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"By whetting viewers' appetites for foreign cuisine and exotic locations, cooking shows have certainly done their bit to shine the spotlight on food tourism. So too have food blogs and the many websites dedicated to all things culinary."

## This report looks at the following areas:

- · Why are spas considered to be part of the food tourism industry?
- · How have multicultural populations fuelled an interest in foreign food?
- · What are the most effective ways of marketing food tourism?
- Why are older foodies dominating the food tourism market?
- · Why have Singapore's restaurants gone upmarket?

Food is essential fuel for the body, but for many millions of holidaymakers who travel around the world, it is also an expression of a country's history, culture and culinary traditions. The destinations analysed in this report – a mixture of cities and countries to reflect the diversity of the global food movement, namely Barcelona, New Orleans, Norway, Peru, Singapore and Turkey – illustrate these aspects of foreign food, as well as the number of international visitors those destinations attract every year.

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