CULTURAL TOURISM

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Cultural Elements



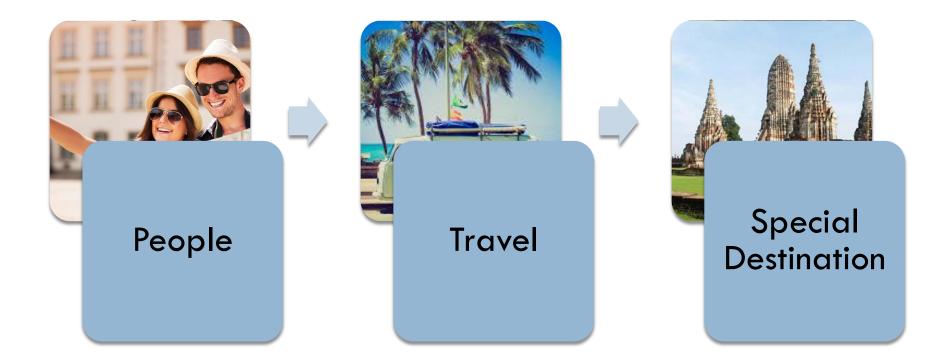
Tourist



Community



Destination



Cultural Tourism Niche Activity

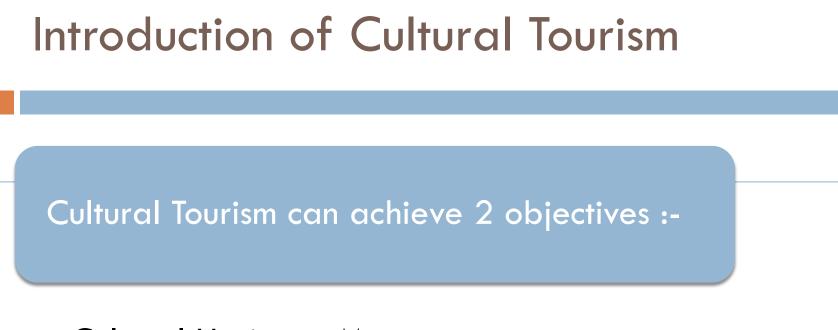
Small Number of Tourists

Better Educated

Protect and Conserve the cultural and heritage assets

Defining Cultural Tourism

- Positive sides
 - Increased a powerful and economic to expand conservation activities
- Negative sides
 - Increased visitation, overuse, inappropriate use, etc.



- Cultural Heritage Management
 - learning about conversation and of cultural heritage assets
- Tourism Management
 - market appeal, commercial viability of products

Defining Cultural Tourism

- □ Four Broad Categories :-
 - Tourism-Derived Definitions
 - Motivational Definitions
 - Experiential or Aspirational Definitions
 - Operational Definitions

Tourism-Derived Definitions

(McIntosh and Goeldner 1990; Zeppel 1992; Ap 1999)

- Special Interest Tourism
- Cultural Form (attraction/destination)
- Attracting the tourists/motivating people to travel

Tourism-Derived Definitions

Zappel and Hall 1999

- People
- Places
- Cultural Heritage

Tourism-Derived Definitions

Richards 1996c

- Tourism-Derived Definitions
- The temporary movement of people

Goodrich 1997

- Business Perspective Conception
- Development and Marketing of various sites or attractions for foreign and domestic tourists

Motivational Definitions

World Tourism Organization (WTO)

- Movements of person essentially for cultural motivations
- Study Tours, Performing arts ad cultural tours, festivals, etc

Experiential or Aspirational Definitions

- Experiential activity + Aspirational elements
- Experiencing or having a contract of differing intensity with the unique social social heritage and special character of the places

Experiential or Aspirational Definitions

- To become educated and entertained tourists
- To learn about the community
- To learn about the significance of a place with the local community, its heritage, natural or cultural landscape (cultural based tourism)

Operational Definitions

- The participation in any one of an almost limitless array of activities or experience
- Cultural tourism includes visits to ... (cultural tourist with cultural activity)









