

FEBRUARY 2025 DESTINATION RISK REVIEW

LIST OF 'CATEGORY X' DESTINATIONS Effective 01 FEBRUARY 2025 until superseded

This document serves to capture the current list of destinations with a Category (CAT) X risk designation. *University Travel to CAT X destinations is not permitted for undergraduate students.*

For graduate students conducting dissertation research, such travel is generally not permitted, but in exceedingly rare circumstances, an Exception may be requested. **Contact globalsafety@princeton.edu for more information.**

The following destinations are assessed as CAT X:

Country/Location	Area
Afghanistan	All
Belarus	All
Burkina Faso	All
Central African Republic	All
Democratic People's Republic of Korea (North Korea)	All
Democratic Republic of Congo	North Kivu and South Kivu provinces
Gaza (Palestinian Territories)	All
Georgia	South Ossetia
Haiti	All
Iran	All
Iraq	All
Lebanon	All areas outside of Beirut
Libya	All
Mali	All
Mozambique	Cabo Delgado province
Myanmar	All
Russia	All
Somalia (incl. Puntland and Somaliland)	All
South Sudan	All
Sudan	All
Syria	All
Ukraine	All
Yemen	All

Summary of Actions:

- Democratic Republic of Congo (North Kivu and South Kivu provinces ONLY) increased to CAT X



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LIST OF RISK CATEGORIZATION CHANGES Effective 01 FEBRUARY 2025 until superseded

Recategorized to X:
Congo, Democratic Republic of (North Kivu and South Kivu provinces ONLY)
Recategorized to C:
Nil
Recategorized to B:
Nil
Recategorized to A:
Nil