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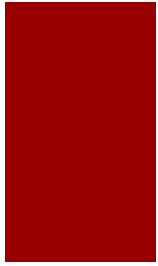
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island... but we
all live on one

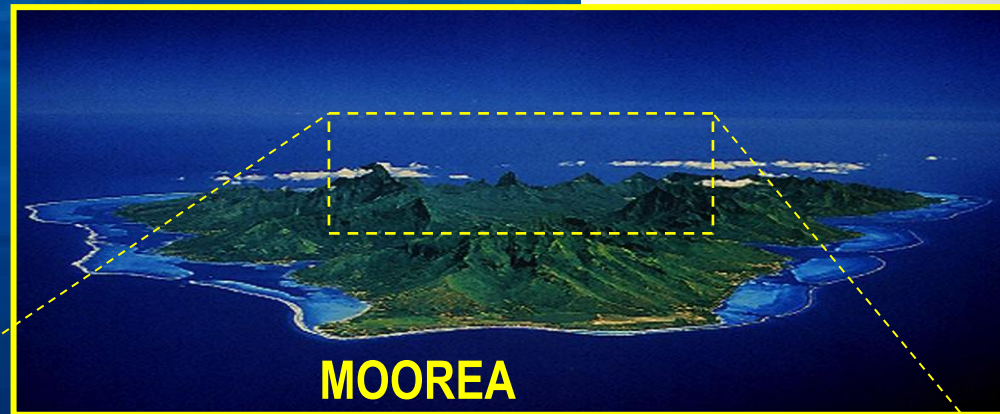


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ECOSIATION

French Polynesia (5M Km²)



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UCSB

UCLA

UC SANTA CRUZ

CSUN

**Gump South Pacific
Research Station**
Moorea, French Polynesia

Established 1985



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> 2000 researchers at 28 sites who apply long-term observation, experiments, and modeling to understand how ecological

