

Call for Papers

Tourism in Marine Environments *Special Issue: “Cruise Tourism”*

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Tourism in Marine Environments (TIME) is a refereed, interdisciplinary journal that provides a forum for tourism topics specifically related to tourism management issues in marine settings. This Special Issue will provide research that focuses upon Cruise Tourism. Such a Special Issue is especially poignant given the exponential growth of the cruise industry, its expansion into new markets around the world, and the interface between cruise ships and ports, and between the cruise industry and its supply chain.

The Special Issue will be the second academic journal devoted to research on cruise tourism and is being undertaken in association with the Cruise Research Society. Papers may focus on any topic related to cruise tourism, including, but not limited to, issues related to: onboard life, cruise marketing, port development and port relations, sustainability & safety issues, labour issues, cruise tourism economics, cruise-related training & education and any other area related to the broad area of cruise tourism and the cruise industry.

Submissions based on empirical research will be favoured over descriptive or review papers, but submissions on any cruise tourism related topics are welcome.

Submission, Format and Timeline

- Interested authors should submit abstracts (200-300 words) by April 1, 2014. Abstracts should be submitted by email to Ross Klein and to Alexis Papathanassis. These submissions should be sent as attachments in MS Word Format. They may be sent to time@cruiseresearchsociety.com.
- Authors will be notified no later than May 1, 2014 whether their proposed article is suitable for the Special Issue.
- Full articles (approximately 5,000 – 7,000 words) have to be submitted by August 15, 2014, and should follow the format guidelines provided on the TIME website: <https://www.cognizantcommunication.com/journal-titles/tourism-in-marine-environments>
- Research notes and discussion papers (approximately 2,500 words) will also be considered and also have to be submitted by August 15, 2014
- Full articles should be submitted by email to Ross Klein and to Alexis Papathanassis. These submissions should be sent as attachments in MS Word Format with any graphics (figures, photographs) in .tiff or jpeg format. Please send your submissions to the following email: time@cruiseresearchsociety.com
- Articles will undergo blind review by at least two reviewers. Please note that abstract acceptance does not guarantee publication.
- Articles will be returned to the corresponding author no later than September 15, 2014, and if changes should be required, the absolute deadline for revised articles will be October 15, 2014.
- The anticipated date for publication of the Special Issue is early-2015 - Volume 10 (3/4).