

BBT Online's Bucketlist – June 2017

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With Belgian – West-Flemish – roots always in my heart, I have been blessed to have been able to grow my International Hotel Career through wonderful experiences in Brussels, London, New York City and now Paris. Not only because of the 'working abroad', but with somewhat of a travel bug in my head, I have pushed boundaries & borders and discovered beautiful places. What is then at the moment on my bucket list? Things to do, to explore, to treasure, to nurture, to grow, to dare...

1. **Take photography courses.** Beauty is in the eye of the beholder and I just want to learn to 'capture' and treasure all those special moments, places, people.
2. **Explore the Orient Express Experience.** The elegance & history of the journey, for we all know that life isn't about the next destination, but all about the people you meet & experiences you build up along the road.
3. **Climb Kilimanjaro.** To challenge myself physically, to have a goal, kick some butt and I guess, to prove it to myself I can do it (and do something different).
4. **Do a bungee or parachute jump.** If anything, I would do it to see if I would not chicken out, as well as for the adrenaline kick. I've done a paragliding/slippy sliding experience in the past, but now I want the real thing! While we are at it: can I also join a beautiful hot air balloon ride somewhere?
5. **Be happy.** Do I need to say more? I often don't know what happiness should look like, but I will know when it's there and I have learned it is much more in the little stuff of every day, for one day we will realize they were the big things.



And if at all possible, can I simply do all of the above with friends, family and friends who became family ... or of course, my soul mate, one day ?