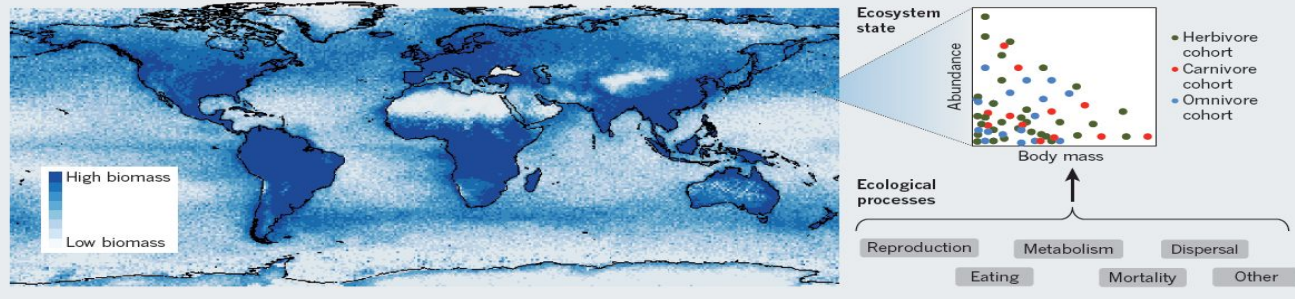


Established 2004
at Gump Station

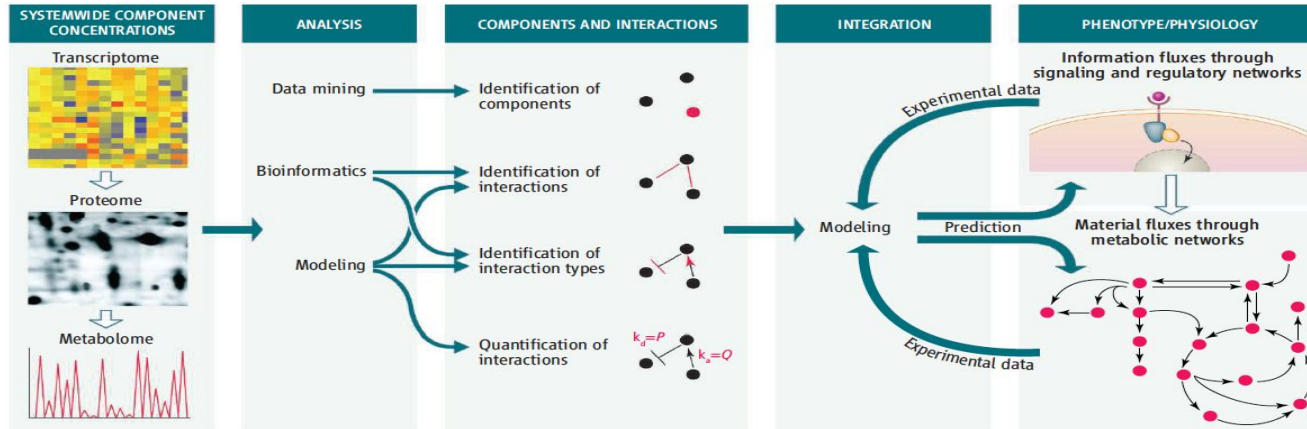


MODEL LIFE

Variation in biomass across the world simulated by the Madingley model for terrestrial and marine ecosystems. Fundamental ecological processes, encoded into simple computational forms, determine the abundance and body mass of organisms (grouped into cohorts for simplicity) and so indicate the state of ecosystems.



Purves et al. Ecosystems: Time to model all life on Earth. *Nature* 2013, **493**:295–7.



Sauer et al. (2007) Getting Closer to the Whole Picture. *Science* **316**:550–551

PLANET DOWN



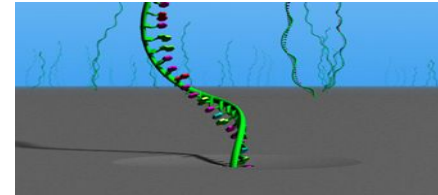
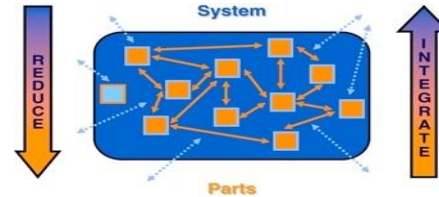
GENOME UP

Earth Avatar

Systems Ecology: Modeling the Planet

A complex problem

MODEL SYSTEM

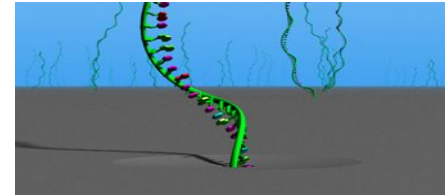
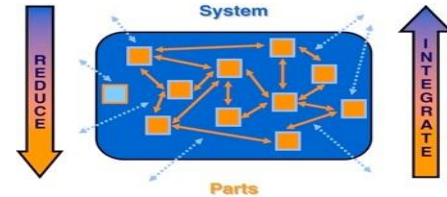


Island Avatar

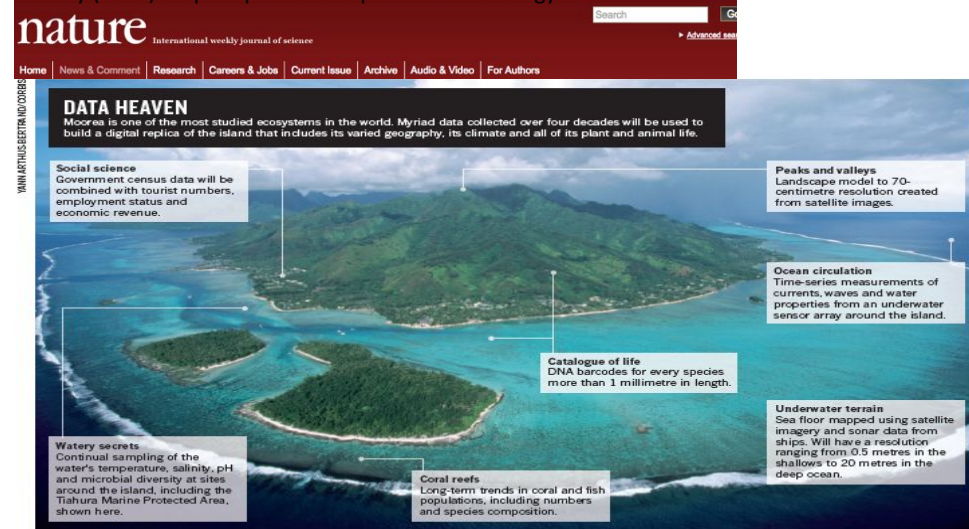
Systems Ecology: Modeling Islands

Scientifically tractable

MODEL SYSTEM



Cressey (2015) Tropical paradise inspires virtual ecology lab. *Nature* 517:255–256.



