Before Travel

IMPORTANT

MAKE SURE YOUR FLIGHT TO ATLANTA REACHES ATLANTA NO LATER THAN 6:30 PM (LOCAL TIME). THE LAST SHUTTLE OF EXPRESS85 FROM ATLANTA AIRPORT TO AUBURN LEAVES AT 9:30 PM

BEFORE LEAVING INDIAN SHORES

You are required to complete a medical information form that was sent to you by the school. You can also find it here. The document has a detailed list of tests and vaccines required. There are several mandatory tests and vaccines, make sure you take them all. You may or may not take the optional tests/vaccines. If your PPD test is positive you need a chest X-ray taken. It is expensive out here. Get an eye check up in case you wear glasses/contacts. Here is a quick Checklist of things that can help you while you pack.

Also make sure that you have the following documents with you when you leave.

1. I-20 (Usually three Pages)
2. Passport
3. Visa (Usually pasted in the passport, by this time you should have made sure that there are no typos or mistakes in your visa)
4. University Acceptance Letter
5. Address and Phone numbers (Of the person(s) whom you contacted and all the committee members)
6. University Paycheck (If you are bringing any)
7. Money and/or Travel Checks (Do not bring much in cash Instead bring money in Travelers Checks)
8. Photo copies of all the above (Placed one in each bag)

Remember to carry some quarters (coins of 25 cents) in case you need to get in touch with any ISA member over phone. You can use these quarters to make a call on a US telephone number.

Do not be in a hurry to leave for US. Please make sure that you have contacted someone at Auburn University who knows of your travel plans to US. Also, Please leave a photo copy of all the paper work in each bag, no kidding!!!