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### **Social Interactions and Networking in Cyber Society**

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Cultural heritage tourism is the fastest growing segment in tourism industry. Malacca was designated as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO on July 2008. This enables Malacca boost its cultural heritage tourism as one of the main industry in Malacca and Malaysia. This study is to identify the tourist satisfaction on the cultural heritage destination attributes and examine the differences in cultural heritage destinations attributes that tourists' select, based on tourists' demographic and travel behaviour characteristics. It also identified which cultural heritage destination attributes that satisfied tourists and which attributes need to be improve. Therefore, the study should help marketers, planners and local authorities to understand the satisfied and dissatisfied cultural heritage destination attributes of tourists, assist them to plan a good strategic to market cultural heritage tourism and maintain the cultural heritage site's sustainability.

Mobilities, Tourism and Travel Behavior CRC Press

This book contains selected papers presented at the 3rd International Seminar of Contemporary Research on Business and Management (ISCRBM 2019), which was organized by the Alliance of Indonesian Master of Management Program (APMMI) and held in Jakarta, Indonesia on 27-29th November 2019. It was hosted by the Master of Management Program Indonesia University and co-hosts Airlangga University, Sriwijaya University, Trunojoyo University of Madura, and Telkom University, and supported by Telkom Indonesia and Triputra. The seminar aimed to provide a forum for leading scholars, academics, researchers, and practitioners in business and management area to reflect on current issues, challenges and opportunities, and to share the latest innovative research and best practice. This seminar brought together participants to exchange ideas on the future development of management disciplines: human resources, marketing, operations, finance, strategic management and

entrepreneurship.

Older Tourist Behavior and Marketing Tools LAP Lambert

Academic Publishing

The Journal of Global Business and Management Research (GBMR) strives to comply with highest research standards and scientific/research/practice journals' qualities. Being international and inter-disciplinary in scope, GBMR seeks to provide a platform for debate among diverse academic and practitioner communities who address a broad area of business and management issues across the globe. This peer-reviewed journal is currently indexed in EBSCO and Gale.

Contemporary Research on Business and Management IGI Global  
Patient loyalty and its attributes are significant concerns for healthcare industries. Research has been done on this issue in numerous contexts but research in Malaysian healthcare industry is still scarce. This study investigated the relationship between service quality, hospital accreditation on customer satisfaction and customer loyalty. The research examined five factors of service quality: responsiveness, assurance, tangibility, empathy, reliability. This study utilized nonprobability convenient sampling from 20 private hospitals that promote medical tourism in Klang Valley, Malaysia. A total of 378 medical tourists participated in the survey. Statistical tests carried out include descriptive statistics, internal consistency, reliability and validity. Correlation analysis and PLS Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) was also conducted to determine the relationships of the variables. The main finding shows that there is a positive relationship between service quality and customer satisfaction, service quality and customer loyalty, hospital accreditation on customer satisfaction, and customer satisfaction on customer loyalty. However, hospital accreditation has no positive effect on patient loyalty. The findings of this study are useful to managers, board of directors and stakeholders of private hospitals to understand influential factors on patients' satisfaction and loyalty.

Technology Application in Tourism Fairs, Festivals and Events in Asia CABI

Routledge Handbook of the Tourist Experience offers a comprehensive synthesis of contemporary research on the tourist

experience. It draws together multidisciplinary perspectives from leading tourism scholars to explore emergent tourist behaviours and motivations. This handbook provides up-to-date, critical discussions of established and emergent themes and issues related to the tourist experience from a primarily socio-cultural perspective. It opens with a detailed introduction which lays down the framework used to examine the dynamic parameters of the tourist experience. Organised into five thematic sections, chapters seek to build and enhance knowledge and understanding of the significance and meaning of diverse elements of the tourist experience. Section 1 conceptualises and understands the tourist experience through an exploration of conventional themes such as tourism as authentic and spiritual experience, as well as emerging themes such as tourism as an embodied experience. Section 2 investigates the new, developing tourist demands and motivations, and a growing interest in the travel career. Section 3 considers the significance, motives, practices and experiences of different types of tourists and their roles such as the tourist as photographer. Section 4 discusses the relevance of 'place' to the tourist experience by exploring the relationship between tourism and place. The last section, Section 5, scrutinises the role of the tourist in creating their experiences through themes such as 'transformations in the tourist role' from passive receiver of experiences to co-creator of experiences, and 'external mediators in creating tourist experiences'. This handbook is the first to fill a notable gap in the tourism literature and collate within a single volume critical insights into the diverse elements of the tourist experience today. It will be of key interest to academics and students across the fields of tourism, hospitality management, geography, marketing and consumer behaviour.