Historical Tourism

Ethnic Tourism

Arts Tourism

Museum Tourism

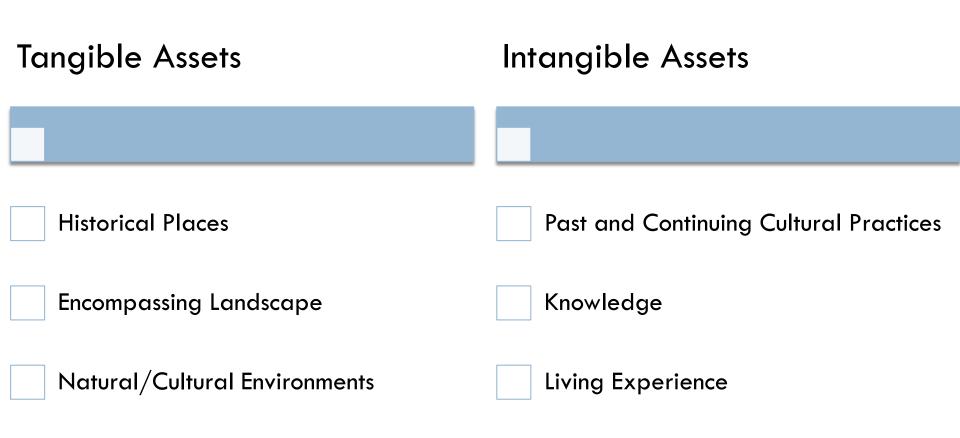
Conceptualizing Cultural Tourism – A Thematic Approach

- Interrelationships between 4 elements of Cultural Tourism
 - Tourism
 - Use of Cultural Heritage Assets
 - Consumption of Experiences and Products
 - The Tourist

Tourism

- Cultural Tourism is a form of Tourism based on sounds, Commercial Tourism Reasons (first), Cultural Heritage Management Reasons (second)
- Tourism Activity, it will attract the tourists, who know little about the significance of the assets being visited
- Successful Cultural Tourism Products must be shaped with this type of visitor in mind

The Use of Cultural Heritage Assets

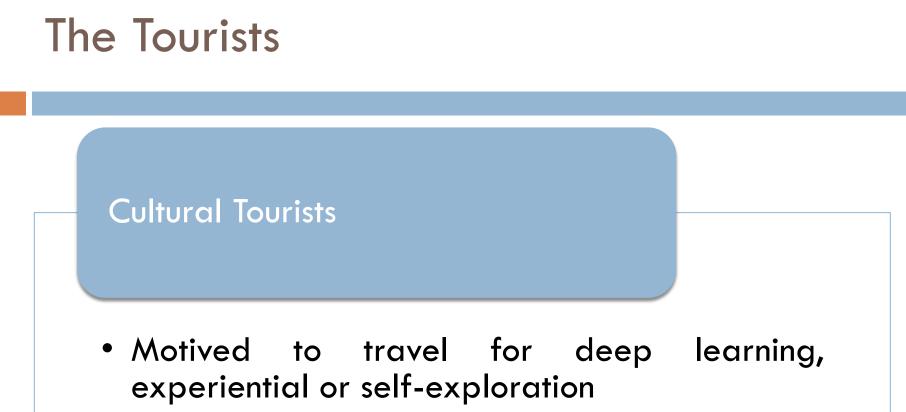


The Use of Cultural Heritage Assets

- To identify and conserve the extrinsic values or significance to a community
- The value assets group such as user groups, tourists, traditional owner, and other local residents, How?

Consumption of Experience and Products

- Cultural Tourists want to consume a variety of cultural experience
- Cultural heritage assets must be transformed to cultural tourism products
- A cultural or heritage Assets represents the uncommodified that is identified for its intrinsic values as well as represents as asset that has been transformed or commodified specifically for tourism consumption



- To travel exclusively for cultural tourism reasons
- Type of tourists and destinations
- The tourists information and their expectation

The Key Issue: Linking Cultural Heritage Management and Tourism Management

- The balance between Tourism and Cultural Heritage Management between :-
 - The consumption of extrinsic values by tourists and
 - Conservation of the extrinsic values by cultural heritage managers
- Integration and partnerships can be achieved only if each side develops a stronger understanding of how the other views the assets, values them, and seeks to use them

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□ The conservation sector, consists of :-



Local Residents



Tourists



Government



Tourism Industry

ANY QUESTIONS?

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