Observation

Interviews

Facts & Data

Three methods of data collection used in this study are interviews, artifacts, and literary review.

Interviews

Five interviews were performed during the trip to Havana.
- Employee of a Cuban and Canadian petroleum collaboration
- Electrician of the Cuban National Power Grid
- Hostel Owner in Viñales
- Cuban Tour Guide
- Professor of Economy at the University of Havana

Observations were collected on planned excursions and independent explorations of Havana.

Literary Review

Data that could not be collected through qualitative methods was collected from online sources.
- Personal blogs, online Havana news sources, and other primary sources were used.

ARTIFACTS COLLECTED

- People fill up their vespinos (modified vehicles or a gas station).
- There are different types of gas. Nearly all cars are manual transmissions.

Domestic petroleum extraction is done through fracking. Oil rigs and refineries line the coast near Vedado.

- Few lines cross each other in front of a disassembled building, providing connectivity to the people.
- Electricity is paid for on a reduced scale. A meter measures each household's energy use, and they pay it back accordingly.

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