SHORT-TERM MISSION RESEARCH PAPER

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I mentioned recently that I have been working on a research paper on short-term mission; it has now been published, the summary reads:

This paper examines the way in which British mission agencies publicise short-term mission in the light of some of the literature on volunteering in the wider context. Particular attention is paid to literature which is critical of the volunteer movement. The findings indicate that for the most part, British mission agencies avoid the issues which are raised in criticism of short-term volunteering. However, there is no ground for complacency and this paper raises some issues which British agencies need to address and suggests mechanisms for progress as well as areas for further research.Â Â

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