



## The Impact of Sustainable Tourism on Regional Development

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Dear Colleagues,

Recent events worldwide have highlighted sustainable tourism's impact on regional development. Sustainable tourism simultaneously addresses different tourism stakeholders' needs: visitors who demand a good quality of experience, entrepreneurs who seek to maximise business opportunities and residents who expect to improve their quality of life. Sustainable tourism endeavours to ensure that the entire industry is environmentally responsible, economically viable and socially equitable.

This Special Issue seeks to cultivate a greater awareness of rapidly changing and intensifying sustainability claims made by diverse tourism stakeholders. By adopting sustainable tourism practices, regions can create a more sustainable and resilient tourism industry that benefits both visitors and locals.

Ultimately, the main aim is to explore answers to real-life problems and challenges linked to sustainable tourism's effects so that it can contribute more fully to regional development by promoting economic growth, environmental protection, social equity and cultural preservation.





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