

## THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN RESTRICTED REGIONS LIST

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<b>Category 1</b>	<b>Extreme Risk:</b> All international locations with an ISOS <u>Extreme</u> Risk rating, or a US State Department Travel Advisory <u>Level 4 (Do not travel)</u>
<b>Category 2</b>	<b>High Risk:</b> All international locations with an ISOS <u>High</u> Risk rating, or a US State Department Travel Advisory <u>Level 3 (Reconsider travel)</u> , or a CDC Travel Notice: <u>Warning Level 3</u>
<b>Category 3</b>	<b>Medium Risk:</b> In a country with an overall US State Department Travel Advisory <u>Level 2 (Exercise increased caution)</u> or <u>Level 1 (Exercise normal precautions)</u> AND a regional ISOS risk rating of <u>Medium</u> or <u>Low</u> , then those regions with a US State Department Travel Advisory <u>recommendation of 'Do not travel' or 'Reconsider travel'</u> is a UT Austin Category 3 location
<b>Category 4</b>	<b>Variable Risk:</b> For countries where some, but not all, of the country has a UT Austin Category 1-3 region, the remaining regions are Category 4. <i>(Category 4 does not apply to faculty and staff. Students only.)</i>

Country	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4
<b>Afghanistan</b>	Entire country of Afghanistan			
<b>Algeria</b>		All other areas of Algeria		Urban centers in northern provinces; oil and gas producing sites in Adrar, Tamanrasset, Illizi, Ouargla and Ghardaia provinces
<b>Angola</b>		Northeast of Cabinda enclave		All other areas of Angola
<b>Antigua and Barbuda</b>			Barbuda	Antigua
<b>Armenia</b>		Border with Azerbaijan	Nagorno-Karabakh region	All other areas of Armenia
<b>Azerbaijan</b>		Armenian border areas and Nagorno-Karabakh		All other areas of Azerbaijan
<b>Bangladesh</b>		Chittagong Hill Tracts; Dhaka	Southeast Bangladesh	All other areas of Bangladesh
<b>Brazil</b>		Rio de Janeiro & Sao Paulo	Areas within 150km of borders with Venezuela, Colombia, Peru, Bolivia, Guyana, Suriname, French Guiana, Paraguay; "Favela" neighborhoods; Brasilia's "satellite cities" of Ceilandia, Santa Maria, Sao Sebastiao, Paranoa; Recife's Pina Beach	All other areas of Brazil
<b>Burkina Faso</b>		Entire country of Burkina Faso		

<b>Burma (Myanmar)</b>		Insurgency-affected & other border areas (except Indian border); far northern Rakhine state	Maungdaw, Rathedaung, Ponnagyun, Buthitaung, Minbya, Mrauk-U (Rakhine State); Paletwa (Chin State); Hpakan, Mansi, Momauk, Sumprabum, Tanai, Waingmaw, Bhamo, Mogueang (Kachin State); Shadaw (Kayah State); Hlaingbwe, Hpapun, Thandaung (Kayin State); Konkyan, Kutkai, Laukkaing, Matman, Mongmao, Muse, Namphan, Pangsang, Pangwaun, Hopang, Hsipaw, Kyaukme, Manton, Mongkaung, Namhsan, Namtu, Nanhkan (Shan State)	All other areas of Burma (Myanmar)
<b>Burundi</b>		Entire country of Burundi		
<b>Cameroon</b>	Areas of Extreme North region bordering Nigeria	Extreme north; Bakassi peninsula; border with Central African Republic; Northwest & Southwest regions	Parts of East and Adamawa Regions	All other areas of Cameroon
<b>Central African Republic</b>	Entire country of Central African Republic			
<b>Chad</b>		Entire country of Chad		
<b>Colombia</b>	Arauca, Cauca, Chocó, Nariño, Norte de Santander Departments	Areas affected by guerrilla activity, including border areas with Venezuela, Ecuador, Cali; Departments Antioquia (north of Medellin), Caquetá, Casanare, Cesar (outside of Valledupar), Cordoba (outside of Montería), Guainía, Guaviare, Meta, Putumayo, Valle Del Cauca (outside of Cali & Palmira area), Vaupes, Vichada		All other areas of Colombia
<b>Congo, Republic of the</b>		Pool Region		All other areas in the Republic of the Congo
<b>Cote d'Ivoire</b>		West (Moyen-Cavally, Dix-Huit Montagnes, northwest of Bas-		All other areas of Cote d'Ivoire

