

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910784456703321
Titolo	Geotourism [[electronic resource] /] / edited by Ross K. Dowling and David Newsome
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Oxford ; ; Burlington, MA, : Elsevier Butterworth-Heinemann, 2006
ISBN	1-136-40095-8 1-280-63887-7 9786610638871 0-08-045533-6
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (289 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	DowlingRoss Kingston NewsomeDavid <1951->
Disciplina	338.4791
Soggetti	Ecotourism Tourism
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Geotourism; Copyright; Contents; List of figures; List of tables; List of case studies; Contributors; Preface; Acknowledgements; Part One: The Resources for Tourism; 1 The scope and nature of geotourism; 2 Geotourism in Malaysian Borneo; 3 Geotourism potential of southern Africa; 4 Geotourism in Australia; 5 Geotourism resources of Iran; Part Two: Geoparks; 6 Geoparks - a regional, European and global policy; 7 Geotourism: a perspective from southwest Germany; 8 Geological heritage in China; Part Three: Geotourism in Action; 9 Geotourism: a perspective from the USA 10 Geotourism in Ireland and Britain11 Geotourism in Spain: resources and environmental management; 12 Geotourism and interpretation; 13 Geotourism's issues and challenges; Appendix: Geological time; Index
Sommario/riassunto	Geotourism is tourism surrounding geological attractions and destinations. This unique text uses a wealth of case studies to discuss the issues involved in the management and care of such attractions, covering topics such as sustainability, impacts and environmental issues. Geotourism: Sustainability, impacts and management leads the reader logically through the process, covering both the theories

involved and the practicalities of managing such 'environmentally precious' attractions.
