

Chapter 1 : Tourism reassessed: blight or blessing?

Tourism Reassessed is ideal for educators and researchers in tourism and all those studying or interested in the subject. Policy makers in governments and international and national organizations in tourism and related fields will find this essential reading.

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Chapter 2 : Frances Brown (Author of Tourism Reassessed)

Tourism Reassessed sees tourism as: *Â· A factor of international relations Â· A facet of the global economic order It takes a new approach by examining the place of tourism in the global political economy, analysing both how far it is shaped by the political-economic system and its own role in shaping that system.*

Share this Topic Guide: A debate about whether mass tourism is exploitative [Ref: BBC News] has been going on for some time, leading to the rise of related ideas like ethical dead link , [Ref: Association of Independent Tour Operators] or eco tourism [Ref: Global Development Research Centre]. However, recently the focus has switched from whether we should travel more responsibly to whether we should actually travel less. The increase in cheap flights is a particular focus of controversy. Wikipedia] services, which seek to cancel out the carbon dioxide produced by flying, are increasingly popular. Gap years have also come in for criticism, with warnings that they may do more harm than good [Ref: There has, however, been a backlash against the war on tourism, with renewed arguments for the economic and social benefits tourism brings. Critics detect snobbery against mass tourism, moral posturing and hypocrisy, with people bemoaning the effects of tourism while continuing to take full advantage of its many benefits. They ask on what basis people claim a right to tell others how to enjoy themselves. The overall impact of tourism therefore needs to be reassessed, and the question remains: For further reading use the menu bar on the right hand side. Is mass tourism exploitative? The post-war expansion of air travel kick started the era of international mass travel, which today, with the increase in cheap flights, includes many more short breaks alongside annual summer holidays. But tourism has many critics who accuse it of three main forms of exploitation: There is disagreement about whether ethical tourism provides the answer, and it has its critics on both sides of the debate. The debate is increasingly framed in terms of whether global tourism levels should be reduced. Do the economic benefits outweigh the costs? One side points to the benefits from employment and associated opportunities for small family businesses like cafes and handicrafts, while the other points to the large areas of land that are bought up by foreign companies, creating resorts which exclude local people and which tourists seldom leave. Does tourism damage or improve the environment? Environmentalists argue flying is the fastest growing cause of climate change, although it is currently responsible for only three percent of greenhouse gas emissions. There are calls for a tax on aviation fuel to discourage flying. Budget airlines are a focus of criticism, but they argue that they are more efficient than other carriers. The debate over the effect on the environment of tourist destinations sets benefits like the creation of national parks, restoration of monuments and improved infrastructure against damage to coral reefs, pressure on water resources and the effects of golf courses and resorts on people and the landscape. Does tourism undermine indigenous cultures or break down barriers? Our pursuit of the exotic, some say, is turning other cultures into consumer goods. Even independent travel is not immune from criticism, as it brings package tourists in its wake. Sex tourism is seen as indicative of rampant exploitation. Counter arguments say tourism promotes cultural understanding, even supposedly superficial package holidays. Should we travel less? There are few voices making a positive case for travel. Previously, travel was associated with the way social progress afforded free time for individual leisure and even self-improvement. Now many people present a negative view: Students will be expected to have additional evidence and examples derived from independent research, but they can expect to be criticised if they lack a basic familiarity with the issues raised in the essential reading.

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Tourism Reassessed: Blight or blessing? provides a balanced assessment of the effects of tourism on 20th century life and evaluates its significance in international relations. Inspired by Sir George Young's book, Tourism: Blessing or blight?, published 25 years ago, this book places tourism firmly within its wider context.

The search for authenticity: Is tourism just colonialism in another guise? A Nepal case study," Progress in Planning 44,3 Tourism as Cultural Learning: Two Controversial Case Studies Washington: University Press of America, A Mode of Analysis Canberra: Australian National U, Tourism in Peripheral Areas: Case Studies Buffalo NY: A New Perspective NY: People, Places, Processes NY: International Thompson Business, An Applied Perspective Albany: Faulkner, Bill et al. Tourism in the 21st Century London, Goodwin, Harold et al. A Geographical Perspective Harlow: Holden, Peter et al eds. Ecumenical Coalition on Third World Tourism, Institute for Policy Studies, Setting Standards in Practice Washington: A Gender Analysis NY: Sex Work in Southeast Asia: Tourism in Global Society: Place, Culture, Consumption NY: Tourism in the Third World: Christian Reflections Maryknoll NY: The Cost of Tourism in the Caribbean London: Latin America Bureau, A Geographical Analysis NY: Tourist Development 2nd ed. Manufacturing the Exotic Copenhagen: International Working Group for Indigenous Affairs, Focuses on its effects upon indigenous peoples. Towards the New Millennium NY: Sex Tourism in South Africa: A Case of Four Cities Potchefstroom: Travels in the Skin Trade: The Anthropology of Tourism 2nd ed. Tourism Issues of the 21st Century NY: The Challenge of Sustainability NY: Tourism in the Age of Globalization NY: Pennsylvania State U, Fiction In the Library: For Young Readers In the Library:

Chapter 4 : Tourism reassessed: blight or blessing?

The place of tourism in the global political economy is examined, analysing both how far it has shaped and its own role in shaping that system. Whether anything can be done if tourism continues an upward trajectory and whether there is a way of reconciling the divergent interests that now operate at all levels of the economic system are also considered.

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Tourism affects, making plans and administration is a special textual content, which hyperlinks those 3 the most important parts of tourism - affects, making plans and administration. Tourism affects are multi-faceted and hence are tricky to devise for and deal with.

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Tourism reassessed: blight or blessing The historic resonance is to be found, in the case of Brown, with the title of her book which borrows from Sir George Young's (then landmark) study of Tourism: Blessing or Blight.

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Includes bibliographical references (pages) and index A balanced assessment of the effects of tourism on 20th century life which evaluates its significance in international relations.

Chapter 8 : - Tourism Reassessed Blight or Blessing? by Frances Brown

Nature Reassessed How the Tourist Market is causing the Extinction of the Natural World Grand scale vs. smaller scale Appeal of the luxurious Human domination.

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They include developments which are likely to increase hostility among different social groups or contribute to a decline in tourism activity.