A New Perspective Springer Nature

It is an unconditional reality that the tourism industry in Asia is becoming exposed to innovative technologies more than ever before. This book reports the latest research in the application of innovative technology to the tourism industry, covering the perspectives, innovativeness, theories, issues, complexities, opportunities and challenges affecting tourism in Asia. A blend of comprehensive and extensive efforts by the contributors and

editors, it is designed especially to cover technology applications in tourism fairs, festivals and events in Asia. The application and practice of technologies in tourism, including the relevant niches of fairs, festivals and events are also covered, with a focus on the importance of technology in tourism. This book highlights, in a comprehensive manner, technologies that are impacting the tourism industry in Asia, as well as the constraints it is facing. It deals with distinct topics, such as tourism promotion, technology-driven sustainable tourism development, social media, accessibility and so on to cover fairs, festivals and events. This book is a significant contribution towards the very limited knowledge in this identified research area, with examples from selected Asian countries. This book is designed to accommodate both qualitative and quantitative research linking theory and practice. This book has a clear focus on outlining the research issues. Each chapter of the book highlights a methodology that was used, with rationale for its use. This book addresses a number of revisions that unify the theme or framework to integrate the chapters.

**A Case Study of the National Botanical Garden, Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia** Penerbit UMK

This book provides an in-depth analysis of the older-tourist market, and of the challenges and opportunities created by population ageing from a tourism marketing perspective, by combining a demand-side and a supply-side approach to older tourists. The book is divided into three parts, the first of which defines older tourists and presents a critical review of segmentation approaches. The second part then focuses on the behavior of older tourists in terms of the travel planning process, the use of information and communication technologies for travel purposes, and accommodation choices. The final part analyzes the marketing strategies and operative practices of three tourism companies that focus on the older-adult market. Practical implications for tourism suppliers willing to target older tourists are derived. The book is intended primarily for academics, researchers, and professionals in the tourism and hospitality industry. In addition, it will be useful for students attending advanced tourism and hospitality courses.

**Tourism in Bangladesh: Investment and Development Perspectives** Varna University of Management

This book discusses the interactions between societies and

examines how people behave in the cyber world. It highlights the effects of the Internet on individuals' psychological well-being, the formation and maintenance of personal relationships, group memberships, social identity, the workplace, the pedagogy of learning and community involvement. The book also explores in-depth the unique qualities of Internet technologies and how these have encouraged people to interact across communities. It is a valuable resource for academics, practitioners and policy makers who want to understand the capabilities of Internet technologies and their impacts on people's lives.

**Volume 12, Year: 2016** Routledge

Agro-tourism is one of the important sectors that contributes to the development of tourism in Malaysia. In this context, the Ministry of Agriculture and Agro-based Industries has embarked on a number of agro-tourism projects which include the National Botanical Garden in Bukit Cerakah, Selangor, Malaysia, considered to be an iconic agro-tourism project in Malaysia. The study examines the visitors' satisfaction on the state of tourist products, activities and provision of facilities. As part of the research methodology, this study employed a number of methods that included a questionnaire survey and site observations. A total number of 120 respondents were involved in this questionnaire survey. The findings indicate that the park is in dire conditions where evidence of vandalism, lack of maintenance and lack of tourist activities can be seen clearly. As part of the strategies to further enhance the iconic status of the National Botanical Park, Malaysia, it is recommended that the responsible authorities under the Ministry of Agriculture and Agro-based Industries undertake a number of efforts such as increase safety and security facilities, provide more activities and improve park maintenance.

*Tourist Satisfaction Factors of Casual Dining Restaurants in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia* IGI Global

This title includes a number of Open Access chapters. Tourism has become a key global economic activity as expectations with regard to our use of leisure time have evolved, attributing greater meaning to our free time. Tourism is one of the world's largest industries, and in many regions it is the single largest source of investment and employment. This new book provides a look at many important issues in the field of tourism and hospitality, including understanding tourist preference, satisfaction, and

motivation; tourism and hospitality education; rural tourism and its impact on local residents; the increasing popularity of cultural and heritage tourism; strategies for sustainable tourism; and more.

