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Annotation for the thesis

**«SPECIAL FORCES STYLE» TOURISM: CURRENT SITUATION,
PERSPECTIVES IN CHINA AND BELARUS**

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ANNOTATION

The master's thesis consists of content, a general description of the work, an introduction, three chapters, a conclusion, and a list of references. The total volume of the dissertation is 72 pages, including 5 tables, 2 figures, a list of 56 references on 11 pages.

2. Keywords

TOURISM; CHINESE TOURISTS; BELARUS; CONSUMPTION BEHAVIOR; TOURISM COOPERATION; ADVENTURE TOURISM.

3. Contents of the work

The purpose of the study is to investigate the current situation and development prospects of «Special Forces Style» tourism (youth travels) in China and Belarus, exploring the cooperation between the two countries in this niche tourism market.

The object of the study is «Special Forces Style» tourism.

The subject of the study is the current situation and prospects of «Special Forces Style» tourism development in China and Belarus.

Research methods: analysis and synthesis, study and analysis of literature, comparative analysis.

The scientific novelty of this study lies in analyzing of prospects for cooperation between China and Belarus in the field of «Special Forces Style» tourism (youth travels), analysis of the needs of young Chinese people for this model and Belarus' unique tourism resources. Young Chinese tourists prefer low-cost, high-experience travel methods as well as Belarus's natural landscape and cultural heritage just meet this demand.

Scientific testing of the results. The results of the study were presented at 1 scientific conference.

Possible practical application. The results of the work can be used in tourism policy planning, where government agencies can apply the findings to develop or adjust strategies aimed at sustainable tourism development.

Reliability of materials and research results. The research materials and the results of the master's thesis are reliable. The author confirms that all theoretical and methodological provisions and concepts borrowed from sources are accompanied by links to their authors.