## Country: Indonesia

- Visa:
  - What is the process to get a visa? You can get a visa on arrival that allows you to do things like attend and teach at conferences and attend business meetings. The cost is \$35 USD. As you get off the plane, look for the sign that says, "Visa on Arrival" They prefer exact change. (you can get a tourist visa for free, but you are not supposed to do anything but touristy things with that one. Better to pay the \$35)
  - Travel with at least one 2x2 passport photo
- Local Contact:
  - Is there a local contact that will need to be referenced on the visa application? N/A
- Medical:
  - Are there any shots needed to travel to this part of the world? I would recommend typhoid.
  - You are encouraged to visit <u>www.cdc.gov</u> for the most up to date travel info.
- Clothes:
  - For Men:
    - What is socially acceptable and expected apparel for men? For teaching, long pants and a nice shirt. Shorts are acceptable for off time.
  - For Women:
    - What is socially acceptable and expected apparel for women? Capris, pants and skirts are accepted everywhere. In the bigger cities ladies can wear shorts. No tank tops.
  - What is socially acceptable and expected footwear? Flip Flops, sandals, tennis shoes
- Make sure to check the local weather before you travel! Anywhere in the world can be chilly!
- Things to bring:
  - o It is always good to have a copy of your passport, especially while traveling.
  - Refillable water purification bottle
    - We recommend this one: <u>http://shop.camelbak.com/all-clear-bottle/d/1208</u>
  - Bug Spray
  - Snacks (protein bars, trail mix, candy bars, etc).
  - Tylenol/Aleve, pepto bismal, Imodium, Vaseline, and other seldom used but useful when needed medications.
  - Food could be spicy: bring antacids if needed.
  - Towel and washcloth although these will likely be supplied.
  - Umbrella, especially in typhoon season (July-September)
  - A small ziplock bag of laundry detergent in case you need to wash clothes.
  - A rubber sink stopper/plug for bathroom sinks in order to shave or wash clothes.
  - Small LED flashlight: a must!
  - A small power strip (250v) is handy and electrical adapter is required.

- Do not bring 110 volt appliances, such as hairdryers, they will not work unless you also bring a "step down" transformer. See this website for more information: <u>http://searchdatacenter.techtarget.com/definition/Electric-plugs-for-each-country</u>
- Have a copy of your itinerary of your return flight (with your name on it) and a copy of your travel insurance paperwork easily accessible (especially when traveling).
- What other info is good for someone traveling to this country? The food can be rather spicy. You can purchase a SIM card if you want local cell access and internet on your phone.