



Department of Planning,
Lecture Plan, Odd Semester, AY 2025-26

Name of Course: M. Planning

Subject Name:	MTP2111 Transport Infrastructure for Tourism Sector
Year & Sem:	II Year III Semester
Course Duration:	20 July 2026 to 11 November 2026
Course Coordinator:	Ms. Monica S
Number of Credits:	3
Subject Category:	OE (Open Elective)
Total Periods/Week:	3
Internal Assessment	50
End Evaluation	50
Total Marks	100
Total No. of Internal Assessment & Mode	2 Internal assessments (1 written assignment, 1 presentation) and 1 Mid-semester assessment

Subject Objective: Understanding of tourism planning process, provision and production of infrastructure services in destination, departure, transit and arrival place

Week	Lecture / Session Topic (Teaching-Learning Objective aimed)	Session Mode	Reference/ Suggested Readings
Week 1 (starting 20 July)	Unit I Tourism Concepts, Theory, and Practice Introduction to Tourism; Concepts, theories, approaches and methods of tourism studies; Recreation, leisure, travel and tourism	Discussion, Lecture	1. Roday, S., Biwal, A., & Joshi, V. (2009). <i>Tourism operations and management</i> . Oxford University Press. 2. Mason, P. (2020). <i>Tourism impacts, planning and management</i> . Routledge.
Week 2 (starting 27 July)	Types of tourism; Tourism regions; Tourism scenario; Tourist circuits; Tourism as Industry	Lecture	3. Hall, C. M., & Page, S. J. (2014). <i>The geography of tourism and recreation: Environment, place and space</i> . Routledge.
Week 3 (starting 03 Aug)	Unit II Determinants of Tourism Demand People and travel habits; Tourism flow and tourism traffic analysis;	Lecture, Tutorial	1. Roday, S., Biwal, A., & Joshi, V. (2009). <i>Tourism operations and management</i> . Oxford University Press.
Week 4 (starting 10 Aug)	Internal Assessment I	Written assignment	2. Hall, C. M., & Page, S. J. (2014). <i>The geography of tourism and recreation: Environment, place and space</i> . Routledge.



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Week 5 (starting 17 Aug)	Access to tourism: Gender, Age, Elders and differently abled people; Environment responsive tourism	Lecture	3. OECD. (2025). <i>Guidance to develop a tourism demand forecasting model for Portugal</i> , OECD Tourism Papers, 2025/10, OECD Publishing, Paris. http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/8a941e5e-en
Week 6-7 (22 Aug-05 Sep)	Field Work		
Week 8 (starting 07 Sep)	Unit III Tourist Transport Modes Rural and urban tourism; Modes of Travel; Hotel and hospitality services; Transportation networks and destinations; local public transport system; Walkways, cycle tracks, para-transit modes and NMT, water ways, rope ways	Lecture	1. Roberts, L., & Hall, D. (Eds.). (2001). <i>Rural tourism and recreation: Principles to practice</i> . Cabi.
Week 9 (starting 14 Sep)			2. Hall, C. M., & Page, S. J. (2014). <i>The geography of tourism and recreation: Environment, place and space</i> . Routledge.
Week 10 (21 Sep-25 Sep)	Mid- Semester Assessment week		
Week 11 (starting 28 Sep)	Unit IV Planning transport infrastructure for Tourism Infrastructure planning for sustainable tourism: The social practices approach; The role of transport infrastructure in international tourism development: a gravity model approach;	Lecture	1. Hall, C. M., & Page, S. J. (2014). <i>The geography of tourism and recreation: Environment, place and space</i> . Routledge.
Week 12 (starting 05 Oct)		Lecture	2. Edgell Sr, D. L., Swanson, J. R., Allen, M. D., & Smith, G. (2008). <i>Tourism policy and planning: Yesterday, today, and tomorrow</i> . Routledge.
Week 13 (starting 12 Oct)		Lecture	3. Williams, S. W. (2002). <i>Tourism geography</i> . Routledge.



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	infrastructure in tourism precincts.		
Week 14 (starting 19 Oct)	Internal Assessment II: Approaches and Methods in Tourism Planning (with a focus on transportation)	Student Presentations, discussion	
Week 15 (starting 26 Oct)	Unit V: Transport Policies and Tourism Governance Government and local community in creation of tourism infrastructure; Tourism policies and legislations	Lecture/ Guest Lecture*	1. Edgell Sr, D. L., Swanson, J. R., Allen, M. D., & Smith, G. (2008). <i>Tourism policy and planning: Yesterday, today, and tomorrow</i> . Routledge.
Week 16 (starting 02 Nov)	Tourism development and happiness: Residents' perspective; Collaborative tourism planning; Digital destinations; Destination branding – the role of consumer affinity.	Lecture	2. Williams, S. W. (2002). <i>Tourism geography</i> . Routledge. 3. Govt. of India. (2015). <i>Tourism Policy of India</i> , Ministry of Tourism, New Delhi.
11 Nov: End of Class Work			

* tentative

Details of Internal Assessments

Tentative Date/Week of the Assessment	Mode of Assessment	Marks of the Assessment
Week 4: Internal Assessment - I	Written assignment	15
Week 10: Mid-Semester Assessment	Written test	20
Week 14: Internal Assessment - II	Student presentations	15

Reference books:

1. Roday, S., Biwal, A., & Joshi, V. (2009). *Tourism operations and management*. Oxford University Press.
2. Mason, P. (2020). *Tourism impacts, planning and management*. Routledge.
3. Hall, C. M., & Page, S. J. (2014). *The geography of tourism and recreation: Environment, place and space*. Routledge.



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4. OECD. (2025). *Guidance to develop a tourism demand forecasting model for Portugal*, OECD Tourism Papers, 2025/10, OECD Publishing, Paris.
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/8a941e5e-en>
5. Song, H., & Li, G. (2008). Tourism demand modelling and forecasting—A review of recent research. *Tourism management*, 29(2), 203-220.
6. Wu, D. C., Li, G., & Song, H. (2022). *Econometric Modelling and Forecasting of Tourism Demand*. Taylor & Francis. London.
7. Roberts, L., & Hall, D. (Eds.). (2001). *Rural tourism and recreation: Principles to practice*. Cabi.
8. Edgell Sr, D. L., Swanson, J. R., Allen, M. D., & Smith, G. (2008). *Tourism policy and planning: Yesterday, today, and tomorrow*. Routledge.
9. Williams, S. W. (2002). *Tourism geography*. Routledge.
10. Govt. of India. (2015). *Tourism Policy of India*, Ministry of Tourism, New Delhi.

Note:

1. Any other closed holidays as declared by SPAV shall supersede the above lecture plan. Holidays shown above may alter as per Notice from time to time.
2. Assessment Sessions may be re-scheduled, with prior intimation.
3. Reading lists provided is not exhaustive and is subject to addition – students are advised to follow progression of class to keep abreast of the new reading lists, if any.

Signature of the Faculty