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>C.A.L.L.: CAMERA, AUDIO, LIGHTING, LOCATION

- ➤ Raise the CAMERA to your eye level and tilt the screen to get a straight-on angle
 - ➤ COMPUTER: Use a stack of books, a box or computer stand to control the height of your camera
 - > PHONE: Use a phone mount and table top tripod for support
 - ➤ WEBCAM / MIRRORLESS CAMERA: Discover better quality and have more control over the shot by using a dedicated camera (bigger sensor, ability to change lenses, better low-light capabilities, etc). Use a table top or full size tripod to position your camera
- > AUDIO: Use headphones to prevent feedback and consider upgrading your built-in microphone to an external microphone for better quality
- Find your LIGHT: Utilize natural light (face the window) or artificial light (consider the position and size of the light source, dimming capabilities and color temperature. Diffuse the light source for a softer look or try bouncing direct light against a wall)
- ➤ Choose a **LOCATION** that is quiet and free from distractions, and consider your background
- ➤ Consider your Equipment: Ready to upgrade?
 - ➤ Buying the "right" equipment is not as easy at it looks. We often have specific needs and goals and a budget in mind. To learn more or browse our fave gear packages, visit Jules at travelingjules.com/gear.html or Ryan at uptopfilms.com/ callupgrade or reach out if you have questions!





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➤ GEAR PICKS

➤ CAMERA

- ➤ Canon EOS M200: http://rgra.ms/m200 \$499 \$599
- ➤ Canon EOS M50: http://rgra.ms/m50 \$599
- ➤ Canon EOS R: https://bhpho.to/3iXzvZE \$1,799 \$2,699

> AUDIO

➤ RodeVidMic NTG: http://rgra.ms/ntg \$249

> SUPPORT

- ➤ For Computer: Rain Design mStand: https://bhpho.to/2Zq0S73 \$39.96
- ➤ For Phone: Joby HandyPod Mobile: https://bhpho.to/32k08lA \$38.62
- ➤ For Phone: JOBY GripTight PRO TelePod: https://bhpho.to/3gVhlWJ \$99.84
- ➤ For Camera: Manfrotto BeFree Carbon Fiber Ball Head: https://bhpho.to/3iXypx0 \$279.88
- ➤ For Camera: Manfrotto BeFree Carbon Fiber Video Head: https://bhpho.to/2WjbYZt \$298.14

> LIGHTING

- ➤ Pixel: G1s: http://rgra.ms/g1s \$69.99
- ➤ Manfrotto LumiMuse8 LED: https://bhpho.to/20n8BfT \$119.88
- ➤ Manfrotto Lykos Bi-Color: https://bhpho.to/2C5PIRv \$299.88
- ➤ NOTE: mount, clamp, tripod or light stand may be needed depending on configuration

> SWITCHER

- ➤ ATEM Mini Pro: https://bhpho.to/2DGnnwh \$295
- ➤ ATEM Mini Pro: https://bhpho.to/307Kl60 \$595

> AND MORE









