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Call for Papers for a Special Issue on Sustainable tourism Deadline for submission: 31 August 2012

Natural Resources Forum, a United Nations Sustainable Development Journal, a quarterly journal issued by the Division for Sustainable Development of the United Nations, calls for papers for a **special issue on sustainable tourism, to be published in 2013**.

Articles submitted for this special section should be relevant to policymaking, and should address tourism from a sustainable development perspective, i.e. treating economic, social, and environmental aspects in an integrated way. Angles of interest can include:

- Implications of global or regional trends in tourism for sustainable development and poverty eradication in developing countries, including small islands (including "environmentally-friendly" forms of tourism)
- Analysis of the sector's structure and implications for the sharing of benefits from tourism across developed and developing countries, as well as within receiving countries
- Integrated assessments of tourism development at the regional or national level
- Economic, environmental and social impacts of the tourism sector at the national level
 - Assessment of national policies, regulations and incentives for sustainable tourism: how successful have they been?
 - Links between tourism and other economic sectors: how are conflicts, synergies managed, and what is the impact on long-term development perspectives in receiving countries?
 - Sub-sector focuses (e.g. eco-tourism, nature-related tourism), implementation challenges for developing countries (institutional capacity, stakeholders' involvement, sustainability of the industry)
- Trends and innovation in tourism: what implications for sustainability
- Case studies on sustainable tourism at the local or national level

Articles should contain original material and should be between 6,000 and 8,000 words in length.

Contributions to the journal are accepted at the NRFs manuscript submission site at <u>http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/nrf.</u>

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