



Helpful Websites for your Travel Abroad Experience

Pre-departure Preparations:

- Obtaining a passport: http://travel.state.gov/passport/passport_1738_2.html
- Passport services at TTU's International Cultural Center: <http://www.iaff.ttu.edu/main/passport.asp>
- Obtaining a visa for entry into foreign countries: http://travel.state.gov/travel/tips/brochures/brochures_1229.html
- Registering your trip with the Department of State (DOS): <https://travelregistration.state.gov/ibrs/ui/>
- Country specific information regarding your destination: http://travel.state.gov/travel/travel_1744.html

Health Issues:

- TTUHSC TravelMed Clinic: <http://www.ttuhscc.edu/som/fammed/travelmed.aspx>
- Required or recommended vaccinations-CDC: <http://wwwn.cdc.gov/travel/>
- DOS medical information for Americans abroad: http://travel.state.gov/travel/tips/brochures/brochures_1215.html
- Information regarding outbreaks of infectious diseases abroad: <http://www.who.int/en/>
- World Health Organization (WHO) international travel and health information: <http://www.who.int/ith/en/>
- Contact U.S. Embassy or Consulate for a country specific list of physicians and medical facilities: <http://www.usembassy.gov/>

Safety and Security:

- DOS Travel Warnings: http://travel.state.gov/travel/cis_pa_tw/tw/tw_1764.html
- Travel and security information from OSAC: <http://www.osac.gov/>
- To get help from DOS while abroad (DOS can assist with lost or stolen passports, medical emergencies, financial assistance, death of a U.S. citizen, and arrests/incarcerations): http://travel.state.gov/travel/tips/emergencies/emergencies_1205.html

Miscellaneous:

- Locating a U.S. Embassy: <http://www.usembassy.gov/>
- Information regarding what you can and cannot bring back (Know Before You Go): <http://www.customs.gov/xp/cgov/travel/vacation/kbyg/>
- Information regarding air travel carry-ons and prohibited items: <http://www.tsa.gov/travelers/>
- Current exchange rates: <http://www.xe.com/ucc/>
- Personal property insurance: http://www.statravel.com/cps/rde/xchg/us_division_web_live/hs.xsl/travelinsurance.htm
- Travelers with disabilities: <http://www.miusa.org/>
- To vote absentee: <http://www.fvap.gov/>

For Students Only:

- DOS students abroad: <http://studentsabroad.state.gov/>
 - Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE) international travel brochures (including brochures on health and safety issues): http://www.ciee.org/program_resources/knowledge.aspx
 - Purchasing an International Student Identity Card (ISIC): <http://www.istc.org/sisp/index.htm>
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