



## Cultural Heritage and Regional Development Policies

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### Keywords:

- Regional resources endowment and singularity of the tourism product
- Cultural heritage and authentic tourist experiences
- Regional sustainable tourism strategies
- Residents commitment towards tourism development
- Cultural heritage and tourists' visit motivations
- Tourism employment creation and growth of regional economies
- Regional infrastructures and facilities and tourist potential
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