

## **Packing List and Housing Amenities**

Please bring the following...

- Laptop and Mac Thunderbolt Ethernet connector. Your apartment will not have Wifi access; Internet is accessible through an Ethernet cable.
- USD 200 to be changed at the airport to Saudi riyals (SAR) as there is no provision for currency exchange on campus. The fixed rate of exchange is: 1 USD = 3.75 SAR
   Please note: Your first stipend will be paid at least 1 week after arrival and all visa-related reimbursements will be paid the following month
- Practical shoes for walking in a dusty and sandy environment
- Sneakers or running shoes for sporting activities available on campus (soccer, basketball, tennis, squash, golf)
- Conservative warm weather clothing such as below the knees shorts/ skirts and T shirts with sleeves
- Sweater or light jacket (for air-conditioned buildings)
- Snorkeling gear if you have it and underwater camera (masks and fins will be provided for the Snorkel Trip)
- Conservative swimwear for snorkeling and swimming (note that a 1-piece swimsuit is required for women at the KAUST community pools)
- Sunscreen (30 SPF, preferably water/sweat resistant)
- Hat with brim
- Sunglasses
- Mobile phone and power adapters (Note that KAUST uses 220V power and continental European outlets)
- Power converter (110/115 to 220/240 V)
- Prescription medication and prescription for the medications
- Any over-the-counter medication you require e.g. Tylenol, antihistamines
- Passport and a printed copy of your travel itinerary
- You may bring an International sim card but there is no need to buy a Saudi sim card at the airport, as you can purchase one on campus
- A color photocopy of your passport and visa stamp
- Travel insurance to cover you until the second day of Orientation (this will not be reimbursed)

## **PLEASE DO NOT BRING:**



- Any form of alcoholic products (chocolates with liquor, liquor from your flight) or any form of illegal drugs – there are penalties for carrying these items
- Any form of pork products

## Your Accommodations:

You will be staying in a share room with a share bathroom in an apartment which may be shared by other students.

Item provided are as follows. Please bring along a travel iron and a travel hairdryer (if required) as these will not be provided. Make sure all electrical items are 240 V. Please bring along a travel adapter for all your electronic devices.

Kitchen	Bedroom
Refrigerator	Head Board
Microwave Oven	Bed Base
Electric Range with Oven	Mattress
Built-in Range Hood	Bedside Table
Built-in Dishwasher	Dressing Mirror
Fire Extinguisher	Dressing Table
Cooking Pot	Media Cabinet
Frying Pan	Heavy Curtain
Kettle	Sheer Curtain
Waste Bin	Duvet
Laundry Room	Duvet Cover
Clothes Washer	Bedsheet
Clothes Dryer	Pillow
Dining Area	Mirror
Dining Table 4-seater	Hand Towel
Dining Chair	Bath Towel
Mirror	Spoon
Living Area	Plate
3 Seater Sofa	Fork
Side Chairs	Knife
Side Table	Teaspoon
Coffee Table	Soup bowl
Media Cabinet	Water Glass
Heavy Curtain	Mug
Sheer Curtain	Bathroom



32 Inch TV	Handsoap
Andredo STB Set	Shower Gel
Split A\C Remote	Shampoo and Conditioner
	Toilet Paper