**Handbook of Research on Global Hospitality and Tourism Management** Routledge

Islamic tourism is not purely motivated by religion; it also includes participants pursuing similar leisure experiences to non-Muslims, within the parameters set by Islam. Destinations are therefore not necessarily locations where Shari'a or full Islamic law is enforced. Demand for Islamic tourism destinations is increasing as the Muslim population expands, with the market forecast to be worth around US\$238 billion. This book explores the ever-widening gap between the religious, tourism, management and education sectors. It provides practical applications, models and illustrations of religious tourism and pilgrimage management from a variety of international perspectives, and introduces theories and models in an accessible structure. The book: - Includes a range of contemporary case studies of religious and pilgrimage activities. - Covers ancient, sacred and emerging tourist destinations. - Reviews new forms of pilgrimage, faith systems and quasi-religious activities. This book offers an engaging assessment of the linkages and interconnections between Muslim consumers and the places they visit. It provides an important analysis for researchers of religious tourism, pilgrimage and related subjects. *Accreditation, Service Quality, Satisfaction and Loyalty* CRC Press

The tourism industry is a multi-billion dollar enterprise, with more people from all cultures and nationalities choosing to spend their leisure time traveling and visiting new locations. To exploit this burgeoning market, tourism agencies must carefully consider the desires and goals of travelers from around the world. The Handbook of Research on Global Hospitality and Tourism Management contributes to the body of knowledge on travel and tourism by presenting a global view of the hospitality industry, including theoretical research into industry trends as well as case studies from around the world. This handbook provides travel agents, owner-operators, and students and researchers in the hospitality industry with the latest research, findings, and developments in the field. Within this handbook of cutting-edge research, readers will find chapters and cases on topics such as travel and tourism in a global economy; local, glocal, and

international hospitality; challenges in environmental management; cultural cuisine; and destination management, among others.

*Tourists' Perceptions of Malaysia as a Travel Destination and Their Satisfaction* CRC Press

Vietnam has experienced rapid growth within its tourism industry during the past decades. This growth is part of Vietnam's opening economy allowing a wide range of forms of tourism. Vietnam Tourism: Policies and Practices provides a comprehensive review of tourism development in Vietnam. Part I outlines the history of tourism, the role and involvement of public and private sectors in governance and planning, and the markets for tourism. Part II offers analysis and assessment of various types of tourism in Vietnam, including marine and island, eco, heritage, dark and community-based tourism. Part III centres on current operational issues of tourism, hotels and events. Written by scholars with extensive research experience on tourism in Vietnam this book is a reliable source of reference for students, researchers and industry practitioners who are interested modern tourism specifically in Vietnam and Southeast Asia.

**Tourist Satisfaction with Cultural Heritage Site** CRC Press Globally the hospitality and tourism industry is evolving and undergoing radical changes. The past practices are now advancing through the rapid development of knowledge and skills acquired to adapt and create innovations in various ways. Hence, it is imperative that we have an understanding of the present issues so that we are able to remedy probl

**Asian Tourism Sustainability** Exploring Critical Factors for Tourist Satisfaction An Empirical Investigation on Malaysia as an Islamic Tourist Destination This research is intent to identify the factors that are influencing tourist satisfaction in Islamic tourist destination in Malaysia. Data were collected through distributing self-structured questionnaire among the Muslim tourists in significant Islamic tourist destinations in Malaysia. This research proposed a conceptual framework to examine the relationship among religious motivation, destination selection, destination image, perceived value, service quality on tourist satisfaction. Factor Analysis was used to test the factorial validity of constructs and Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) was used to test the goodness of the proposed hypothesized model. The empirical results of this research provide justifiable evidence that the

proposed conceptual framework of tourist satisfaction is acceptable. The findings of this research indicated that Malaysian Islamic destination has acceptance to the Muslim tourists all around the world. The results depict that religious motivation, destination image, service quality are the important antecedents to tourist satisfaction in Islamic tourist destination. Interestingly the result shows that perceived value is negatively related with tourist satisfaction. In addition religious motivation is not significantly related with destination selection as well as destination selection is not significantly related with destination image. The findings of this research are valuable asset for travel and tour business companies and tourism Malaysia. Academician, researchers, tourism policy makers can also benefit from this research and its findings. *Tourist Satisfaction Factors of Casual Dining Restaurants in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia* Examining the Gap Between Tourists', Expectations and Perceptions Analysing the Choice of Malaysia as a Long-haul Tourist Destination Modelling Destination Image, Tourist's Satisfaction and Destination Loyalty A Case of Malaysia Malaysia Healthcare Tourism Accreditation, Service Quality, Satisfaction and Loyalty

Destination branding and marketing form the backbone of tourism industry growth, but it is increasingly important that the strategies employed consider and promote sustainable solutions. This book provides a comprehensive set of tools and techniques for branding and marketing for sustainable tourism development. It blends tourism and marketing strategies with practical, innovative information technology solutions and a psychological perspective, providing illustrative case studies and examples to aid understanding. Addressing opportunities and challenges across the field, it also reviews how different types of tourism such as community based, accessible, film, agricultural and cultural-heritage tourism entail unique issues for development. *Exploring Critical Factors for Tourist Satisfaction* BoD - Books on Demand

