

BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION IN SOCIAL-ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS

THE LAST(ING) MANGROVES OF SINGAPORE

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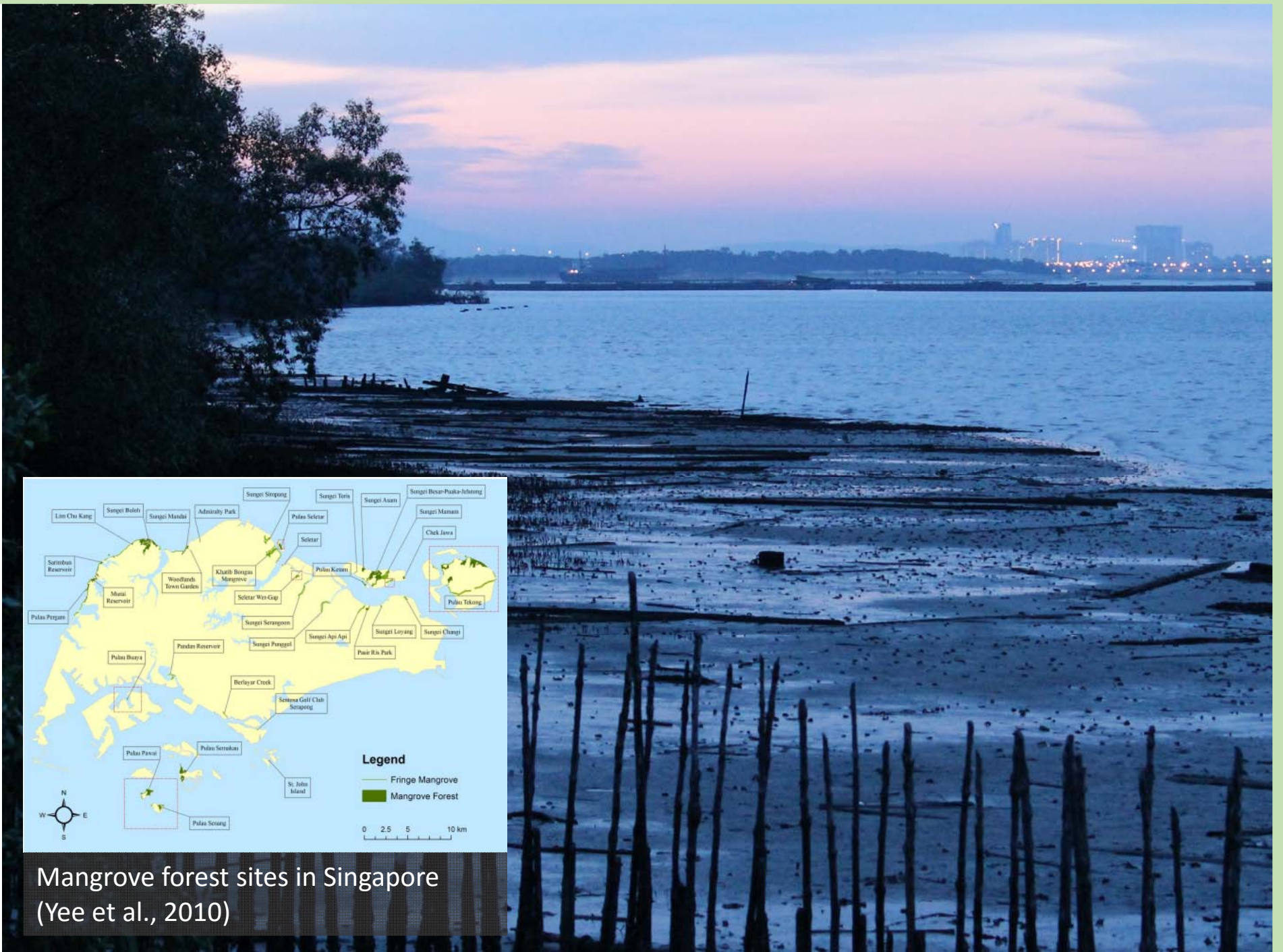
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Mangrove forest sites in Singapore
(Yee et al., 2010)

- Identify discourses of stakeholders and actors on:
 - Local mangrove conservation objectives
 - Local effective mangrove conservation
- Identify unifying and polarising perspectives
- Compare identified discourses to the dominant discourse

=> Why discourse analysis?

