

Review of: "Ancient Houses in Ben Tre City: A Multifaceted Approach to Preserve Artistic Architectural Heritage and Boost Local Tourism"

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The paper is basically a report of investigation, which is not strictly a scientific paper. It generally introduces the value of some urban heritages in Vietnam and proposes a few suggestions for how to protect them. However, the research method was mainly descriptive and lacked some theoretical supports. It is suggested to publish this work as a "review" or a "report". More content should be added, for example, the international background of heritage protection, and more literature is needed to support the way the investigation was made as well as how the strategies were proposed. The detailed way of investigation should also be described.