

Review of: "Tourists' Activities and their Impacts on Chinhoyi Caves Heritage Site, Zimbabwe"

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Dear Authors

I would like to congratulate the authors for this interesting work, and through the examination of this work, some important points of weakness were raised. To improve the quality of this paper, the following recommendations must be taken into consideration:

1. In the Abstract, add some of the recommendations mentioned in the Strategies to Minimize the Negative Impacts of Tourist Activities section and in the Conclusion section.

2- In the keywords, add Zimbabwe and Chinhoyi Caves.

3- In the introduction section, you mentioned worldwide examples regarding the deterioration of heritage sites; none of these examples are Caves as in the case of your study, so I suggest adding cave examples.

4- Add A headlines Called **Study Area**, write about the location of the study area and the coordinates of your heritage site, and add a map to illustrate the location of the Chinhoyi Caves.

5- Under the study area, make another subheadings explaining the Chinhoyi Caves aspects of geology , including stratigraphy, Tectonic setting, and geomorphological development.

6- The objectives of the study are better to moved and added as a last paragraph in the introduction section.

7- The results and discussion part are so short that the study really needs more discussions and trying to put it within an international context by comparing it with other works. Also, you have to add figures and tables to clarify your results and simplify them for the readers.

8-Make a new headline after the conclusion for the study recommendations.

9-The study lacks figures and tables to clarify the methodology, location of the study area, photograph of Chinhoyi Caves, the study results, etc.

10- Give a double check to the list of references because I saw some mistakes that need correction.

In summary, the work is a respectful effort and needs more improvement.



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