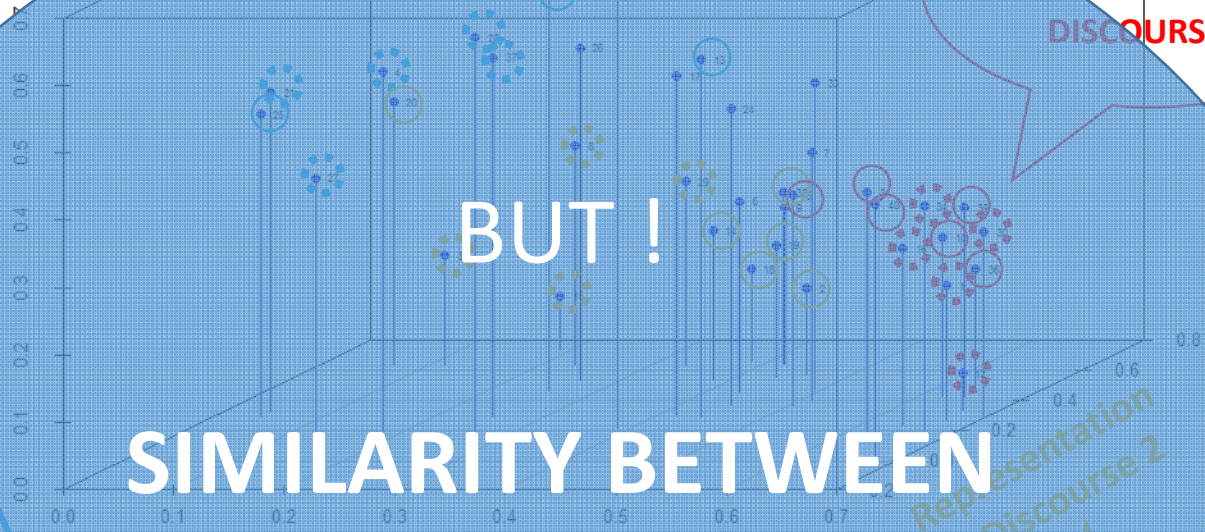


“[our] bodies are the intimate place where nature and culture meet”

Cromby & Nightingale 1999



Representation
by Discourse 3



**WE ARE
REPRESENTED BY
DISCOURSE 1**

BUT !

**SIMILARITY BETWEEN
IDENTIFIED DISCOURSES IS
HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT**

DISCOURSE 3

DISCOURSE 1

DISCOURSE 2

Food for thought ...

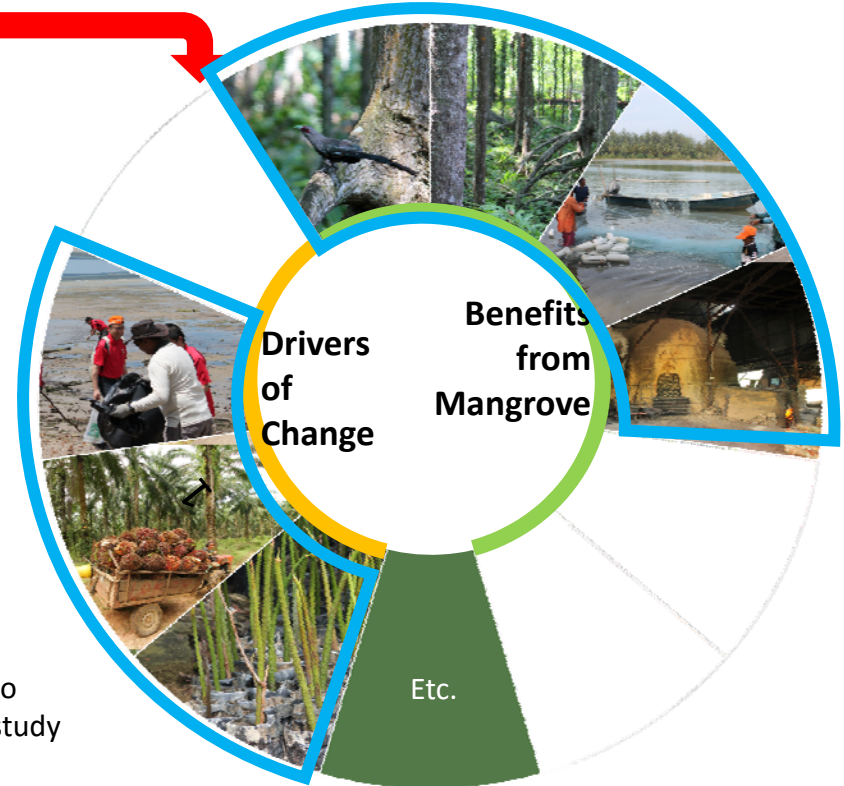


There's no 'i' in research ...

