

Community skill & knowledge for tourism development

ABSTRACT

The objective of this article is to assess the level of community skill and knowledge as well as barriers of skill and knowledge in tourism development in Shiraz, Iran. It was found that level of community skill and knowledge in the tourism development in local communities is low, especially in the modern district of Shiraz is lower than the old district. Regarding to this issue there are some barriers in terms of tourism development. It is the intention of this paper to bring to discussion barriers to skill and knowledge in tourism development. In this way, we review literature skill and knowledge and discuss the related barriers of skill and knowledge.

Keyword: Community; Skill and knowledge; Tourism development; Barriers