

# Celebrity Exes: Bradley Cooper & Renee Zellweger Reunite at Oscars 2020



By [Hope Ankney](#)

In the latest [celebrity news](#), [celebrity exes](#) Bradley Cooper and Renee Zellweger were spotted mingling together at the 2020 Oscars. *UsMagazine.com* reported that the two were being cordial with one another before taking their seats as the award show started. The pair began dating soon after working together on the thriller *Case 29* in 2009. They then split back in 2011.

**These celebrity exes kept it cordial and mingled at this year's Oscars. What are some reasons to remain cordial with your ex after a break-up?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

Staying cordial with an ex can sometimes be tricky. If you and your ex ended on less than ideal terms, it can be even trickier to find a medium ground between the two of you. It doesn't help if you have to see each other more often than you would like. If you're having trouble keeping it amicable with an ex, don't worry! Cupid has some [relationship advice](#) to help you wade through those waters after a break-up:

**1. Let time pass:** Sometimes, the best healing agent is the act

of absence. Even if you are forced to be at the same functions or events as an ex, it's easier to stay clear of them until both of you are at a point that you can talk to one another cordially. It'll be less stressful and much more rewarding if you keep your distance when you work on interacting publicly.

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**2. Meet up to discuss problems:** If you both are at a place that you can meet and hash out your issues, that would be a great step for forging a cordial relationship with an ex. You guys can get everything out into the open, understand why one of you felt the way you did, and find common ground. Besides, this is a perfect opportunity to get closure if you didn't already have it.

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**3. Bring friends as support:** If you know you're going to have to interact with an ex at a function or event, surround yourself with friends to make sure it all runs smoothly. They won't allow the conversation to go off the rails, and they are a great barrier between any awkward tiffs you and your ex might have if you both were alone.

**What are some ways you've learned to be cordial with an ex? Let us know down below!**

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# From “I Do” to Divorce: Shortest Celebrity Marriages



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Kim Kardashian and Kris Humphries

This celebrity marriage only lasted 72 days before the famous couple announced their split. Photo: Fame Pictures

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# Celebrity Couples: Did She Really Date Him?



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## Brody Jenner and Avril Lavigne

This surprising pair started dating in 2009 after the singer filed for divorce from her first husband, Sum 41 singer Deryck Whibley. They split after nearly two years together but have remained friends. Jenner even wished Lavigne the best of luck in her most recent marriage to Chad Kroeger. Photo: Andrew Evans / PR Photos.

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# Renee Zellweger Is Dating Sheryl Crow's Ex-Beau



By Nicole Weintraub

Renee Zellweger and new beau Doyle Bramhall were caught smooching in public, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Bramhall has been previously linked to Sheryl Crow, and Zellweger was previously linked to Bradley Cooper and former husband Kenny Chesney. Zellweger and Bramhall were caught sharing a quick kiss at an airport while they both dressed in jeans, black coats and dark shades. The two went to college together, so perhaps this romance was a long time coming.

**What do you do if you fall for your friend's ex partner?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

The number one rule in girl code is not to date your friend's ex boyfriends. But what happens if we can't help ourselves? Here are some tips:

- 1. Talk it over with him:** Be open about your hesitance with your friend's ex and make sure that he is not trying to use you to get back at her. Make sure that the two of you are on the same page before diving into anything serious.
- 2. Talk it over with her:** The best thing to do with your friend is to be open and honest about what is going on. Calmly explain how you are feeling and be open minded, even if she is not.
- 3. Weigh the consequences:** Once you have talked with the two of them, really weigh out your options. See if you are willing to pass up an opportunity for love to keep a friendship or if

you are willing to sacrifice a friendship for a shot at love.

**What would you do in this situation? Share your thoughts with us in the comments below!**

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# Top 10 Qualities George Clooney Looks for In a Woman



 By Greg Buckskin

Single ladies around the world can now rejoice! George Clooney has officially separated from his latest girlfriend, Elisabetta Canalis.

