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12 Things You Should Know Before Your Next Blog Post

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- 1. Who is your intended reader?
- 2. Is your intended reader a businessman or a lawyer?
- 3. Why will your reader care about this post?
- 4. What else has been written on your blog topic recently?
- 5. What do you want your reader to take away from the post?
- 6. What do you want your reader to think about you?



- 7. If a potential client was doing a Google search of your blog topic, what would the client search?
- 8. If the potential client did a search of your blog topic, would the client find your blog?
- 9. If your reader only saw your headline, would he or she click to read more?
- 10. Is your blog easy to read on a mobile phone or tablet?
- 11. Will your intended reader to pass your blog along to colleagues and industry friends, and if so, for what reason?
- 12. What will you do to promote your blog so your intended target reader sees it?

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