		Sassandra) & north (Bafing, Worodougou, Vallée du Bandama, Zanzan, Savanes, Denguélé)		
<b>Democratic Republic of the Congo</b>	North Kivu province (except Goma & Beni); Ituri province (except Bunia); central & northern Katanga (Mitwaba, Pweto, Manono and Malemba-Nkulu areas)	All other areas of the Democratic Republic of the Congo		
<b>Ecuador</b>	Esmeraldas, Carchi, & Sucumbíos provinces	Colombian border areas		All other areas in Ecuador
<b>Egypt</b>	North Sinai	Western Desert	Egyptian border areas; remaining areas of the Sinai Peninsula	All other areas in Egypt
<b>El Salvador</b>		Entire country of El Salvador		
<b>Eritrea</b>		Ethiopian, Sudanese, Djiboutian borders	Remote areas & areas off main roads due to landmines	All other areas of Eritrea
<b>Ethiopia</b>		Somali region & areas bordering Eritrea, Kenya, South Sudan, Sudan	Somali Regional State; East Hararghe region of Oromia state; Danakil Depression region in Afar	All other areas in Ethiopia
<b>French West Indies</b>			St. Martin	All other areas in French West Indies
<b>Georgia</b>		Abkhazia & South Ossetia		All other areas in Georgia
<b>Guatemala</b>		Guatemala City; Guatemala, Escuintla, Chiquimula, Quetzaltenango, Petén, Zacapa & Izabal departments		All other areas in Guatemala
<b>Guinea-Bissau</b>		Entire country of Guinea-Bissau		
<b>Haiti</b>		Entire country of Haiti		
<b>Honduras</b>		Entire country of Honduras		
<b>India</b>		Asom (Assam), Manipur, Nagaland, Tripura, Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, non-coastal districts of Odisha (Orissa), eastern areas of	State of Jammu & remainder of Kashmir (except the eastern Ladakh region & its capital Leh); within 10 km of India-Pakistan border	All other areas in India

		Maharashtra & parts of Kashmir valley		
<b>Indonesia</b>		Papua, West Papua	Central Sulawesi	All other areas in Indonesia
<b>Iran</b>	Entire country of Iran			
<b>Iraq</b>	Entire country of Iraq			
<b>Israel, West Bank and Gaza</b>	Gaza		West Bank	All other areas of Israel
<b>Jamaica</b>		West Kingston, Spanish Town	Montego Bay areas of Flankers, Canterbury, Norwood, Rose Heights, Clavers Street, & Hart street; Kingston (except West Kingston).	All other areas in Jamaica
<b>Jordan</b>			Border with Syria & Iraq	All other areas in Jordan
<b>Kenya</b>		Somali-border counties of Wajir, Mandera, Garissa & Lamu; Nairobi; northern counties of Turkana, West Pokot, Samburu, Marsabit & Isiolo	Tana River county & areas of Kilifi county north of Malindi; Nairobi neighborhood of Eastleigh & Old Town in Mombasa	All other areas in Kenya
<b>Kosovo</b>			North Mitrovica, Leposavic, Zubin Potok, & Zvecan	All other areas in Kosovo
<b>Kuwait</b>			Desert region near border with Iraq; City of Al Jahra in northwest Kuwait City; Jeleeb Al-Shuyoukh area in Kuwait City	All other areas in Kuwait
<b>Kyrgyzstan</b>		Batken province, the international border regions of Osh & Jalal-Abad provinces		All other areas in Kyrgyzstan
<b>Laos</b>			Xaisomboun Province	All other areas in Laos
<b>Lebanon</b>		Entire country of Lebanon		
<b>Libya</b>	Entire country of Libya			
<b>Madagascar</b>		Anosy (except its capital Fort Dauphin (Tôlanaro)) & Atsimo-Atsinanana regions (southeast)		All other areas in Madagascar

