

My name is Nancy Frey, PhD. I'm an anthropologist doing research on the effects of new media technology on the Camino de Santiago. The questionnaire is anonymous and seeks to survey how people currently use mobile devices on the Camino. The results will be published as part of my larger study. Thank you for your time. Administered 4 April 2015, Pilgrim's Office, Santiago de Compostela, Spain.

Age:

Nationality:

Where started the Camino:

How many days have you been on the Camino?

Profession:

Gender : Male or Female

1. How did you prepare for the Camino? (check all that apply)

- a) Guide book on Camino b) Word of Mouth - friends, family, co-workers c) Internet search d) Join Camino Forum/Forums – which?
e) Friends of Camino Association f) Facebook pages g) Reading blogs h) Other

2. Did you carry a mobile communication device (mobile phone, tablet, laptop, or the like) on the Camino?

Yes

No

3. If NO, Why not?

4. If NO, How did you communicate with home (if you did)?

- a) Cyber café computer b) Phone call via land line c) Letter/Postcard d) Other

5. If NO, Did you ever borrow someone else's device to (mark all that apply)

- a) Make emergency call b) Send message to family, friend, pilgrim c) Post a social media update d) Other

6. If NO, If you were to start all over, would you make the same decision regarding use of tech media?

Yes, No,

Why? _____

7. If YES, Which mobile devices and digital tech did you bring and use? Check all that apply.

- a) mobile phone b) tablet c) laptop computer d) digital camera
e) wearable wrist monitor f) GPS device g) other _____

8. If YES, Did your mobile phone or media tech habits change while walking as compared to your daily life off the Camino?

- a) Same as home b) Less on Camino c) More on Camino d) Changed as walked – less,/more, in different ways e) other

9. If YES, How many times per day did you use your mobile device while on the Camino (including texting, WhatsApp, checking messages, checking notifications, calling ahead, checking news, sending photos, Instagram, etc)?

Never

1-5

6-10

11-15

16-20

21+

10. If YES, How did you use the mobile device or tech media during the Camino? Check all that apply.

a) Just for emergency	b) Check messages	c) To receive notifications	d) To take pictures
e) To keep in contact with friends	f) To keep in contact with family	g) To get info on Camino services (albergues, restaurants, routes, etc)	h) To book ahead accommodation
i) To send SMS, WhatsApp, Instagram, to Tweet, etc	j) To write and post blog entries	k) To write a private journal	l) To post or check-in on Facebook (or similar platform)
n) To use Camino App or sim instead of guidebook	n) For entertainment when walking	o) For entertainment in down time	p) To read, post a question or answer on a Camino forum
q) To contact other pilgrims	r) To film a vlog	s) To check sports, news	t) To work
u) To use an App to, eg, Track Your Walk	v) To establish your location with GPS	w) To Skype or Facetime or like	

Other ways you used your mobile device, not listed above

11. If YES, Did you have any personal rules about how and when you used your mobile tech, for example, when walking, in your accommodation (in the morning or after walking), or when stopping for breaks, or when sleeping?

Explain _____

12. If YES, Now that you're done would you change anything about your mobile tech habits on the Camino?

13. Did the use of your mobile tech impact your pilgrimage in any way?

Yes No How? _____

14. Did other pilgrims' usage of mobile tech devices impact your own pilgrimage in any way?

Yes, No, How? _____

15. Why did you go on the Camino initially?

16. Did your motive(s) change from beginning to end?

17. What has this Camino experience meant to you?

Thanks you again for your time. If you would like to participate further or be contacted when the research is published, then please provide your email. Your email will not be used for any third party distribution.

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