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12th INTERNATIONAL TOURISM CONFERENCE

GASTRONOMY TOURISM PROMOTING A LONG-TERM SUSTAINABILITY

Barcelona, 25 & 26 June 2025

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The 12th INTERNATIONAL TOURISM CONFERENCE will put the spotlight on the intrinsic potential of the linkages between tourism, gastronomy, and local food producers, highlighting the pivotal role that tourism can play in promoting wellbeing for local communities, supporting rural socioeconomic environments and disseminating and implementing principles of sustainability and ethical responsibility among tourist industry, local authorities and tourism consumers in general.

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) defined in the 2030 Agenda are being driven by the European Commission through the promotion of Circular Economy. This renewed paradigm constitutes an opportunity and a framework in which to adopt, implement and develop the set of precise actions and measures to overcome the challenges that our global society faces today in front the technological revolution, the environmental degradation and the socioeconomic inequalities.

Therefore, there is a need for adequate training for the tourism industry aimed at improving its operational efficiency and at disseminating and implementing effective circular economy actions and sustainable practices among tourism agents and markets. Likewise, it is necessary to encourage the effective use of digital platforms and social networks to improve the visibility of the circular practices of tourism companies, thus contributing to promoting long-term sustainable environmental and socio-economic development.

The aim of the 12th INTERNATIONAL TOURISM CONFERENCE is to develop research, knowledge sharing, networking and collaboration between academia, business and administration to deepen knowledge of the relationship between gastronomic tourism, the diversity of local producers and the challenges and opportunities arising from this synergy while promoting responsible tourism and sustainable practices at a time when new technologies are reshaping markets and, in particular, the sector tourist around the world.

CALL OF PAPERS AND DEADLINES

Call for abstracts	14th November 2024
Submission deadline for abstracts	4th April 2025
Confirmation of abstracts acceptance	24th April 2025
Submission deadline for full papers	23rd June 2025



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The purpose of the conference is to promote an integrated vision and methodology, emerging from the complementary scientific backgrounds of the participants as an essential preliminary step for the creation of a forum for the exchange of research results and experience. The methodological inputs will constitute a valuable research output and training material for the field of gastronomic tourism management.

Therefore, the Scientific Committee encourages broad participation and the production of useful contributions to inspire debates and assessments on the state of research in the field of gastronomy tourism management on the following topics:

Human Capital in the Gastronomy Tourism Sector & Reduction of Food Waste
Gastronomy Tourism Companies Management & Local Food Producers
International Educational Strategies for Sustainable Tourism Management
Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME) & Corporate Social Responsibility

Innovation and Digitalization in Gastronomy Tourism Management
Circular Economy Models Development in Gastronomy Tourism Management
Sustainable Agriculture and Gastronomy Tourism Products and Services Management
New Models of Gastronomy Tourism Based on Tangible & Intangible Culture Creativity

Women and Youth Empowerment for Management of Gastronomy Tourist Destinations
Enhancing Integration and Cooperation & Preserving Culinary Traditions
Gender Equality in Tourism Organizations Empowerment & Access to Decision-Making
Management in Enterprises for Women and Youth Empowerment

Biodiversity Conservation and Circularity of the Gastronomy Tourism Sector
Gastronomy Tourism, Health Care, Food, Education and Technology Industries
Improving Data Analysis to Integrate Environmental and Sustainability Criteria
Communicating the Need for Preserving Cultural Identity & Authentic Experiences

Policy, Governance and Investment for Sustainable Gastronomy Tourism
Training and Technological Capacity for Reducing Carbon Footprints
Managing 2030 Agenda Policy in Tourism Destinations
Governance Analytical Framework for Sustainable Tourism Development

Abstracts and Full Papers must be sent to: josepboyra@formaticbarcelona.com



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