The couple has called off their relationship, leaving the dating pool wide open for Clooney, one of Hollywood's most attractive men. If you've got your eye on this "sexiest man alive," you're not alone. But do you have what it takes to attract this notorious bachelor? Here are the top 10 qualities he looks for in a woman. See if you measure up!

**1. Foreign beauty:** If you're from a country outside of the U.S., your odds of landing Clooney have significantly gone up. Celine Balitran (France), Mariella Frostup (Norway) and Canalis (Italy) are just a few of his "foreign affairs."

**2. Big name actress:** One of the most successful men in Hollywood would surely be attracted to an equally successful actress. And rightfully so, since both understand the demands and stresses that come with the job. Clooney's past women have resumes almost as impressive as his; just take a look at Julia Roberts, Charlize Theron, Kelly Preston and Renee

Zellwegger. But don't plan on starring in a movie alongside George to win his affection. It appears he doesn't date his co-stars – at least, not during filming.

**3. Piercing eyes:** Clooney prefers a few physical features on women, one of them being incredibly piercing eyes. Preston, Roberts, Theron, Lucy Liu and Canalis all share the striking eyes trait.

**4. Pouty lips:** Going along with physical features, Clooney's also attracted to a pouty lips. Exes Karen Duffy, Roberts, Theron, Zellwegger and Canalis have incredibly full lips that they use to their full advantage.

**5. Exotic:** This actor gravitates toward exotic looking woman. We need to look no further than Huma Abedin, Liu and, of course, Canalis to determine that this is certainly a look that draws George.

**6. Astrological sign? Scorpio:** Yes, it must be in the "stars" for a relationship with Clooney to work. Three of his ex-girlfriends – Celine Balitran, Roberts and Mariella Frostrup – are Scorpions. He certainly likes a determined, passionate and exciting woman in his life – all famous Scorpio characteristics.

**7. Age:** No cougars need apply! Clooney tends to date women much younger than himself. Sarah Larson was 18 years his junior, while he had a good 17 years on his latest ex.

**8. Not the marrying kind:** If you're the kind of person who wants a commitment that ends with a diamond on your finger, go ahead and look elsewhere. This bachelor is notoriously famous for steering clear of husband-territory. In fact, out of all of his exes, Clooney has only married one – Talia Balsam. After their relationship ended, he declared that he would never marry again. So far, no other woman has been able to convince him otherwise.

**9. Attention seeking:** When you're with Clooney, all attention is on him. If it's your time to shine, move on to the next man. He's dated some pretty famous names, but when it's time for the red carpet or movie premieres, all eyes, all attention and cameras immediately focus on him.


**10. Model-esque looks:** And lastly, if you don't have long lean legs, stunning facial features and gorgeous hair, don't waste your time. This man is definitely attracted to model-type women, including Vendella Kiresbom Thomessen, Traylor Howard and Lisa Snowdon.

Do you measure up? If you can count yourself among at least a few of the top 10 qualities Clooney covets, then what are you waiting for? It's time to see if you can catch the most recent eligible man in Hollywood!

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## Why Bradley Cooper Won't Date Jennifer Aniston

 Sure, he just broke up with Renée Zellweger last month, but [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) reports that Bradley Cooper is out mingling already with former *Friends* star Jennifer Aniston. Since the rumors started flying, multiple sources have stressed that this is not a love connection between the two, but instead just a rekindling of a friendship. “Bradley knows that by dating Jen, he'd be known as Mr. Jennifer Aniston,” a friend



of the star of *The Hangover* and *Limitless* said. One insider added that Cooper and Aniston are trying to find more projects to work on together. The duo were first paired together in the feature *He's Just Not That Into You*. "Bradley loves Jennifer as a friend," the insider said.

