

## CO-CREATING THE FUTURE OF TOURISM

Call for submissions on

### FISHERIES AND TOURISM

Thematic session at the INVTUR 2017 Conference

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In order to complement the regular program with emerging topics in tourism research, the INVTUR 2017 conference on “Co-creating the Future of Tourism” will include a thematic session on “Fisheries and tourism”.

INVTUR 2017 aims to stimulate discussion and to introduce new approaches to explore emerging paradigms of value and knowledge co-creation in the marketplace that will lay the foundations for a new tourism ecosystem. This session addresses the conference aims by promoting fishing heritage and small coastal communities, promoting the importance of fishing and leisure activities connected to fisheries (both commercial and recreational), investigating tools to promote fishing products.

The thematic session seeks submissions, in English, that attempt to address the following key issues, including (but not limited to) the following themes:

- Recreational fisheries (spearfishing, angling, boat fishing);
- Valorization of fishing heritage through tourism;
- PescaTurismo;
- Valorization of fishing products in coastal fishing communities and added value in gastronomy.

Extended abstracts (up to 6,000 characters), full papers or posters should be submitted electronically by October, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 to Cristina Pita ([c.pita@ua.pt](mailto:c.pita@ua.pt)). Papers presented at the session will be considered for publication in a special issue of the Journal of Tourism and Development published by the University of Aveiro. For further information regarding submission guidelines, conference fees and program, accommodation, how to get to the conference venue, and registration forms, please visit the INVTUR 2017 conference website: <http://www.ua.pt/invtur/>.



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