<b>Mali</b>	Entire country of Mali			
<b>Mauritania</b>		Entire country of Mauritania		
<b>Mexico</b>	Colima, Guerrero, Michoacán, Sinaloa, Tamaulipas	States of Chihuahua, Coahuila, Durango, Estado de Mexico (except Mexico City), Jalisco, Morelos, Nayarit, Nuevo León, San Luis Potosi, Sonora, & Zacatecas		All other areas in Mexico
<b>Mozambique</b>		Cabo Delgado Province districts of Mocimboa da Praia, Nangade, Palma, Macomia, & Quissanga		All other areas in Mozambique
<b>Nepal</b>		South Nepal		All other areas in Nepal
<b>Nicaragua</b>		Entire country of Nicaragua		
<b>Niger</b>		Entire country of Niger		
<b>Nigeria</b>	Borno State	All other areas in Nigeria		
<b>North Korea</b>	Entire country of North Korea			
<b>Oman</b>			Saudi Arabia & Yemen border areas	All other areas in Oman
<b>Pakistan</b>	Districts in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KPK) bordering the former Federally Administered Tribal Areas (FATA); Balochistan except for Gwadar & central districts; FATA (Kyber Paktunkhwa province)	All other areas in Pakistan		
<b>Panama</b>	Parts of Mosquito Gulf & Darién Region			All other areas in Panama
<b>Papua New Guinea</b>		Entire country of Papua New Guinea		
<b>Peru</b>		Ene, Apurimac & Mantaro River Valley (VRAEM)	Colombian-Peruvian border area in the Loreto Region; areas outside cities at night by car	All other areas of Peru
<b>Philippines</b>		Southwest Mindanao & Sulu Archipelago	Southern Sulu Sea; remaining areas in Mindanao	All other areas in the Philippines

<b>Russia</b>		Entire country of Russia		
<b>Rwanda</b>			Rwanda-Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) border	All other areas of Rwanda
<b>Saudi Arabia</b>		Iraq & Yemen border areas		All other areas in Saudi Arabia
<b>Somalia</b>	Entire country of Somalia			
<b>South Africa</b>		High density & low income urban areas, especially in Cape Town and Johannesburg		All other areas in South Africa
<b>South Sudan</b>	Entire country of South Sudan			
<b>Sudan</b>	Darfur	All other areas in Sudan		
<b>Syria</b>	Entire country of Syria			
<b>Tajikistan</b>		Afghan border; Gorno-Badakhshan Autonomous Oblast		All other areas in Tajikistan
<b>Thailand</b>		Southern provinces of Yala, Narathiwat, Pattani & southern districts of Songkhla province		All other areas in Thailand
<b>Trinidad and Tobago</b>		Laventille, Beetham	Sea Lots, Cocorite & interior of Queen's Park Savannah in Port of Spain	All other areas in Trinidad and Tobago
<b>Tunisia</b>		Libyan border areas; areas within 25 miles (40km) of Algerian border; Mounts Chaambi, Mgilla, Salloum & Sammama	Desert south of Remada; Jendouba south of Ain Drahem; Sidi Bou Zid	All other areas in Tunisia
<b>Turkey</b>		Entire country of Turkey		
<b>Turkmenistan</b>		Afghan border		All other areas in Turkmenistan
<b>Uganda</b>		Areas within 18.6 miles of Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), South Sudan borders		All other areas in Uganda
<b>Ukraine</b>	Eastern border regions (Donetsk & Luhansk)		Crimea	All other areas in Ukraine

<b>Uzbekistan</b>		Afghan, Kyrgyz borders, Fergana Valley		All other areas in Uzbekistan
<b>Venezuela</b>		Entire country of Venezuela		
<b>Yemen</b>	Entire country of Yemen			

**CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS UPDATE:**

Guatemala – Moved Guatemala, Escuintla and Quetzaltenango departments from Category 3 to Category 2 due to changes in USDOS Travel Advisory information.