



Travel Gifts for the Smart Traveler - 2016

Here is the updated 2016 edition of the best travel gift ideas I have found for both men and women. This list was compiled through much research and product trial, so I know they'll be popular among even the most discerning smart traveler.

Many of these items I either already own, or have recently added to my list!

	<p>A packable down jacket will prepare you for almost any kind of weather. They are lightweight, breathable, warm, and often come with their own carrying bag for quick and easy storage at a fraction of their size.</p>
	<p>You are allowed 1 personal item in addition to your carry-on, so this is where you'll pack those items you know you'll want access to during your flight. The ideal personal item has integrated straps to secure the bag to the handle of your wheeled luggage, further alleviating shoulder strain while waiting in lines or walking to your gate. I recommend the STM quantum shoulder bag. Its laptop pocket protects your device in high-density foam. There are compartments for your tablet, charging cords, extra battery, and headphones so all are neatly tucked away. There's even room for a change of shoes.</p>
	<p>If you plan to travel internationally you'll want to have an All-in-1 universal travel adapter. Not surprisingly, there are different power standards around the world, and these adapters will prevent you from scrambling to charge your essential electronics.</p>





A notebook and good pen are must haves for every traveller. I love to make some quick notes after every day or every excursion. It's amazing what you'll forget when reading through these notes later! Notebooks are also great for tracking your travel plans or jotting down a new friend's contact info. I prefer the look, feel and size of [Moleskine notebooks](#).



[SkyeBags](#) tote bags, toiletries bags, and wallets made from genuine aircraft seat-back leather recycled from Delta Airlines. A very unique gift for the aviation lover on your list. In exchange for the leather, 10% of profits are donated to a non-profit charity of Delta's choice (The Nature Conservancy since 2010).



USB Cufflinks are perfect for that special person running an online business. Always have your important files with you no matter where you are! Check out [these ones from Cuff-Daddy](#): Silver (rhodium-plated) USB Cufflinks 16GB each (32GB total) and only 59g in weight.





Since you're already dreaming about travel, why not rest your head on the pillow that matches your dreams? [This set of 3 Continent Pillows](#) will help you drift off to thoughts of North/Central America, Europe/Africa, or Asia/Oceania. Each pillow measures 15" square and is made of cotton with the decoration applied using Batik, a traditional Indian art to create patterns on fabric.



[Skyroam Mobile Hotspot](#): Global Wi-Fi available in 100+ countries. This personal Wi-Fi hotspot for fast, secure mobile data worldwide allows you to connect up to 5 devices and pay as you go. No SIM card is required and packages start at \$8 for 24 hour day-pass with unlimited data.



[Solemates Purse Pals](#) are fold-able ballet flats, perfect for slipping into a carry-on or handbag. They come with a convenient carrying pouch that's expandable to accommodate your heels on the way home. Touting a soft interior with durable sole and an elastic band that won't dog into your ankle! They're great for slipping on after a night out, on the plane, in the office, or around the house.



[Try the World](#) sends a monthly shipment to help you create an amazing travel experience at home! Each box contains 7-8 specially curated gourmet items complete with a Culture Guide from a new country. Past boxes have included tapas with the Spain Box, meatballs and dumplings with the Sweden Box, and Steak au Poivre with the France Box. There's a new discovery each month!



Thank You!

I hope you've enjoyed this 2016 edition of The Smart Traveler's Top Gift Ideas!

My passion is to serve to inspire you to follow your dreams - in travel and in life. If you're looking for help creating your online business and reaching your Freedom Lifestyle, reach out to me today.

I want to say a **HUGE thank you** for reading my blog and connecting with me via email and social media! I'm truly grateful for your continued support.

You are welcome to contact me with any questions, suggestions, or comments. I look forward to hearing from you!

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