

## **Packing List**

## MA in Sustainable Development Practice 2023

Please find a suggested packing list below for Ecuador, South Africa & Malawi. This list has been vetted by students who have studied in these locations and SIT faculty members.

#### **Ecuador Clothes & Shoes**

| 3-4 pairs of pants (jeans, casual pants)   |
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| 2 pairs of shorts  |
| 4-5 modest tee shirts and tanks  |
| 4-5 shirts, casual and dressy  |
| 2-3 sweaters or fleeces  |
| 1-2 formal outfits appropriate for dinner out, cultural events, or meetings with organizations (dresses, skirts, shirt & sport coat, tie, dress pants) |
| Pajamas & optional lightweight bathrobe  |
| Socks  |
| 10-day supply of underwear   |
| Set of thermal underwear   |
| Light raincoat   |
| Hat or cap for cold weather  |
| Athletic running/exercise clothing and shoes (optional)  |
| Swimsuit (conservative cut)  |
| Running shoes/trainers or day hikers for exercising or outdoor activities  |
| 1 pair of sandals for outdoors (Tevas or Chacos)   |
| 1 pair of dress shoes to go with your formal outfit (for dinner out, cultural events, and important meetings)  |



### South Africa and Malawi Clothes & Shoes

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| 2-3 skirts, dresses (below the knee)   | 3-4 pairs of pants and shorts (jeans, chinos, cotton)      |
| ☐ 1-2 pairs of warmer pants for cold weather                                     | 4-5 collared shirts & a tie (short sleeves are acceptable) |
| 2-3 casual pants including capris  | 1-2 pairs of warmer pants for cold weather                 |
| 4-5 shirts or blouses, lightweight and casual                                    | 4-5 lightweight tee shirts                                 |
| 4-5 lightweight tee shirts, long and loose                                       |  |
| meetings)  1 pair of sport sandals (Tevas/Chacos)                                | utfit (for dinner out, cultural events, and important      |
| Running shoes/trainers or day hikers for exerc House slippers such as flip flops | rialità  |



# Health and Toiletries Supplies for Ecuador, South Africa & Malawi

|          | Adequate supply of prescription medication including birth control pills, vitamins, motion sickness pills  |  |  |
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|          | Extra pair of glasses or contacts & cleaning solutions; eye drops  |  |  |
|          | Sunscreen & Lip balm with sunscreen  |  |  |
|          | Hand sanitizer   |  |  |
|          | Small first aid kit with band-aids, hydrogen peroxide, antiseptic cleanser/alcohol pads, moist towelettes, and over-the-counter drugs for minor pain, diarrhea, anti-itching cream, etc. |  |  |
|          | Insect repellent - 2 small bottles   |  |  |
|          | Malaria prophylaxis for Malawi   |  |  |
|          | Toothbrush and small bottle of toothpaste  |  |  |
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|          | 3 washable, cloth face masks   |  |  |
|          | Sunglasses   |  |  |
|          | Camera (optional)  |  |  |
|          | Electricity adapters for Ecuador, South Africa, and Malawi   |  |  |
|          | Small binoculars (optional)  |  |  |
|          | Flashlight or headlamp (headlamp recommended) & batteries for each   |  |  |
|          | Travel alarm or wristwatch (or smart phone)  |  |  |
|          | Small Daypack (required)   |  |  |
|          | Hat with a brim for the sun (baseball style cap is appropriate)  |  |  |
|          | TSA approved mini locks for luggage (recommended)  |  |  |
|          | Water bottle that won't break and can hold a liter or more of water  |  |  |
| Carry-On |  |  |  |
|          | Laptop   |  |  |
|          | Unlocked Smartphone  |  |  |
|          | Passport   |  |  |
|          | Copy of your visa for Malawi, and 2 copies of your passport, stored separately from passport   |  |  |
|          | COVID 19 vaccine and booster cards   |  |  |
|          | Any regularly required medications you may need during transit   |  |  |



| Ш | 2 face masks                                      |
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|   | Additional form of photo ID (license recommended) |
|   | Small bottle of hand sanitizer (recommended)      |
|   | 2 extra passport photos                           |
|   | Travel pillow (recommended)                       |