The GCBME Book Series aims to promote the quality and methodical reach of the Global Conference on Business Management & Entrepreneurship, which is intended as a high-quality scientific contribution to the science of business management and entrepreneurship. The Contributions are the main reference articles on the topic of each book and have been subject to a strict peer review process conducted by experts in

the fields. The conference provided opportunities for the delegates to exchange new ideas and implementation of experiences, to establish business or research connections and to find Global Partners for future collaboration. The conference and resulting volume in the book series is expected to be held and appear annually. The year 2019 theme of book and conference is "Creating Innovative and Sustainable Value-added Businesses in the Disruption Era". The ultimate goal of GCBME is to provide a medium forum for educators, researchers, scholars, managers, graduate students and professional business persons from the diverse cultural backgrounds, to present and discuss their researches, knowledge and innovation within the fields of business, management and entrepreneurship. The GCBME conferences cover major thematic groups, yet opens to other relevant topics: Organizational Behavior, Innovation, Marketing Management, Financial Management and Accounting, Strategic Management, Entrepreneurship and Green Business. *Proceedings of the 4th International Seminar on Tourism (ISOT 2020), November 4-5, 2020, Bandung, Indonesia* Partridge Publishing Singapore

This book brings together a collection of chapters that investigate sustainable tourism development in different Asian contexts; from stakeholders' perspectives, existing issues in the market, as well as the impacts of COVID-19 on tourism. It highlights the importance of tourism sustainability in Asia. Specifically, this book examines these themes by examples related to Asian tourism such as; social-cultural impact of sustainable growth, environmental constraints and policies, community engagement, moral limits of the market, stakeholders' participation in tourism development, the hindered interaction between foreign tourists and local community, impact of the pandemic and proposed ways forward. This edited volume substantiates this by using evidence of quantitative, qualitative and mixed methods approaches aligned with empirical data to show sustainable efforts and impacts. This book is of interest to researchers and practitioners as it offers timely understandings of sustainable tourism from multiple perspectives within the Asian context.

*A Case Study of Malacca* Springer

Lampung's image is very important to attract travelers to visit it. Though facilities are less, it is expected that other attractions possessed by Lampung may interest the travelers. Quality is what

is perceived by travelers based on their experiences while exploring Lampung. A good image is believed to interest travelers to enter and experience Lampung. Together, image and perceived quality are believed to increase certain satisfaction towards the travelers. Hence, only satisfied travelers are willing to revisit Lampung in the future and even recommend it to other travelers or post it on their social media. In return, it will increase the popular image of Lampung for new travelers. As expected, this study found that destination image has a significant influence on destination perceived quality, destination image has a significant influence on tourist satisfaction, destination perceived quality has a significant influence on tourist satisfaction, and satisfaction has a significant influence on revisit intention.

**Advances in Business, Management and Entrepreneurship**  
Springer

Tourism is one of the world's largest industries and one of its fastest growing economic sectors helping to generate income and employment for local people. At the same time, it has many

negative outsourced effects on the environment and local culture. Achieving a more sustainable pattern of tourism development is high on the global agenda aiming to meet human needs while preserving the environment now and for the future. The Economics of Sustainable Tourism aims to critically explore how tourism economic development can move closer to a sustainable ideal from a firm economic analytic anchor. Grounded in economic theory and application it analyzes tourist's satisfaction and impacts of tourism on the host community, investigates the productivity of the industry and identify factors which could increase economic and sustainable development such as trade relationships. It offers further insight into how destinations sustainability can be measured, economic benefits of a more sustainable destination and sets the agenda for future research. The book includes a range of theoretical and empirical perspectives and includes cutting edge research from international scholars. This significant volume provides a new perspective on the sustainable tourism debate and will be a valuable read for students, researchers, academics of Tourism

and Economics.

*KEER 2018, 19-22 March 2018, Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia*  
Springer Nature

The notion of "mobilities," when looked at from a practical point of view, turns out to cover different kinds of human activity. It is not surprising, then, that when approached from an academic perspective, it reveals enormous potential for interdisciplinary research, which has proven extremely attractive to many scholars from different continents, disciplines, and schools of academic inquiry. The scholars in this volume focus on the specific aspects of mobilities, namely, tourism and travel behavior, but approach them from a plethora of positions. Such a myriad of perspectives is bound to be challenging in methodological terms, but it seems there is a growing agreement as to the worthiness of this interdisciplinary research. By means of combining various approaches, researchers obtain access to a fascinating and increasingly ubiquitous phenomenon of contemporary human mobility.

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