

Dear Editors,
Dear Christian,

Thank you very much for your decision of “minor revisions” for our manuscript.

The first version of the paper has been largely modified. Reviewers have provided a large number of comments in the text (especially reviewer #2). Based on their inputs and our answers, we have largely modified the text and updated some figures. We added also two more figures and one more table as requested by the reviewers.

Among the most important modifications, we changed the word “vulnerability” in the title with “exposure”. The new title is now: “Exposure of tourism development to salt karst hazards along the Jordanian Dead Sea shore”. Discussing about exposure rather than vulnerability is a very important change. It explains the large number of modifications.

We think that the manuscript has significantly improved since the first version and we hope to have addressed to all the reviewers’ comments.

I take the opportunity of this second round to inform you that during the review period of the first version of the text, two important events occurred in the DS area: a bridge collapse and a major landslide. Both events were highly predictable as evidenced by the first version of the manuscript. Our approach is therefore effective in detecting dangerous areas. The main issue was the scientific robustness of the text rather than the method.

Sincerely,
Damien Closson