







# Asia-Pacific Tourism Marketing Evaluation Workshop in Changshu, China

Changshu, China, 6-8 July 2017

# **Preliminary Programme**

# 5 July, Wednesday

09:30 – 18:00 Registration (Changshu International Hotel)

18:00 – 20:00 Buffet Dinner (Changshu International Hotel)

# **6 July, Thursday** (Changshu International Hotel)

#### 09:00 – 09:30 Opening Ceremony (meeting room tbc) – simultaneous interpretation En-Ch

- Welcome remarks by Mr. Xu Jing, Executive Secretary and Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific, UNWTO
- Welcome remarks by Prof. Bao Jigang, Dean, School Of Tourism Management, Sun Yat-Sen University and Director, Monitoring Centre for UNWTO Sustainable Tourism Observatories
- Congratulatory remarks by Mr. Fang Yan, Deputy Director, Marketing and International Cooperation Department, CNTA
- Congratulatory remarks by the Representative of Jiangsu Province / Changshu Municipality (tbc)

#### 09:30 - 09:45 Coffee break

# **09:45 – 10:30 Setting the Scene ( presented** by Mr. Jon Munro, UNWTO Consultant )

- Background of the Workshop
- Destination branding and marketing
- > Trends, disruption in the market place and the changing consumer
- Key challenges facing destination marketing
- Strategy, planning and the relationship to evaluation and measurement

#### 10:30 – 12:30 Session 1:

> Introduction: General information of marketing evaluation

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Setting objectives, discussing key challenges and introducing contemporary marketing evaluation within the context of marketing strategy, destination competitiveness and destination performance (1reference material, chapter 1, 2 and 3)

# Sharing the practices from the anticipated countries

- Mr. Mohammad Ramin Ateeqzada, Director of Tourism Marketing, Development and Researching MoIC, Afghanistan
- ✓ Mr. Damcho Rinzin, Senior Marketing Officer, Tourism Council of Bhutan, Bhutan
- ✓ Mr. Hlaing OO, Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Hotels & Tourism, Myanmar
- ✓ Ms. Prompeth Lertratanapreecha, Deputy Director, TAT, Shanghai Office, Thailand
- ✓ Mr. Aamir Rahim Raja, Tourism Officer, HR & Administration, PTDC, Pakistan
- ✓ Zhangjiajie
- > Discussion and Conclusion

# 12:30 – 14:00 Lunch (Banquet Hall tbc)

#### 14:00 - 15:30 Session 2:

Evaluating offline consumer marketing activities

Focussing on advertising, public and media relations, direct marketing and consumer shows and exhibitions (*chapter 4*)

- Sharing the practices from the anticipated countries
  - ✓ Mr. Aktar Ahamed, Deputy Manager, Bangladesh Tourism Board, Bangladesh
  - ✓ Ms. Manisakhone Thammavongxay, Director of Public Relations Division, Tourism Marketing Department, Ministry of Information, Culture and Tourism, Laos
  - ✓ Mr. Ariunbaatar Ishigudaa, Statistics and Database Officer, Tourism Policy Coordination Department, Ministry of Environmental and Tourism, Mongolia
  - ✓ Ms. Alice Kuaningi, Director Marketing, Marketing Division, PNG Tourism Promotion
    Authority, Papua New Guinea
  - ✓ Ms. Faegheh Atabak, Deputy of Investment and Tourism, ICHTO, Iran
  - ✓ Changshu
- Discussion and Conclusion

#### 15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

### 16:00 – 17:30 Session 3:

Evaluating and measurement of online consumer marketing activities
Understanding different types of online measurement and exploring web analytics, social media analytics and online media monitoring in more detail (chapter 5)

- Sharing the practices from the anticipated countries
  - ✓ Mr. Yan Fang, Deputy Director, Marketing and International Cooperation Department, China National Tourism Administration, China
  - ✓ Ms. Anne Chong, Tourism Officer, Tourism, Ministry of Industry, Trade & Tourism, Fiji

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Reference material: ETC-UNWTO Handbook on Key Performance Indicators for Tourism Marketing Evaluation









- ✓ Ms. Fathimath Raheel, Director, Marketing, Maldives Marketing & PR Cooperation Maldives
- ✓ Mrs. Nguyen Thi Quynh Trang, Senior Official from Tourism Marketing Department of VNAT, Viet Nam
- Discussion and Conclusion

19:00 – 20:30 Welcome Dinner hosted by Changshu City, Jiangsu Province, China (Banguet Hall tbc)

# **7 July, Friday** (Changshu International Hotel)

#### 09:00 - 10:30 Session 4:

> Evaluating trade marketing and overarching marketing evaluation

Applying consumer marketing evaluation and measurement to trade and B2B marketing. Understanding the relationship between multiple marketing activities and destination impact

- the effect on destination brand equity and calculating return on investment (chapter 6 and 7)
- Sharing the practices from the anticipated countries
  - ✓ Mr. Yasuyuki Harada, Chief Official, International Tourism Division, JTA, Japan
  - ✓ Mr. Hishamuddin Bin Mustafa, Deputy Director, Package Development, Malaysia Tourism Promotion Board, Malaysia
  - ✓ Philippines (tbc)
  - ✓ Ms. Jeddah Leavai, Principal Research & Statistics, Research & Statistics
    Division, Samoa Tourism Authority, Samoa
  - ✓ Ms. Dona Madhumali Harshika Abeynayake, Assistant Director Brand Commuication, Advertising, Sri Lanka Promotion Bureau, Sri Lanka
  - ✓ Mr. Sabin Raj Dhakal, Undersecretary, Nepal
- Discussion and Conclusion

## 10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

#### 11:00 - 12:00 Session 5:

Participant action planning

Creating an action plan to take marketing evaluation and measurement forward in your Destination Marketing Organization or Tourist Organization

- Discussion (All the participants)
- Conclusion

#### 12:00 – 12:30 Closing Ceremony:

- Conclusion and Recommendation by Mr. Jon Munro, UNWTO Consultant
- Closing remarks by Official of Changshu Tourism Bureau

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12:30 – 14:00 Lunch (Banquet Hall tbc)

14:00 – 17:00 Technical Tour

- ✓ Yushan Park
- ✓ Zengyuan Garden, Zhaoyuan Garden
- ✓ Shanghu Lake Scenic Area

18:00 – 20:00 Buffet Dinner (Changshu International Hotel)

# 8 July, Saturday

10:00 - 17:00 Technical Tour

- ✓ Shajiabang Scenic Area
- ✓ Lunch at Longliqi Hotel
- ✓ Redwood Forest
- ✓ Nicanglou Wetland Park
- ✓ Dinner at Jiangxiang Alley

9 July, Sunday

Departure date