**How do you remain independent in a relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

It's tough to be your own person in a relationship. Cupid has some pointers when seeking independence:

- 1. Find a strong partner:** Staying independent is a heck of a lot easier if the person you're dating wants the same thing as you do.
- 2. Don't have a 'failure to communicate':** Don't be afraid to tell your partner that you would like your own space at times. If he truly wants to be with you, he'll understand.
- 3. Do your own thing:** Although it's nice to do things as a couple, try doing some activities alone, such as working out or perhaps going out with your girls (or guys). This can be healthy for the both of you.


**How do you stay independent in your relationship? Tell us below.**

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**Dating Tips for Renee Zellwegger and Other Singles**

# Over 40



 By Rosalind Sedacca, CCT

The pain of dating and breaking up isn't just reserved for the young. Singles dating in mid-life and beyond face the same heartbreak, confusion and anxieties as those in their 20's and 30's. These challenges are compounded by the insecurities that frequently come with age, especially for women: Am I still desirable? ... Am I still attractive? ... Will I ever find another partner?

Celebrity couples are no exception. After 24 years of marriage, Tony Danza, age 59, filed for divorce from his 52-year old wife, Tracy Robinson. Jennifer Aniston, who has been in the headlines with several unsuccessful relationships over the past decade, is now telling reporters that she's happily single.

Recently, celebrity couple Renee Zellweger and Bradley Cooper, considered one of Hollywood's top power couples, broke up after dating for two years. When asked during an interview about the nature of their relationship, Cooper mentioned that marriage was not in the picture. Chances are that Zellweger thought she was in a different relationship – one with a more committed and long-term outcome. It appears both partners were not “on the same page.”

This is one of the most common deal-breakers for long-term relationships. Often, couples get together and make assumptions that the other person shares their goals and intentions. The problem is that they don't discuss these options and spell them out clearly. If you're not on the same page when it comes to monogamy, time spent together, decisions about raising children, as well as other values and cultural

beliefs, you set yourself up for disappointment and inevitable conflict.

**Some other success tips for over 40 singles entering a new relationship include:**

**1. Be aware of unresolved baggage:** Emotional scars and wounds from your past can easily sabotage any new relationship. Take the time to identify unresolved feelings of anger, hurt, guilt and disappointment from the past and accept these feelings as lessons learned. It then becomes easier to move on.

**2. Avoid “fairy-tale” thinking:** It’s not your partner’s job to make you happy. It’s your responsibility to love and value yourself when you enter a relationship. Dependency and neediness are not attractive qualities. It is also an illusion to assume any one person can meet all your needs or desires.

**3. Start with friendship first:** This level of comfort translates into a solid foundation for love to blossom and intimacy to develop. Be friends first before you open the door to the physical and emotional closeness that is so essential to a solid partnership.

**4. Be sure your expectations are realistic:** Are your demands about weight, age, height, financial success and other factors limiting your ability to find the right partner? Being flexible, objective and fair prevents us from setting ourselves up for the pain and disappointment of unrealistic expectations.


**5. Communicate effectively by encouraging open, honest dialogue:** In addition to your words, be attuned to your partner’s nonverbal cues and body language. Also, be aware of your own cues that can trigger messages and unconscious signals to your partner.

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## Bradley Cooper and Renee Zellweger Split

 She'll be writing about this one in her diary. Reports from [RadarOnline](http://RadarOnline) say that *Bridget Jones* star Renee Zellweger and Bradley Cooper, the star of *The Hangover* and *Limitless*, have broken up after two years together. Neither have commented on the split, but sources have told [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) that things ended following the release of photos which depict Cooper with another woman. “I just don't want to talk about that,” Cooper told Howard Stern while on the shock jock's radio show. Star Magazine revealed Cooper was sneaking around with Hollywood girls such as Sandra Bullock and Jessica Biel.

**What are signs that you should move on from a relationship?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

No relationship is limitless. Cupid has some signals that things have reached their breaking points:


**1. No more sparks:** If you can't remember why you initially became attracted to your lover, then chances are it's time to end things.

**2. Feelings for someone else:** An old rule of dating goes, “If you have time to cheat, you have time to break up.” There’s no reason to cheat when all it takes is a talk with your partner, explaining to them that you have feelings for someone else.

