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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

The importance of sports tourism has risen during recent decades, and people are showing more care towards their health. Therefore, being active has become more important in daily life as well as on vacation, with sports events attracting high numbers of tourists, leading countries to add sports events to their touristic portfolios. In the existing literature, several types of sports tourism are described and/or investigated, e.g., active or passive, nature and action sports tourisms, emerging in urban as well as rural destinations, next to waterfronts and in mountains. Although there are various publications regarding sports tourism, there is still a lack of a comparison of different types of this phenomenon and its outcomes. This Special Issue asks for publications dealing with various types of sports tourism, focusing on their contributions towards their destinations' sustainable development, inviting investigators from all over the world to share their work discussing examples and challenges regarding this topic.