SINGAPOREAN CONTEXT



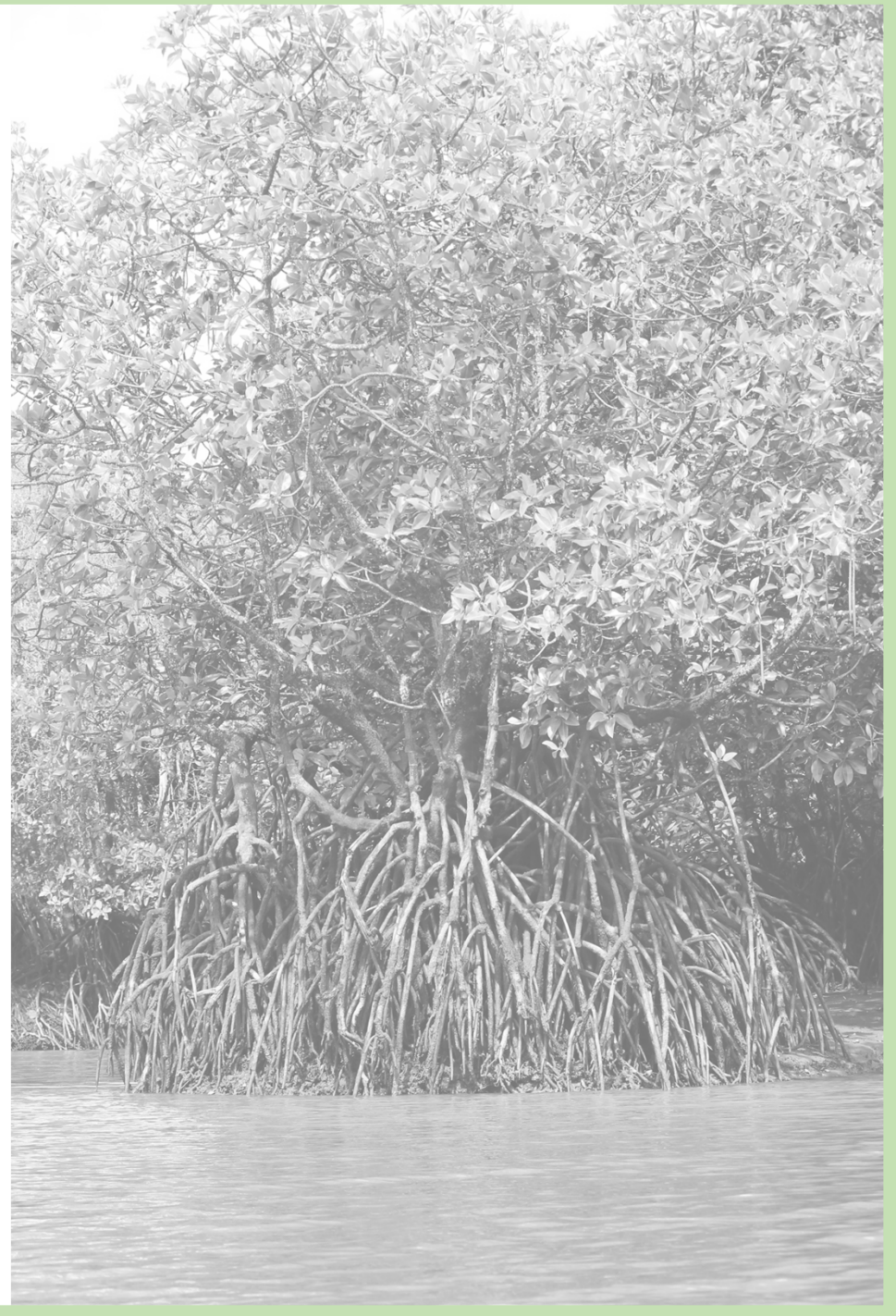
MALAYSIAN CONTEXT



Full color pictures are most applicable to the respective case study

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