



## **HTM 484: Critical Sustainable Tourism**

“We used to think the world was so big. So indestructible. So fun. We still can't completely believe that it is as small and serious, as threatened, and vulnerable, as we have made it.” – David Gessner

This course focuses on people, place, and profit in tourism. We will think critically of our role as tourists and the tourism industry. In this course we will have discussions about but not limited to:

- **BIPOC, LGBTQIA+, Accessibility, Gender Challenges in Travel**
- **Ethics of Dark Tourism**
- **Evaluate Environmental and Ecological Issues**
- **Influence of social media/film**
- **Complexities of Volunteer Tourism**
- **Responsible Tourism**

**HTM 484 is also a:**

- **UTK Sustainable Development Course**
- **Vol Core EI Course**

**Hybrid Modality**

**Asynchronous Tuesdays & In person Thursdays at 8:15am-9:30am**

**Tuesday/ Thursday 8:15 am-9:30 am**

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