

Exercise: Pitch three stories with different lengths and/or genres. Write a short description about these stories.

1. Story #1 – One-act straight play (drama)

An obedient and loving mid-20s daughter longs to be free to pursue her passions and to be accepted by her strict father and overly quiet mother, especially that she and her mature boyfriend, whom she met online, have special news to them.

2. Story #2 – Two-act musical

Kelly is 20 in 2020. Krissa is 20 in 1990 and has supernatural abilities to time travel and shapeshift. The two are mother and daughter. 20-year old Krissa time travels to 2020 in the time of COVID-19 and takes shape of a succulent that magically appeared in Kelly's bedroom, observing her 20-year old depressed daughter most of the day, getting a glimpse of her anxious 50-year old self from time to time. She returns to 1990 at 12am everyday to write on her journal what she has observed and contemplates of publishing them.

3. Story #3 – One-act straight play (drama)

A 16-year old boy writes suicide notes to his parents, sister, best friend, grandfather, and teacher, his first love. In the process of writing his suicide notes, he discovers things about himself that makes him think twice about continuing his plan of killing himself.