

# Create Media Concierge GPT

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 **Anonymous**

*Help me create a media concierge with GPT.*

 **Media Concierge Coach**

Welcome! I'm here to guide you through creating your own custom Media Concierge GPT. This GPT will help you find the perfect movies, TV shows, books, and more, tailored to your preferences. This concept was introduced by Alexandra Samuel in her Wall Street Journal story, "How AI Can Find the Perfect Movies, TV Shows and Books for You". You can read more about it [here](#).

Creating a Media Concierge involves a four-step process:

1. **Plan Your Concierge:** Define what kind of media recommendations you want (e.g., movies, TV shows, books) and who they are for (yourself, family, etc.).
2. **Assemble Training Data:** Gather data that reflects your media preferences, like your Netflix history or music playlists.
3. **Configure and Debug Your Custom GPT:** Use your plan and data to configure your GPT. You'll do this at <https://chat.openai.com/create>.
4. **Enjoy Your Media Concierge:** Finally, use your GPT to get personalized media recommendations and refine it based on the results.

Let's start by planning your concierge. I'll ask you a series of questions to understand your needs better. Once we have the answers, I'll generate configuration instructions for you.

First question: What types of media do you want recommendations for? (For example, TV shows, movies, music, PS5 games, etc.)

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*TV shows*

 **Media Concierge Coach**

Great, you want recommendations for TV shows.

Next question: Who is this concierge for? Please describe yourself or your household/family, including names. This will help in tailoring the recommendations more closely to your preferences.

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*Me (Alexandra) and my dog Thomas (a Lagotto)*



**Media Concierge Coach**

Thank you for sharing, Alexandra. It's great to know that this Media Concierge will be for you and your dog, Thomas.

Now, let's personalize it further. I have a few questions about your preferences:

1. What should I know about you, Alexandra? What do you enjoy watching? What do you want to avoid in TV shows?
2. Since Thomas is a part of this, are there any particular types of shows or sounds that he seems to enjoy or that you prefer to have on for him?

After these details, we'll move on to more specific preferences about streaming services and content types.

 **Anonymous**

*I like watching scripted shows, mostly dramas and comedies. I like shows that are well-written and serialized. I hate disturbing violence, horror or stuff that is heartwarming and saccharine. Thomas likes shows with dogs and horses. He hates shows with high-pitched noises.*



**Media Concierge Coach**

Thank you for the details, Alexandra. It's helpful to know your preferences for scripted dramas and comedies, and your aversion to disturbing violence, horror, or overly heartwarming content. Also, Thomas' preference for shows with dogs and horses, and his dislike for high-pitched noises, will be taken into account.

Let's move on to the next set of questions:

1. Are there any specific streaming services you use or prefer for watching TV shows (e.g., Netflix, Hulu, Amazon Prime)?
2. Would you like recommendations to be focused on recent shows, or are you also interested in older series?
3. Do you have any preference for shows based on certain themes, locations, or starring specific actors?

4. Lastly, is there anything else that should be avoided in the recommendations besides what you've already mentioned?

Your answers will help in crafting a more personalized Media Concierge GPT for you and Thomas.

 **Anonymous**

*Netflix, Apple TV and Amazon Prime. I prefer shows from the 90s onwards. I love watching shows filmed in New York, Vancouver Canada, Toronto or England. I enjoy Black-led shows. I would like to watch more Canadian shows. I don't like things with subtitles because it makes it hard to knit.*



**Media Concierge Coach**

Thank you for providing these detailed preferences, Alexandra. This information will greatly assist in customizing your Media Concierge GPT.

Based on your responses, here are your personalized configuration instructions:

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**Copy this text and then paste into the Instructions field of the Configure panel in the GPT creator at <https://chat.openai.com/create>**

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You are a Media Concierge tasked with recommending TV shows for Alexandra and her dog, Thomas. Alexandra enjoys scripted dramas and comedies that are well-written and serialized, with a preference for shows from the 90s onwards. She particularly enjoys shows filmed in New York, Vancouver, Toronto, or England, and has a keen interest in Black-led and Canadian shows. However, avoid recommending shows with disturbing violence, horror, heartwarming content, or subtitles, as Alexandra likes to knit while watching.
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Thomas, a Lagotto dog, enjoys shows featuring dogs and horses but dislikes high-pitched noises.
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Focus on content available on Netflix, Apple TV, and Amazon Prime. Perform real-time checks against any previously watched/read lists for every request, and be open to immediate feedback from Alexandra to correct any discrepancies. Use uploaded files to inform your suggestions and to avoid suggesting media that has previously been consumed. Utilize your browser and python abilities as needed.
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Now you can copy and paste these instructions when creating your Media Concierge GPT. Remember, you can further customize it with your personal media history. If you need assistance in downloading your media history from services like Spotify, Goodreads, Apple Music, etc., feel free to ask for guidance.

You can see how the configuration interface will look by viewing the ConciergeGPT\_HowTo.png file I have access to, or by visiting [this link](#).

Finally, for more insights on how to build AI skills for work and additional context on this GPT, consider subscribing to Alexandra Samuel's newsletter at <https://www.alexandrasamuel.com/newsletter>.

If you have any more questions or need further assistance, feel free to ask!

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*Yes, I'd love some tips on how to download my media history files*



**Media Concierge Coach**

Great, I can help you with that. Here are some instructions on how to download your media history from Netflix, Apple Music, Apple TV, and Amazon Prime Video. These histories can then be used as training data for your custom Media Concierge GPT.

## Netflix Viewing History

1. **Log into your Netflix account** on a web browser.
2. **Go to your Account page** by clicking on your profile icon in the top right corner.
3. **Select 'Profile & Parental Controls'** for the profile whose viewing history you want to download.
4. **Open 'Viewing activity'**.
5. At the bottom of the page, you'll find an option to **'Download all'**. Click this to download your viewing history as a CSV file.

## Apple Music and Apple TV History

Apple doesn't provide a direct download feature for viewing history in Apple Music or Apple TV. However, you can request a copy of all the data associated with your Apple ID, which includes your history.

1. Visit [Apple's Data and Privacy page](#).
2. **Log in** with your Apple ID.
3. **Select 'Request a copy of your data'**.
4. **Choose the data** you want to download (e.g., Apple Music, Apple TV).
5. **Submit your request**. Apple will take a few days to prepare your download.

## Amazon Prime Video History

1. **Log into your Amazon account** on a web browser.
2. **Navigate to 'Account & Settings'**.
3. **Select the 'Prime Video'** tab.
4. Go to the **'Watch History'** section to view your history.

5. Amazon does not provide a direct download option, so you may have to **manually copy this data** into a spreadsheet.

**Note:** Always ensure you are following the terms of service for each platform and handling your data securely.

Once you have your history files, save them in a clearly labeled folder. These files can be uploaded when you configure your Media Concierge GPT.

If you need more specific instructions or help with other media services, feel free to ask!