-21.702,44	-21.702,44	-21.702,44	-21.702,44
	Shipment costs	-1.002.847,09	-850.433,48	-754.879,15	-678.628,73
	Packaging costs ship.	-8.097,93	-6.867,86	-6.096,19	-5.425,61
	Staff training costs	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhead	-214.634,84	-60.991,15	35.334,84	112.255,84
	Per-sale figures				
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs	44,30	52,23	58,84	65,45
	Total % of TUI customers	4,62	3,91	3,47	3,12







Families traveling with you children					
,	Consumer price	€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin				
	Required profit	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales	25.913	21.977	19.508	17.537
25% profit	Necessary revenues	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09
	Allowable costs	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07
	Platform development cost	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance cost	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs	-172.184,65	-172.184,65	-172.184,65	-172.184,65
	Promotion costs	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75	9.214,75
	Referral costs	-17.361,95	-17.361,95	-17.361,95	-17.361,95
	Shipment costs	-802.199,94	-680.346,78	-603.903,32	-542.902,99
	Packaging costs ship.	-6.478,34	-5.494,29	-4.876,95	-4.384,33
	Staff training costs	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhead	-360.558,46	-237.721,26	-160.660,46	-99.167,50
	Per-sale figures				
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs	41,53	48,97	55,17	61,36
	Total % of customer segme	nt 18,46	15,66	13,90	12,49



Fakina TIU					
Entire TUI					
Customer base			670		
	Consumer price	€67	€79	€89	€99
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
10% lug. Sale	Required margin	250 740 00	250 740 00	252 742 22	252 742 22
	Required profit	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02	358.718,02
#	Required sales	25.913	21.977	19.508	17.537
25% profit	Necessary revenues	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09	1.434.872,09
	Allowable costs	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07	1.076.154,07
	Platform development costs	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00	-350.000,00
	Platform maintenance costs	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00	-87.500,00
	Marketing costs	-172.184,65	-172.184,65	-172.184,65	-172.184,65
	Promotion costs	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75	46.073,75
	Referral costs	-17.361,95	-17.361,95	-17.361,95	-17.361,95
	Shipment costs	-802.199,94	-680.346,78	-603.903,32	-542.902,99
	Packaging costs ship.	-6.478,34	-5.494,29	-4.876,95	-4.384,33
	Staff training costs	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40	-10.202,40
	Allowable overhead	-323.699,46	-200.862,26	-123.801,46	-62.308,51
	Per-sale figures				
	Selling price	55,37	65,29	73,55	81,82
	Total costs	41,53	48,97	55,17	61,36
	Total % of TUI customers	3,69	3,13	2,78	2,50



