



Post Graduate Diploma in Tourism and Environmental Law
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Total Marks: 50

The word limits and marks allocated to each question are mentioned after the question

Course 3: Tourism and the Environment

Assignment 3

Question 1:

Climate change is increasing the frequency and intensity of disasters. What impact do disasters have on tourism? Using case studies, suggest adaptation measures that may be undertaken by the tourism industry to combat climate change.

(15 marks, 1000-1200 words)

Question 2:

Community based tourism is a unique form of tourism that allows indigenous, poor and economically backward communities to earn a living through having the tourists visit them at their homes, localities or other preserved indigenous areas. It is often lauded for its inclusive approach of community-building and ensuring a livelihood for the disadvantaged. However, some of the challenges of Community based tourism projects are the excessive need for external financial help through donations, lack of adequate marketing/ advertisement, limited accessibility in some domains and the current lack of involvement in such tourism projects.

Comment on the above and explain your answer through case studies.

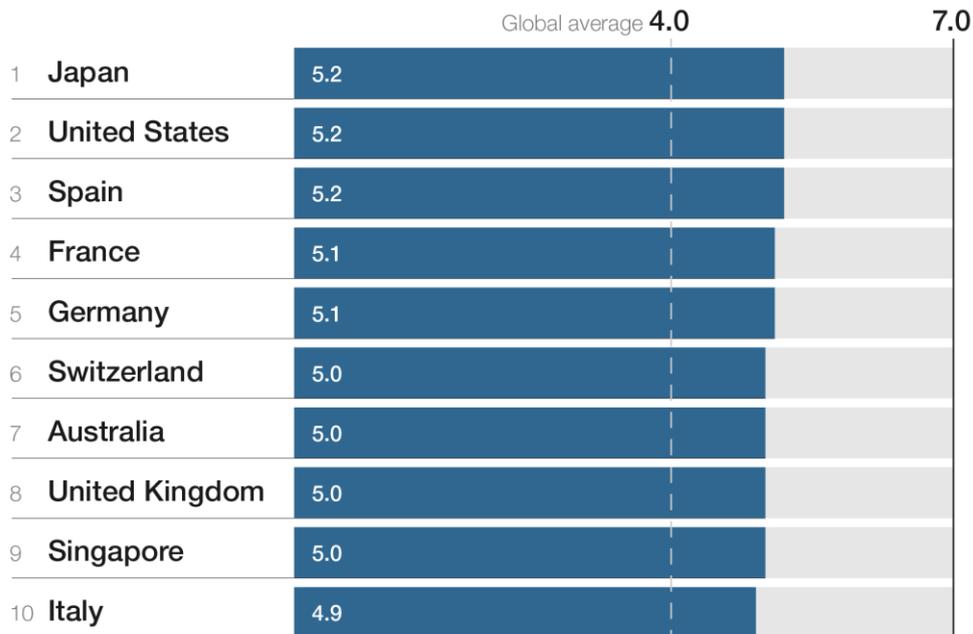
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Question 3:

Travel & Tourism Development Index 2021



Top 10 economies enabling Travel and Tourism development



Source: World Economic Forum

Note: The Travel & Tourism Development Index benchmarks and measures “the set of factors and policies that enable the sustainable and resilient development of the Travel and Tourism (T&T) sector, which in turn contributes to the development of a country”.

In May 2022, the World Economic Forum has released the Travel and Tourism Development Index 2021, which measures “the set of factors and policies that enable the sustainable and resilient development of the T&T sector, which in turn contributes to the development of a country.”

India ranks 54th as per the index. The aftermath of the pandemic and the recent Ukraine Russia war has put the world in a crisis condition.

Discuss ways on how the Indian economy can rebuild sustainable and resilient future for tourism industry. Also, examine the challenges which the tourism industry would have to encounter to put the economy on the recovery track. Are there any developments in the regulatory framework to ensure that tourism industry can be rebuild in a sustainable and resilient manner.

(20 marks, 1500-2000 words)