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Journal of China Tourism Research, a quarterly from Routledge, is a refereed journal that publishes latest and quality research on tourism relating to China and the Chinese. This special issue invites submissions related to poverty alleviation with regards to tourism development in destinations. We encourage contributions from such disciplinary areas as geography, economics, sociology, anthropology, political sciences and international development. Both empirical and conceptual papers are welcome.

Suggested topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Impact of economic development through tourism on levels of poverty
- Pro-Poor Tourism
- Rural poverty and tourism
- Urban poverty and tourism
- Policies for poverty alleviation through tourism
- Community-Based Tourism and poverty alleviation
- Tourism development in the least developed areas of China
- Impact of tourism on indigenous people in China
- Tourism’s contribution to community development
- Role of social NGOs in tourism development in China
- Informal economy, poverty and tourism
- Social Tourism
- Tourism development as a contributing factor to poverty and deprivation

Submission Deadlines:

- One-page abstract due: June 31, 2017

To clearly address the focus, submitted abstracts should outline the context(s) of study, perspectives/approaches adopted, main findings where appropriate, and potential contributions of an undertaking.

- Full paper due: Oct. 31, 2017

All papers are to be peer reviewed before possible inclusion in the special issue.

- Projected publication date: Early 2018.

Submission Guidelines:

Papers submitted must not have been published, accepted for publication, or be under review for publication elsewhere. Manuscripts should be prepared according to the journal's "Instructions for Authors"(<www.informaworld.com/smpp/title~db=all~content=g930804875~tab=submit~mode=paper_submission_instructions>).

Abstracts should be submitted as email attachment to the guest editors at the following address:

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The abstracts will be reviewed by both editors and the ones that fit the theme of the special issue will be invited for full paper submission. Full papers should be submitted to the journal's online system (<https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/jctr>).