

Scan | Design Study Tour 2019

SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

Clothes/Toiletries:

Students will stay in apartments/hostels that have kitchen and laundry facilities during the trip. In general, we are biking everywhere, including to firms. Expect that Copenhagen and Malmo can be both sunny and warm or cold and rainy in early September, so be prepared.

- Rain layers (a must)
 - Rain jacket
 - Rain pants
 - Waterproof shoes
- Tops
 - Comfortable tops
 - Sweater/sweatshirt layers
- Bottoms
 - Pants/dresses/skirts/leggings **that you can bike in**
- Swimsuit (we will go to a nice swimming platform)
- Sleepwear
- Socks: 4 – 6 pairs
- Underwear: 4 – 6 changes
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Athletic sandals (if desired, Chacos, Tevas, etc.)
- Personal toiletries (apartments **do not** provide shampoo, soap, etc.)
 - remember medication/eye care
 - laundry detergent (can be purchased there)

Accessories:

- Sunglasses
- Hat/Scarf/Gloves
- Daypack/bag (bikes will have baskets)

Money:

- Debit card
- Credit card (chip required for use in Denmark and Sweden)
- Cash for traveling to and from the airport
- Phone numbers for your bank, credit & debit card companies

Documents plus photocopies, kept separately:

- Passport
- Printout of airline itinerary
- Driver's license
- Student ID (a must for reduced entrance fees)
- Insurance (travel insurance through UW is required)

School supplies: (plus optional materials list at bottom)

- Bound sketchbook, something easy to pull out of your bag and do a quick sketch

- your choice of pens/pencils

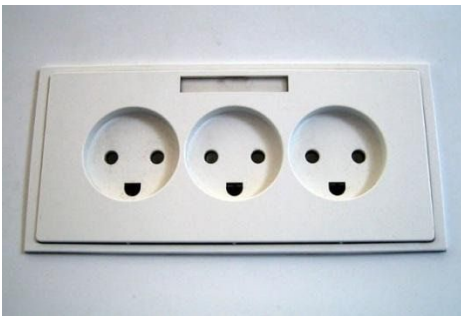
Electronics (required):

- Smartphone & charger- A working smart phone is required for navigation and communication on the trip. Check with your mobile provider for international rates (For example, T-mobile has international data and texting included in their standard plans and calls are 20¢ a minute. Alternatively, you may choose to purchase a Danish SIM card which can be purchased at a local shop for as little as \$20. Keep in mind that the Danish cards do not work in Sweden, so you may need to purchase a second SIM card in Malmo.

Electronics (if desired):

- Camera (remember chargers, cords, lanyards)
- Personal computer (optional, you won't need it for any activities or exercises)
- Adapter for outlets

(outlets look like this)



Food-related (optional):

- Water bottle (empty for airport security, of course)
- Tupperware of various sizes
- Sealable plastic bags
- Insulated thermos for coffee/tea (if you like to drink coffee throughout the day, making it in the morning and keeping it warm might be nice, and much cheaper than buying it out – some coffee goes for \$ 5 - \$7/cup)
- Snacks – there will be food available at grocery stores near the apartments, but if you have some favorites, you may want to bring them
- Coffee/tea (coffee should be ground, as there may not be a grinder available; there is coffee available but it is not inexpensive.)

Other:

- Watch or alarm clock
- Earplugs
- Neck pillow

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Suggested but Optional Materials List for Copenhagen Study Tour

We'll be drawing informally, using both pencil and ink. You may also wish to use color (colored pencils) and water-based media, watercolors and watercolor pencils.

All materials are optional; select from each category those you'd like to work with, and feel free to add others that are your favorites or that you especially want to try. Our drawing sessions will typically be short so keep your kit simple, flexible, compact.

Pencils

- Soft graphite such as Eagle 314, 2B, 3B, 4B, #1, Ebony
- Hard graphite for light underlay sketching (H, 2H, 4H)
- Medium graphite HB, #2
- Pencil sharpener
- Sandpaper block for sharpening
- Colored pencils, e.g. Prismacolor (just a few colors that can be mixed)

Ink

- Felt tip pens, with varied tip widths, e.g. Pitt artist's pens (Faber Castell)
- Niji Stylist pens (fine point)
- Uni Pin Fineline (varied tip widths)
- Fountain pen such as Lamy pen

If you like to watercolor:

- Watercolor pencils (Derwent or Staedtler)
- Small watercolor set (Cotman)
- A brush or two (or Aquabrush!)
- Small container for water

Sketchbook

- Small enough to be convenient to carry with you everywhere
- Paper with enough "tooth" for pencil but smooth enough for ink
- Binding that allows the drawing book to lay flat (keep in mind that spiral binding allows papers to move which causes pencil drawings to smudge)
- Hard enough cover so that you have a backing while you're drawing
- Consider bringing a protective folder with different papers and for storage of your finished pieces

Recommended:

- Something economical (space-wise) to carry supplies...remember you'll be biking every day
- Plastic Bag for rainy weather (a must!)
- Drawing Frame with an interior cutout that matches the proportion of your sketchbook

You might want to just bring basics with you and then augment your supplies in CPH (though they won't be less expensive). U Bookstore, Blick, and Artist and Craftsman Supply on 8th Ave. all have great selection of drawing supplies. Be sure to ask about the student discount at Artist and Craftsman Supply and have your student ID with you.

Additional Resources:

You are encouraged to practice drawing, sketching, and diagramming on location prior to the study tour. The following books are recommended resources for technique and inspiration.

Freehand Drawing and Discovery: Urban Sketching and Concept Drawing for Designers 1st Edition
by James Richards

The Urban Sketcher: Techniques for Seeing and Drawing on Location
by Marc Taro Holmes

The Urban Sketching Handbook: Architecture and Cityscapes: Tips and Techniques for Drawing on Location (Urban Sketching Handbooks)
by Gabriel Campanario

The Urban Sketching Handbook: People and Motion: Tips and Techniques for Drawing on Location (Urban Sketching Handbooks)
by Gabriel Campanario