

SAMPLE PROFILE

This is the profile that we use. Take inspiration from it, and look online for other great ideas that you'll see on the top websites.

We often update or change our profile when we have new things to add. It is constantly evolving.

You can see the current version of our profile on our own website here: <http://LongTermHouseSitters.com/house-sitting/need-a-house-sitter/>
There are links at the bottom of the page to our profile pages at the various house sitting websites we use.

Spend time creating your own compelling profile. There is no point cut-and-pasting other people's profiles. Remember this is your sales pitch – it needs to work personally for you.

Ian Usher and Vanessa Anderson



Professional couple – experienced full time international house sitters with off-grid and luxury property experience

For a number of years now house sitting has been a way of life for us. We don't do it just to get an inexpensive holiday now and again. We have purposely fashioned our lives so that we can work from anywhere, as long as we have an internet connection.

We live a location independent lifestyle, working remotely as writers, English teachers and course developers. Ian is also a public speaker and talks about his unique adventures since 2008 which have resulted in world wide publicity and a Walt Disney film deal. More on that later! Ian blogs for Virgin.com and I write for SaporediCina.com.

Living in this way enables us to travel, immerse ourselves in different cultures and inspire others as we continue our nomadic journey through this exciting phase of our lives. We like to think we can give something back by providing a professional service to home owners like you looking for someone to care for their homes and pets.

Ian still owns a small island off the coast of Panama and we use our own house sitter to look after the property. This together with our own extensive experience of looking after homes and pets around the world means we understand house sitting from your perspective as well as our own.

We have both owned properties and handled renovation projects in countries such as Panama, Spain, France, Australia, Canada and the UK.

We know how to manage off-grid properties in remote locations and how to look after luxury residences with pools and land.

We have our own website where you can view our skills and abilities in more detail and most importantly our references:

<http://www.LongTermHouseSitters.com>

On this personal website you a greater insight into us as a couple and we will hopefully answer many of the questions you may have about us.

There is also a link there to our UK documentary **“Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild”** where you can watch us living our remote lifestyle in Panama. You can also find out more about Ian and his “life for sale” and “100 goals in 100 weeks” global travel adventures on his website:

<http://www.IanUsher.com/>

We are comfortable with all types and sizes of dogs and love long walks and cuddles. Sadly our nomadic lifestyle means we can't have pets of our own anymore, so house sitting provides a perfect opportunity for us to “adopt” a pet or two as we circumnavigate the globe!

We hope to be looking after your home and pets soon!