



Third International Seminar "Tourism and Spatial Planning"

***Waterworlds:  
Tourism development, conflicts and planning***

11-12th of November, 2010  
Lisbon, Portugal



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1st Call

**Seminar Announcement and Call for Papers**

TERRiTUR – Tourism, Culture and Space Research Group - invite you to participate in TPT.10, the III International Seminar on Tourism and Spatial Planning, which will be held at IGOT - Institute of Geography and Spatial Planning, University of Lisbon / Portugal, on the 11-12<sup>th</sup> of November 2010.

Call for Papers is now open. Authors can submit either extended abstracts or full papers until 30<sup>th</sup> of July, 2010. If accepted, they will be included in the Conference Programme (for oral presentation) and in the Conference Proceedings (digital form). Outstanding full papers will be considered for publication in a CEG book on "*Water and Tourism: resources management, planning and sustainability*", to be released during the Conference. For further instructions on how to submit extended abstracts or full papers please read the attached guidelines for authors.

**Seminar Theme and Scope**

Tourism and water are critical themes of the current economic and geopolitical agenda, notably because of foreseen conflicts emerging from availability of water for human needs and its management, in which tourism can have an important role in contributing to the world peace. Both tourism and water can be considered as important "assets" for economic and regional development.

A key issue, both for tourism activity and water management, refers to the need for an effective and sustainable management of these "assets". There are many points of interaction and convergence between tourism and water use, in which water can be either the stage or the background for tourist activities. Additionally, water as a consumption good, has its value closely dependent on the action exerted by all tourism actors: hosts and tourists, enterprises and organisations, regions and destinations.

The III International Seminar on Tourism and Spatial Planning (TPT.10) explores the topic “**Waterworlds: tourism development, conflicts and sustainability**”, focusing on the interplay between tourism and water issues, reflections on policies and practices, realities and utopias. Some themes on which papers are invited include the following:

- Water management in tourism destinations;
- Tourism management in water spaces;
- Tourism practices in water environments;
- Water as a resource for tourism development;
- Water scarcity as an issue for tourism development
- Tourism planning and policies in wetlands;
- Waterfront redevelopment;
- Water cultural heritage and new business opportunities;
- Utopian views of water tourism

### **Registration**

Registration form and procedures will soon be available at <http://www.ceg.ul.pt>

### **Conference Publications**

All accepted papers will be available online at the Research Group website. Outstanding papers will be proposed for publication in a book TERRiTUR is organising to be published soon before the Seminar.

### **Deadlines**

Extended Abstract or Full Papers submission: 30<sup>th</sup> of July, 2010

Acceptance notification: 30<sup>st</sup> of August, 2010

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