

MEASURING THE IMPACT OF MEGA & HALLMARK SPORT EVENTS ON **DESTINATIONS SUSTAINABILITY: A METHODOLOGICAL APPROACH** THROUGH TOURISM ECONOMY AND DESTINATION IMAGE ANALYSIS

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## **R&D Team Coordination**

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# **Tourism Events vs Sustainability**

### **Events Objetives (destination)**

- To create a positive destination image;
- To increase the destination's tourism demand;
- To expand the traditional tourism season;
- · To attract domestic and international visitors;
- To increase the economic benefits in the destination.
- + Local Communities Engagement
- Sport practices;
- · Externalities.





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# **Applied Research**

Methodology, Research Team and Chronogram

**R&D Team** 

### Methodology

### Chronogram

### Previous Work

WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal UEFA EURO 2004<sup>tm</sup> SUPERBIKES Autódromo do Algarve

SATA Rallye Açores COMPETITIVTUR: Tourism

Competitiveness in the Algarve and Andalucía

### Scientific Publications

International Journal of Tourism University of Ulster

Anatolia: An International Journal of Tourism & Hospitality Research

Place Management & Development

### • #11 Elements

Fernando Perna (coord.)

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Sandra Salgado Rafaela Mendes

Pedro Fernandes Carlos Ribeiro

André Castro

Duarte Duarte José Pinto

Fieldwork

## **Model Preparation**

Jan – Feb – Mar - Apr

Fieldwork

May

Validation and Data Analysis

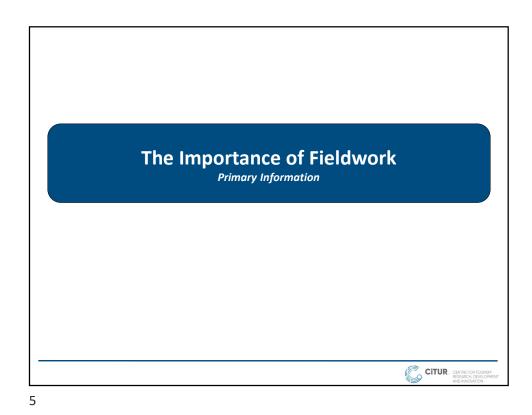
Jun - Jul  $\bowtie$ 

**Report Preparation** Sep – Oct - Nov

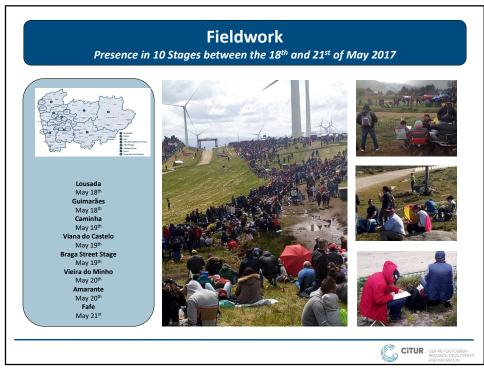
**Public Presentation** 

[Total Length 12 Months]

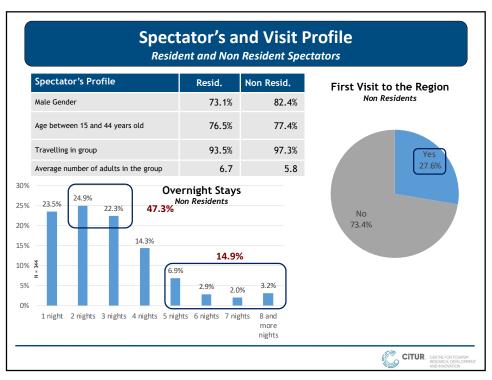


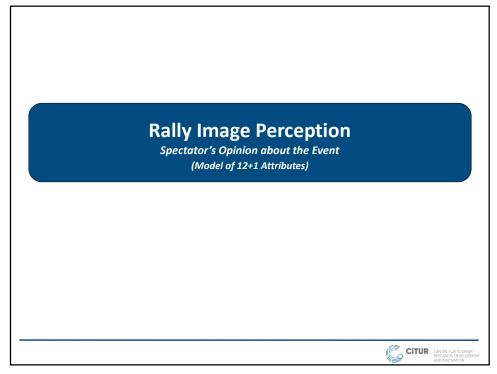


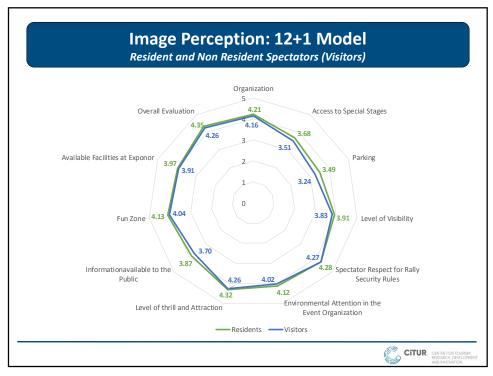
**Study's Structure and Objectives** Measuring the contribution in the Economy and Destination Image Structure Spectator's Profile Event Organization Information Sources Questionnaires Sample Destination's Economic and 457 Image Residents **Domestic Visitors** 266 Foreign Visitors 290 Total 1.023 CITUR, CENTRE FOR TO RESEARCH, DEV



# Spectator's Profile Residents and Non-residents (Visitors)







# Destination Image Perception North Region of Portugal as a Destination (Model of 19+1 Attributes)

