



PRE-CALL ROADMAP

*Traveling Against the Current —
Clarity Before You Decide*

A first tool for traveling differently —
A Contracorriente





Traveling Against the Current — Clarity Before You Decide

Before our conversation, I invite you to pause.

Not to research more.
But to **organize what you already know — and what you sense.**

Answer calmly. Without perfection.

This is not about “right” answers.
It is about clarity.

◆ I. THE ORIGIN OF THE JOURNEY

1. Why this trip — now?

Not the destination. The moment.
What is prompting it?
A change, a pause, a celebration, a search?

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2. Why this place (or type of trip)?

Beyond “it looks beautiful” or “someone recommended it.”
What truly draws you?
History, landscape, literature, culture, silence, movement?

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◆ II. YOUR WAY OF TRAVELING

3. Who are you on this journey?

Not in your daily life.
On this trip — who do you become?
(Observer, explorer, reader, wanderer, contemplative...)

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4. What kind of experience are you seeking?

Choose or describe:

- More cultural than touristic
- More slow than intensive
- More exploration than checklist
- More depth than quantity

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5. What pace feels right to you?

- Slow, with space to discover
- Balanced (a few defined anchors, room in between)
- Active, with multiple activities per day

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◆ III. WHAT MATTERS (AND WHAT DOESN'T)

6. What would make this trip truly meaningful for you?

Not just "pleasant."

Meaningful.

(Understanding the place, sensing its atmosphere, connecting with its history, discovering something personal...)

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7. What are you trying to avoid?

Be specific:

- Crowds
- Generic places
- Improvised decisions
- Overpacked itineraries
- Wasted time

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◆ IV. PRACTICAL CLARITY

8. How many days do you have available?

(Approximate is fine)

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9. Are you traveling alone or with others?

If with others:

- What expectations are involved?
- Are there different interests to consider?

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10. What level of planning do you want?

- Highly structured
- Clear base + flexibility
- Minimal (decide as you go, with guidance)

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◆ V. EXPERIENCES & PREFERENCES

11. Accommodation: what matters most to you?

- Location
- Character / style
- Comfort
- Value

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12. Activities: what draws you most?

- Museums / history
- Walking routes
- Cafés / food
- Nature / surroundings
- Local culture / everyday life

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◆ VI. YOUR DECISION-MAKING

13. When planning, what feels most difficult?

- Choosing between options
- Knowing what is truly worth it
- Organizing information
- Trusting your decisions

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14. How would you like to feel when you arrive?

(Calm, oriented, free, curious, prepared...)

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◆ VII. A FINAL PAUSE

15. If this trip unfolded exactly as you hope... What would be different from your past travels?

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◆ CLOSING

You don't need to have everything resolved.

But if you bring this into the conversation,
We'll be able to move forward much faster — and with greater clarity.

Traveling A Contracorriente is not about doing more. — It is about choosing better.