**3. ‘Happiness is a warm gun’:** Although not every minute of dating is fun, if you and your significant other are not generally happy, then it may be time to take a break or say goodbye for good.

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## Bradley Cooper Explains Brief Marriage to Jennifer Esposito

 *Hangover 2* hottie Bradley Cooper came clean last week about his four month marriage to Jennifer Esposito during a Howard Stern interview, reports [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Cooper, who has been linked most recently with Renee Zellweger, tied the knot with Esposito back in December 2006 and, according to Cooper, the two decided amicably to divorce in March of 2007. Cooper told Stern, “The good thing is, we both realized it...Sometimes you just realize it.”

**Why does a marriage sometimes not work out the first time?**

**Cupid’s Advice:**

Unlike getting a license to drive or taking the SATs to get into college, getting married does not require a well thought out plan of action:

**1. You were young:** If your first marriage followed a

quick engagement and an even quicker courtship, you may have never gotten the chance to think things through rationally.

**2. You didn't understand:** In today's society with TV shows rushing everyone to the alter and Las Vegas offering one-stop shops for weddings, the actuality and sanctity of marriage can be easily forgotten.

**3. You didn't know yourself:** Before a relationship with someone else will work, you need to be in a good relationship with yourself.

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## Bradley Cooper and Renée Zellwegers' Cold Outing

Longtime couple Renée Zellweger and Bradley Cooper were caught by paparazzi as they left restaurant Katsuya last week. Before dinner, the couple had attended CAA's Young Hollywood charity event at MyHouse, but refused to pose for photos. The cold atmosphere lasted the rest of the night, reports [E! Online](#). A source claimed that the couple were "not affectionate at all" during dinner, a claim bolstered by a video of Zellweger and Cooper leaving Katsuya. Cooper allowed for another man to escort Zellweger down a staircase, and was blown off by Zellweger when he tried to open a door for her. Is there a possible reason for the couple's cold outing? "The studios aren't happy that their movie *Case 39* took so long to premiere," reports the insider. "They're trying to get publicity going." **How can you tell if your partner has ulterior motives?**

## Cupid's Advice:

If your beau has ulterior motives in your relationship, he is probably very clever, but he can't hide all of the signs of his deception. Cupid has a few that you should be able to pick up on:

**1. He's not attentive:** The next time the two of you are out to dinner, see if he's really listening to what you're saying. If he frequently loses focus, it may mean that he's bored with the relationship and is only sticking around for other reasons.


**2. Favors:** If you find that you are always the one paying for meals, giving him rides and doing other favors for him, then it's time for a change. Talk to him about your worries, and if he stops mooching off of you, then you know he's honest.

**3. Pick-up lines:** Next time you're at a bar or a party with some friends, be careful about which guys you approach. The ones who immediately compliment your looks are probably only lustful.

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# Renee Zellweger & Bradley Cooper Get Fit Together



 Exercise for two? We'll take it! Renee Zellweger and Bradley Cooper recently signed up for short-term memberships at The Aquatics Fitness Club in Cooper's hometown (Abington, Pa.), the [New York Post](#) reported last week.

## **What are some easy ways you can stay fit with your partner?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Trying to balance work, home, and exercise can be a workout all on its own. Read on for Cupid's easy ways to spend quality time with your lover while also getting in a workout:

**1. Plan for it:** Sit down each week with your planners in front of you and find free time during your lunch break to take a bike ride through the park together. If the weather's being uncooperative, find a place where you can exercise in a fun and unique way, such as trying your luck at indoor rock climbing.

**2. Make it a date:** If you only have early or late hours free to work out together, check your area for 24 Hour Fitness Centers or similar businesses that offer round-the-clock fitness, or extended hours for night owls.

**3. Take the plunge:** Water sports are great for enjoying time together by providing closeness you just can't get from lifting weights! Venture outside the local pool and find places that offer outdoor water sports.