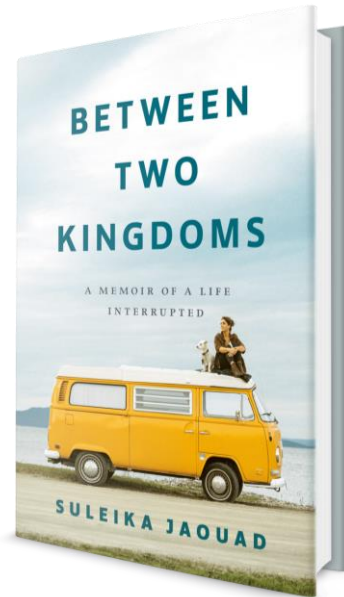


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## Between Two Kingdoms

Wednesday, March 24, 2021  
12:30 – 1:30 pm EDT  
By Live & Recorded Webcast

### TOPIC

**What Almost Dying Teaches Us About Living.** At 22, Suleika Jaouad’s dream of becoming a war correspondent while living in Paris, after falling in love, came to an abrupt halt. Instead, she was faced with a devastating diagnosis: leukemia, with a 35 percent chance of survival. During this webcast, you’ll hear how Suleika chronicled her fight to survive amidst countless rounds of chemo, a clinical trial, and a bone marrow transplant in an Emmy Award-winning *New York Times* column of “Life, Interrupted.” Suleika will relay how when she finally walked out of the cancer ward, she soon learned that a cure is not where the work of healing ends; it’s where it begins. With probing questions posed by author and work and life expert, Debbie Epstein Henry, Suleika will share highlights of her debut memoir, *Between Two Kingdoms*, a profound recounting of survivorship and a fierce, tender, and inspiring exploration of what it means to begin again. Suleika will also put her experiences in today’s context and talk about *The Isolation Journals*, a community creativity project with over 100,000 participants that she founded during the Covid-19 pandemic to help others convert isolation into artistic solitude.

## DISTINGUISHED GUEST



[Suleika Jaouad](#) is the author of the *New York Times* best-selling debut memoir, [Between Two Kingdoms](#). She wrote the Emmy Award-winning *New York Times* column "[Life, Interrupted](#)" and her work has appeared in the *New York Times Magazine*, *The Atlantic*, *Vogue*, and *NPR*, among others. She began writing her *New York Times* column from her hospital room at Sloan-Kettering after her career aspirations as a war correspondent were cut short when, at age 22, she was diagnosed with leukemia. She has since become a fierce advocate for those living with illness and enduring life's many other interruptions. A highly sought-after speaker, her mainstage TED Talk was one of the ten most popular of 2019 and has nearly four million views. She is also the creator of [The Isolation Journals](#), a community creativity project founded during the Covid-19 pandemic to help others convert isolation into artistic solitude; over 100,000 people from around the world have joined.

## INTERVIEWER



[Debbie Epstein Henry](#) is an expert, consultant, author, and public speaker on careers, workplaces, women and law. She runs [DEH Consulting, Speaking Writing](#) where she speaks internationally, including The Hague, the French Senate, London, and Vienna. Debbie wrote two ABA best-selling books and she's been featured by hundreds of news outlets including *The New York Times*, *NBC Nightly News*, and *The Wall Street Journal*. She conceived of Best Law Firms for Women, a benchmarking survey and competition she ran for a decade with *Working Mother*. In 2011, Debbie co-founded Bliss Lawyers and in 2020, her company was acquired by [Axiom](#), the global leader in high-caliber, on-demand legal talent. In 2020, she also launched her new podcast, [Inspiration Loves Company](#), where she explores how to do better and be better at life, work, and everything in between. Debbie and her husband live in New York; they have three sons.

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