MUOB Creator Guide

What Hotels Actually Want From Your Videos

(Based on 100+ Campaigns)



Most creators guess what hotels want and most get it wrong.

This guide is built from real-world feedback across over 100 campaigns run by MUOB. Follow this and you? Il start making videos hotels actually use? and that get you invited back.



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Keep It Natural, Not Polished

Hotels aren't hiring agencies. They want authentic content that looks like a real guest made it.

- Avoid slick transitions or heavy effects
- Talk naturally, like you're recommending a spot to a friend
- iPhone-quality is fine (even preferred)

Show the Experience, Not Just the Room

- Start with your arrival or travel moment
- Capture your reaction to entering the room
- Show food, pool, staff, small details, the vibe
- Make people feel what it?s like to stay

People On Camera Perform Better

- Put yourself in the clips
- Even just walking through a door or relaxing with a drink
- It helps build trust?viewers want to see the human side

Focus on Mobile-Friendly Formats

- Always film in 9:16 for TikTok/IG Reels
- Use captions and light background music
- Aim for punchy edits and movement
- Grab attention in the first 3 seconds

Highlight These Key Moments

- Waking up or showing the morning view
- Hotel breakfast (pans, pours, bite shots)
- Pool, bathtub, or standout amenities -
- Any personal touches or surprises -Sunset, rooftop, nature, animals, etc



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What They Hate

- No face in the video
- Overly scripted talking
- Slow edits or long intro
- Only static shots of empty rooms

What They Reuse Most

- 'Come with me to stay at [Hotel Name]' style videos
- TikToks that feel like travel vlogs
- Voiceovers or subtitled clips
- Short clips formatted for Instagram stories or ads

Final Tip: Ask First

Before you film, ask the hotel:

- Is there anything specific they want captured?
- What platforms do they post on?
- What kind of guests are they targeting?

Conclusion

Great UGC isn't just about quality, it's about strategy. Give hotels what they want, and you?ll get offered paid stays, referrals, and long-term gigs.

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