

# Predeparture Meeting 3

## Final Details and Reminders

2cn2u.cl Biomedical Imaging in Chile

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# Partial Packing List

- See List on the Website
- Plan for a variety of weather
- Add your own personal items
- Electronics (be careful)
- Power adaptors
- Some Chilean Pesos

# Outbound Flights

UA847 6:20am	DL147 7:00am	AA957 7:40am
Cameron	Meghan Emma	Chuck Eric Ethan Jenna Jackson Eda Arya Michael Paloma Tracy

## Others:

Donte: LA535 from Mexico City, Arr. 6:35am: ground w/ group

Satiera: Arriving 5:55am - ground w/group

Munin: Arriving Earlier: own ground transport

Cassidy: Arriving 10:44pm: own ground transport

# Outbound Travel (1)

- Selected Flights
  - Wait at SCL for Last selected flight.  
(Should be AA957 at 7:40am)
  - Delayed? Text expected SCL arrival time to Eric and me
  - Other problems? Text me
  - Clear Immigration, Customs, Agriculture Check
  - Walk to the right toward “Meeting Point” and look for us
  - Andes Living will meet us
  - Your host family or representative will be there to drive you home
  - When you are sure you have a ride, see me and cross your name off my list. We will not leave the airport until we know everyone has a ride.

# Outbound Travel (2)

- Other Flights or Long Delay
  - Suggest Delfos Transport to your home  
Pay at desk in arrivals lobby.  
Credit Cards or Pesos.  
Go outside and find Delfos dispatcher.  
You may have to ask.  
No tip expected.

# Return Travel

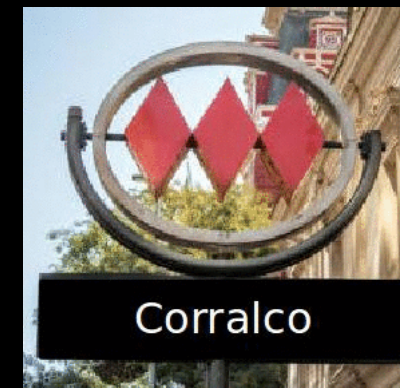
- Saturday Night Flights
  - Vans from Hotel Ibis (Will Collect Names)
  - Clear Immigration and Customs in First US Airport
- Other Flights
  - Arrange Travel to Airport on Your Own
  - Classmates and Friends Can Offer Advice

# Sunday/Monday

- Get your Bip! Card from your host family
- Relax and Recover from the trip
- Plan what you need to take to school
- Explore your neighborhood if you like
- Contact us if you like
- Monday, allow extra time for travel
- Meet at the classroom by start of class (Aula Magna, H)

# Your Bip! Card

- Initial charge of 20.000 CLP.
- One recharge of 20.000 CLP when needed.
- Personal recharge: Any Metro Station, some stores, food service near Science building (limited hours).
- Pass-Back ok.





- Generally, for Bus or Subway
  - No Cash: Tap BiP! Card to Board.
  - Check Your Balance.
  - No Tap to Exit.
  - Transfer: Pay Maximum Fare
- El Metro, The Subway:
  - Three Fares Depending on Time of Day
  - Fare Higher than Bus
- El Micro, The Bus
  - Major Stations: Tap to enter maze and board any door
  - Smaller Stations: Tap card reader on the bus
  - Negative Balance: Inbound ride to Metro Station

# Los Dominicos



# UAndes Campus

- CO2: Bus Line
- Circle: Bus Stop
- R: El Reloj (The Clock)
- C: Ciencias
- Cent: Central Building
- H: Humanidades
- B: Biblioteca
- E: Ingeniería





# Hotel Ibis

- Hotel Ibis, Manquehue Norte is home and office to me and Eric.
- Know how to get there (Manquehue Station on Line 1)
- We will use it as a staging point for some excursions and for our departure to the airport
- We will use it for office hours sometimes
- There are shops, restaurants, and banks nearby
- It is a comfortable meeting place
- Contact us anytime to visit

# Hotel Ibis



# Good Manners

- Host Families
  - Bring a small gift
  - Be a good family member: Help out when possible
  - Respect household employees
  - Dinner is a big deal: Coordinate with your family
- Faculty
  - Use appropriate titles: Profesor, Profesora
  - Show respect but don't hesitate to ask questions
- Greetings to students, friends, *etc.*
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- Men please remember: That big letter M on the door stands for “Mujeres,” or “women.” We don't “go” there.

- Non-Emergency
  - Contact me or Eric for any issue
  - We have lots of support
  - Watch out for each other
- Life–Threatening Emergency
  - Get the help you need first and sort out the mess later;  
Use your host family, classmates, people on the street  
Police 133, Fire 132, Ambulance 131
  - Carry your emergency card and use it
  - Then contact me or Eric
- Major Disaster
  - Send “I am Safe” messages by multiple means



# Homework

1. Learn how to get to campus from your Chilean home and back again.
2. Send a picture of your passport “main page.” If you lose it, this will help. Any other documents?
3. You may want to let us know about health issues. You do not have to do so.
4. Connect with DRC if applicable
5. Check that you have phone numbers for Eric and me.
6. Plan on learning a lot and having a lot of fun.

# Questions?

