

Making The Most of Mobility When Traveling

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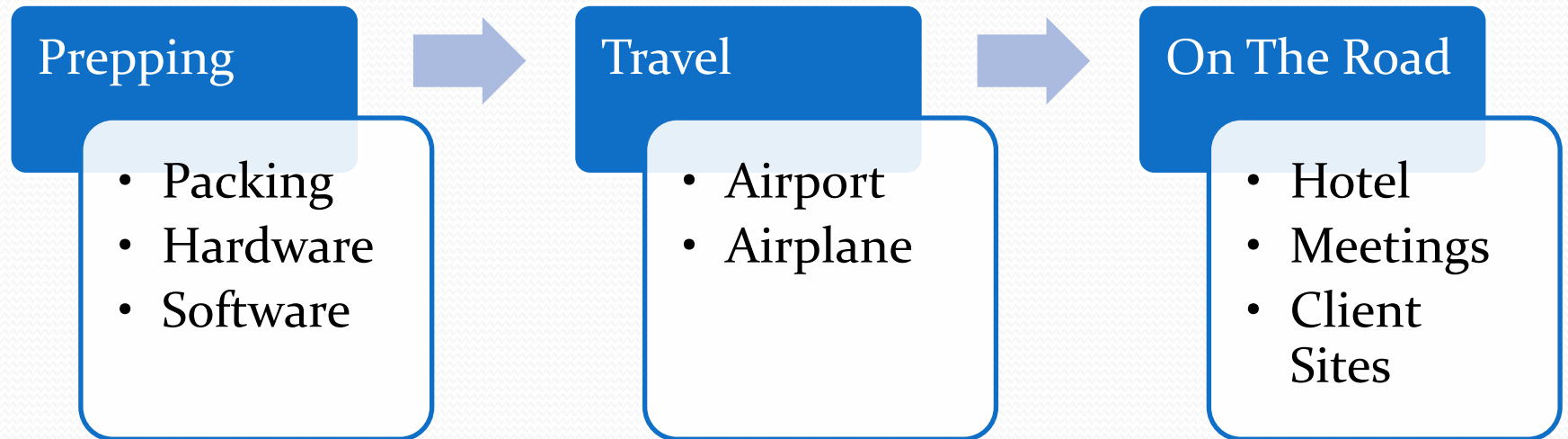
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“Go With The Flow...”



Travel Prep

- Packing
 - What to take/not to take
 - Dealing with airport security
- Hardware
 - Making the most of limited space
- Software
 - Travel essentials

Packing

- The more hardware you carry, the better off you are by organizing
 - Going through security checkpoints
 - Finding devices, adapters quickly
- Consider:
 - Pouches or bags to organize items
 - ZipLocs work great at security checkpoints

Power and Cabling

- Consider multi-purpose power supplies
 - Common manufacturers
 - iGo
 - Kensington
 - Others
 - One supply, multiple adapters
 - Pros
 - Less weight
 - Less space
 - Cons
 - Cost
 - More “little pieces to lose”
- Retractable Cabling
 - Less space
 - Less clutter



To PC or Not To PC?

- “Can I get by without a full OS?”
- Questions
 - What will you do during the trip?
 - What *might* you do during the trip?
 - What software will I need to support this?
 - How productive will I be without a full OS?
- Remember – even the “lightest” of tasks may not be as productive without a full keyboard and screen

Notebook, Device, or... In Between?

- “Netbooks”
 - Lightweight
 - Minimal (but essential) software
- Celio REDFLY
 - Think “dumb terminal for Windows Mobile”
 - Full keyboard
 - Video Out
 - USB



Windows Mobile Travel Software

- Travel Information
 - Flight Info
 - Travel Agendas
 - Weather
- Local Information
 - Directions
 - Points of Interest
 - Currency Rates
 - Language Translations

Travel Information

- WorldMate Live
 - <http://www.mobimate.com>
 - Free and “Gold” Versions
 - Gold includes real-time flight status, schedules and alerts
- Spb Traveler
 - <http://www.spbsoftwarehouse.com>



Local Information

- Windows Live Search
 - <http://wls.live.com>
 - GPS-enabled
 - Directions
 - Searchable Points of Interest
 - Fuel price comparisons
- Google Maps
 - <http://m.google.com>
 - GPS and cellular triangulation
 - Directions



Translators

- ECTACO
 - <http://www.ectaco.com>
 - LingvoSoft line of translators
 - Dictionaries
 - Phrasebooks



What About The Mobile Web?

- Travel Planning – TripIt (<http://www.tripit.com>)
- Weather
 - Weather Channel (<http://www.weather.com>)
 - Accuweather (<http://www.accuweather.com/m>)
- Flight Info
 - Airline sites
 - FlightStats.com (<http://www.flightstats.com>)

Getting Connected

- HotSpots
- ICS and Your Device

Questions?

