

Get Paid Writing Money-Making Blueprint



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Welcome to GetPaidWriting.org! My name is Rikki Fawkes, your personal writing coach and mentor. In a few minutes, you'll be on your way to making several hundred dollars or more each month from writing articles for online websites.

But first, I'd like to give you a little tour of the membership website. I don't want you to miss out on anything! So be sure to follow this step-by-step blueprint for writing success before you get started.

Approach these steps at your own pace. I recommend doing Steps 1, 2, 3 and 4 within the first three days of signing up with GetPaidWriting.org. If you cannot read the e-book this quickly, take it more slowly, but it's designed to be a quick read.

Steps 5 and 6 should be done within one week of signing up, or after you have had at least one article published.

Step 7 should not be undertaken until at least 2 weeks after signing up (the only exception to this is if you're not an American citizen and working for Associated Content is not an option). I want you to get a solid start at Associated Content before you start working elsewhere, as it is by far the easiest way to get paid as an online writer.

Step 1: Read About the “Gradual Content Delivery System”

Since many members fail to read the article on the Member Portal, I copied and pasted its contents here.

As of June 24, 2010, GetPaidWriting.org now maintains a Gradual Content Delivery system for all membership materials.

I have found that new members often log into the website and get overwhelmed with all the choices they have for freelance writer. So overwhelmed, in fact, they might get discouraged about making money.

How It Works

The Gradual Content Delivery system unlocks specific articles during the duration of a membership.

Articles pertaining to certain sites, such as Associated Content, London Brokers, Info Barrel and Bukisa, are open immediately. More premium sites like Break Studios don't open until after the first 14 days of membership. Finally, Demand Studios opens after 31 days of membership, as this is one of the more picky websites to get accepted into.

Using the Gradual Content Delivery system, new members will no longer get that feeling of exhaustion before even starting the road to making a living as a freelance writer.

I encourage all new United States members to begin writing for Associated Content. Since so many writers have been successful with this website, and it takes no formal application process to sign up, this is where all new users should start.

I timed this class so members could read and apply the material within three days (hence, the “Get paid writing in three days or less” slogan). However, this is not enough time to write several articles, so I

recommend writers work on Associated Content for the first two weeks of their time at GetPaidWriting.org.

Note After the first two weeks, more premium freelance website material will be unlocked, such as Break Studios. This is for the members' benefit. Some companies only allow one signup per lifetime – if you're rejected the first time, you can't apply again! So I want new members to have a fighting chance at their application by having some writing experience to their names with Associated Content.

If members "jump the gun" and try to get accepted to the higher-paying sites first, chances are they don't have the experience necessary and will hurt their chances of acceptance in the future.

Some members might not even feel ready after the first month of paid writing experience. That's okay – there's no pressure to sign up if you're not ready! Make sure you read the supplemental materials that pertain to all websites (found toward the bottom of the Member Portal) to grasp a working understanding of how paid writing works and what's expected of writers.

What Happens If I Try to Access Locked Materials?

Readers will likely receive a "404 Error" page when they try to access materials before their membership reaches the appropriate maturity level. Please do not freak out – this is not a glitch!

Step 2: Choose Paid Writing Companies Based on Your Country of Residence

GetPaidWriting.org services members from many different countries, not just the United States.

However, due to the United States' unfortunate tax laws, many online writing companies who pay the best rates do not allow international writers to sign up as contributing authors.

If you are not a United States citizen, you cannot work for companies such as Associated Content, Break Studios, Text Broker or Demand Studios. However, you can work for sites like London Brokers, Content Current and Bright Hub, all of which pay upfront for submissions and can help writers earn a hefty part-time living.

Step 3: Download and Read the “Get Paid Writing in Three Days or Less E-book” and Bonus

The first couple weeks of the GetPaidWriting.org membership is based off of the “Get Paid Writing in Three Days or Less” e-book, which is formulated using Associated Content as the first company writers should use to submit to. However, as I mentioned in Step 2, international writers cannot write for Associated Content.

That being said, international writers should still read the e-book because many of the same rules apply for all online publishers, not just Associated Content. Take what you read here and apply it to your other article writing endeavors.

Step 4: Apply What You Read in the “Get Paid Writing in Three Days or Less E-book”

It's time to take action! If you need to refer back to the e-book for reference while creating your account and writing your first article, please do so by all means.

Step 5: Read the “Get Paid Writing Quicklist”

Again, many members skip right over this part, so please don't neglect to read it, as it is one of the keys to getting paid in as many places as possible.

The Get Paid Writing Quicklist is a list of over 20 online companies who pay writers in some to submit articles on their website. I have outlined author requirements and benefits for each company, including minimum age, country of residence, how difficult it is to write for the company and how profitable it is for the author.

Some websites aren't nearly as profitable as others. However, in many cases, you can submit your articles to more than one website, so you don't lose anything in trying to make money in some of these lower-paying article directories. Pennies turn to dollars over time, especially if you write and submit articles on a regular basis.

Step 6: Submit Associated Content Articles to Other Directories

Once your Associated Content articles have been published, it's time to submit them to revenue share-only directories, such as Helium and Bukisa.

Important Note: Do NOT submit your articles at these other locations until they have been published on Associated Content! Associated Content will not pay you upfront for articles that are already published elsewhere. They will accept previously published articles under the same pen name as long as you submit for "Performance Payments" only.

Also, make sure that you followed the directions in the e-book and submitted these articles as "Non-exclusive" on Associated Content if you want to submit them to other revenue sharing sites. Sometimes writers make more money picking the "Exclusive" option, but realize that you will not be able to submit that same article anywhere else.

Step 7: Sign Up for More Profitable Article Websites

I can always help you decide which sites are best to sign up for if you're at a loss yourself. I highly recommend trying to get into Bright Hub and London Brokers after starting with Associated Content.

After at least one month (two, if you've been getting a slow start on the articles) before signing up for Demand Studios or Break Studios. Break Studios only allows potential writers to sign up once in their lifetime. If their application is rejected, they cannot apply again. So make sure you're ready! Again, contact me if you have doubts and we'll talk about it.

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