What Every Good Traveler Should Pack

This list should be used as a guide for what to bring for your stay in Cracow. Individual needs and preferences will vary.

- rain jacket
- umbrella (a must have!)
- sweater/fleece
- hiking boots/ sneakers: for Zakopane – the trail is steep
- at least one nice outfit: for speakers, program ceremonies; students have enjoyed going to the opera:
  - Men – shirt and tie
  - Women – sundress is fine
- 2 pair of khaki pants/ dress slacks, and a pair of jeans
- comfortable shoes: Cracow’s Old Town streets are cobblestone
- pair of shorts and T-shirts
- prescription medications: you cannot fill these in Krakow
- toiletries: toothbrush, paste, comb, brush, lotion, soap, contact solution, cough drops, Advil, etc.
  - you can get all of this in Krakow as well.
- hair dryer: obviously this is up to you, not everyone will need one, coordinate with your roommate/friends
- travel iron: there is an iron in the basement of the Żaczek by the washing machines
- towel/wash cloth: the Żaczek provides towels but you can bring your own if you prefer
- sun glasses, sun screen
- travel alarm clock, batteries: The Żaczek does not have alarm clocks
- camera, film
- computer: only if you see it as a necessity – make sure it is insured
- voltage adapter: for all electronics
- credit card, bank card: Most students use ATMs, which are conveniently located throughout the square
- Passport/plane ticket: I recommend that you carry a copy of your passport at all times
- playing cards, book, entertainment for the plane ride
- school supplies: you can of course purchase these abroad
- address & phone number of the Żaczek/ Kasia (Polish Coord.) contact info
- bathing suit (optional)
- For your convenience, there are washing machines located in the basement of the Żaczek. No dryers, so be prepared to line dry your clothes. You can have your clothes laundered for a fee.
- The weather is unpredictable. Some days it will be hot and sunny (high 70s), others 50s and rainy. The temperature is generally much cooler in the evenings- jacket weather.
- Many students go out in the evenings to clubs. You may want to bring dressier clothes for these outings.

COME PREPARED.