

# Monthly Budget Overview

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## Income Sources

I have multiple sources of income but for the purpose of this “Social Experiment”. I will be depositing \$2500 a month on the 1<sup>st</sup> of month.

## Fixed Costs - \$1150 Per Month

Accommodations \$1000 Per Month

Travel/Health Insurances \$150 Per Month

## Variable Expenses – Food - \$500 Per Month

Dining Out – Restaurants, Night Market, Kiosks, Food Stall

Dining In – Delivery, Self Cook-Groceries

## Discretionary Spending - \$500 Per Month

Experiences - \$400 Per Month

Misc - \$100 Per Month

## Travel - \$350 Per Month

Local Travel - Rideshare, Songthaew, Rental Bike, Walk. - \$175 Per Month

Regional Travel (savings) for location moves - \$175 Per Month





# Notes

## Fixed Costs:

Every dollar saved on Accommodations can be applied to Variable and /or Discretionary spending such as eating better, do more experiences or to Travel expense – Local Day Trips/Overnights

## Variable Expenses:

Managing the food will be interesting. I'm planning on two meals per day. Many meals will be under \$5; Some accommodations offer free breakfast which will lower my need to one purchased meal per day.

## Discretionary Spending:

With \$100 a week I will be able to do 1-3 pay experiences per week such as cooking classes, trips to cultural sites or nature hikes, walks. I will take some adventures – snorkeling, biking, river rafting, etc via "GetYourGuide, Viator, and local sources. I will publish my list for each month in advance in the Destination Blog

## Travel:

Local Travel in most locations will be very cheap. Some rides on Municipal Buses will be under \$2, Rental Bike \$1, Ride Share \$5-10, Walking – Free

Regional Travel will be by discount economy Air. I have planned my route for very short regional flights on discount airlines, Each month I will save for the next move or moves. I also have to account for baggage charges which will be high as I will be traveling with 2 Rolling Duffle Bags (20 kg ea), One small rolling International carry-on sized suitcase – All electronics (10 Kg) and a Laptop Backpack (10 KG). I will do a complete equipment video layout and description of everything I'm bringing during the 1<sup>st</sup> month.