
EDITORIAL

Rural community tourism (RCT) represents a kind of tourism based in a rural community where the local population takes control over the process and major benefits. For tourists, it focuses on actively participating in a rural lifestyle. For destinations, it contributes to the socioeconomic and sustainable development of the country.

Nelly Condori-Fernandez from Peru and his colleagues researched to develop an Intelligent Platform (IP) that meets the needs of the different stakeholders of the RCT. Chunxiang Zhang from Shihezi University defines the conception of the tourism resource on stationing and reclamation culture centering on the seedbed of Han culture Barkol, classifies the stationing and reclamation culture resource and analyzes its characteristics. We collect other detailed cases involving Chinese rural tourism such as Shangluo and rural tourism in Fujian Province. Many thanks to all authors for publishing in our journal.

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