

TRAVELER. ENTREPRENEUR. CULTURAL STRATEGIST.

DAVITA MCKELVEY

Davita McKelvey is the creator and executive producer of Black Travel Romances™, a bold 197-book fiction series that follows Black American women falling in love across every country in the world. But storytelling is only part of her expertise.

Davita is the former Editor-in-Chief of Griots Republic, the pioneering digital magazine for Black travelers. She also served as co-editor of the largest published colle-

ction of African American travel narratives to date, #BlackTravel: The Anthology. Her storytelling is deeply informed by a career in international sourcing and fashion production, working with top-tier brands including Calvin Klein, Gap Inc., and Ralph Lauren.

With over 100 countries visited, Davita brings unmatched lived experience and business acumen to a brand that's as emotionally rich as it is scalable.

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You rarely meet someone who has big ideas and can simultaneously execute them at a high level —by themselves! That's Davita.

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SPEAKING TOPICS

- ✓ Monetizing the Vision: With experience across publishing, merchandising, travel, and production, I offer real-world strategies for turning your creativity into ownership—without selling out the soul of your brand.
- ✓ The Power of Anonymity - Redefining Sex, Self, and Freedom Abroad: Abroad, anonymity becomes agency. I explore how distance can reshape how we see our bodies, our desires, and our right to pleasure—on our own terms and in our own time.
- ✓ The Power of Black Women in Travel & Cultural Influence; I speak about the \$145B Black travel market and why Black women are not just consumers—but curators, connectors, and cultural gatekeepers.



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