

FAKULTI PENGURUSAN DAN INDUSTRI HALAL

PROGRAM	Diploma in Tourism Management
COURSE NAME	TOURISM GEOGRAPHY
COURSE CODE	DTT 4013
CREDIT HOUR	3
SYNOPSIS	Tourism Geography exposes the students to the basic components of geography in relation with tourism destinations such as geographical physical features, attractions, transportation, climatic variations, study of maps and the importance of geography in tourism.
COURSE STRUCTU	RE
CHAPTER	TOPICS
1	Tourism Geography Overview
	1.1 Geography from tourism perspective.
	1.2 Geographical components of tourism system
	1.3 Push and pull factors
	1.4 Carrying capacity.
	1.5 Tourist flows and carrying capacity measuring methods.
2	Tourism Natural Resource
	2.1 Natural resources, physical attractions, latitude and climate for tourism.2.2 Natural resources characteristics
	2.3 Physical attractions
	2.4 Significance of latitude
	2.5 Major climatic and factors
	2.6 Favoring for tourism development
3	The Elements of Transport for Tourism
	3.1 Tourism and transport connection
	3.2 Transport physical elements, costs relationship with tourism
	3.3 The role of transport modes (air, sea, rail, bus, coach, taxi, private car, car rental)
	in tourism
	3.4 Travel routes and networks.
	3.5 Features of tourist transport modes
	3.6 The transport product from a tourism viewpoint,
	3.7 Transport contributions to tourism.
	3.8 Malaysian transportation services.
	3.9 Interpretive information on all available transportation services in Malaysia -

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road, air, maritime and rail.
The Geography of Transport for Tourism
4.1 Concept of geography of transport for tourism,
4.2 Greenwich meridian
4.3 Time zones
4.4 International Date Line.
4.5 Major travelling routes.
4.6 Environmental problems arising from tourism transport demand.
Geographical attractions in major tourist destinations
5.1 Physical, climate, economy, demand for tourism, features of tourism attractions in
5.1.1 South East Asia
5.1.2 Europe
5.1.3 Middle East
5.1.4 Australasia
5.1.5 East Asia
5.1.6 South Asia
5.1.7 North America
5.1.8 South America
Boniface, Brian, Cooper, Robyn, Cooper, Chris "Worldwide Destinations: The Geography of Travel and Tourism" (2020)