

Special Issue

Sustainability Perspectives: Theories and Practice for Greening Tourism

Message from the Guest Editors

Butler (1993: 29) explains sustainable tourism as “tourism in a form which can maintain its viability in an area for an indefinite period of time”. The threat overtourism poses towards the sustainability of the environment (as well as of natural resources) is quite hard to ignore, and a lot of destinations are basically being forced to take action against it and prioritize destination management or even degrowth (Andriotis, 2018).

This Special Issue aims to provide a space for reflecting on the possibilities and experiences of greening the tourism industry. As such, the Special Issue will not only cover the elaborations of green tourism examples/experiences/cases, but also papers entailing alternative ways of greening the tourism industry and involved stakeholder practices. Topics to be dealt with include, but are not limited to, green tourism and destination management, ecological tourism, touristic ecological footprint, climate change and tourism, etc.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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