ENVIRONMENT

Tropical paradise inspires virtual ecology lab

Digital version of Moorea will provide a way to experiment with an entire ecosystem.

Davies et al. *GigaScience* (2016) 5:14
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COMMENTARY

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Simulating social-ecological systems: the Island Digital Ecosystem Avatars (IDEA) consortium

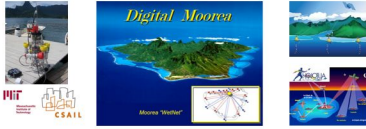
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Abstract

Systems biology promises to revolutionize medicine, yet human wellbeing is also inherently linked to healthy societies and environments (sustainability). The IDEA Consortium is a systems ecology open science initiative to conduct the basic scientific research needed to build use-oriented simulations (avatars) of entire social-ecological systems. Islands are the most scientifically tractable places for these studies and we begin with one of the best known: Moorea, French Polynesia. The Moorea IDEA will be a sustainability simulator modeling links and feedbacks between climate, environment, biodiversity, and human activities across a coupled marine-terrestrial landscape. As a model system, the resulting knowledge and tools will improve our ability to predict human and natural change on Moorea and elsewhere at scales relevant to management/conservation actions.

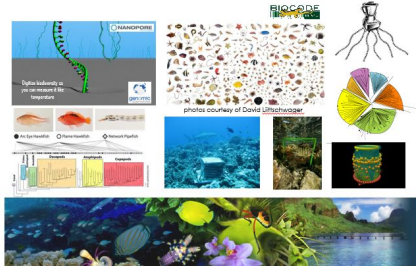
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Environmental Observatory

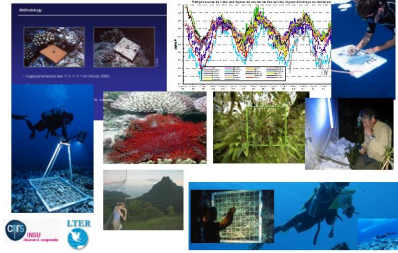


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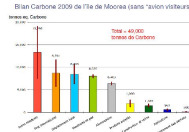
genomic observatories



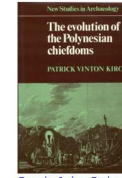
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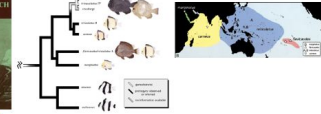
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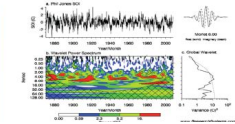
Dépense énergétique globale
de l'île de Moorea =
~ 20 millions de litres de pétrole
importés par an
=
~ 1,3 milliards de francs CFP ~\$15
million dépensés par an



Biological and Social Lineages Geological and Climatic History



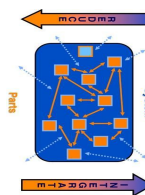
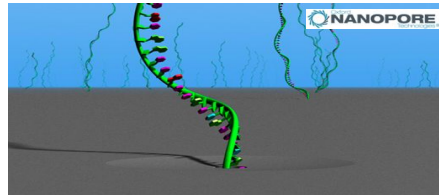
Complex System Cycles
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Integration Challenge

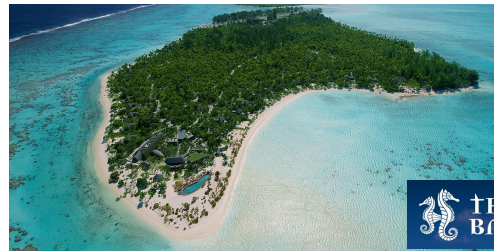
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EARTH OBSERVATIONS





The FAIR Island Project

Develop the **optimal data policies** and **technical infrastructure necessary** to create an environment where all data and knowledge collected on the Tetiaroa field station is curated and made **openly available as quickly as possible**.



CDL
California Digital Library

Project Goals

Testing the effectiveness of optimized RDM/Open Science Policies.

Demonstrate the capabilities of machine-actionable data management plans (maDMPs) in a bounded, incubated, monitored working research environment and analyse the downstream effects of these policies in the resulting release of data.



Key areas of work

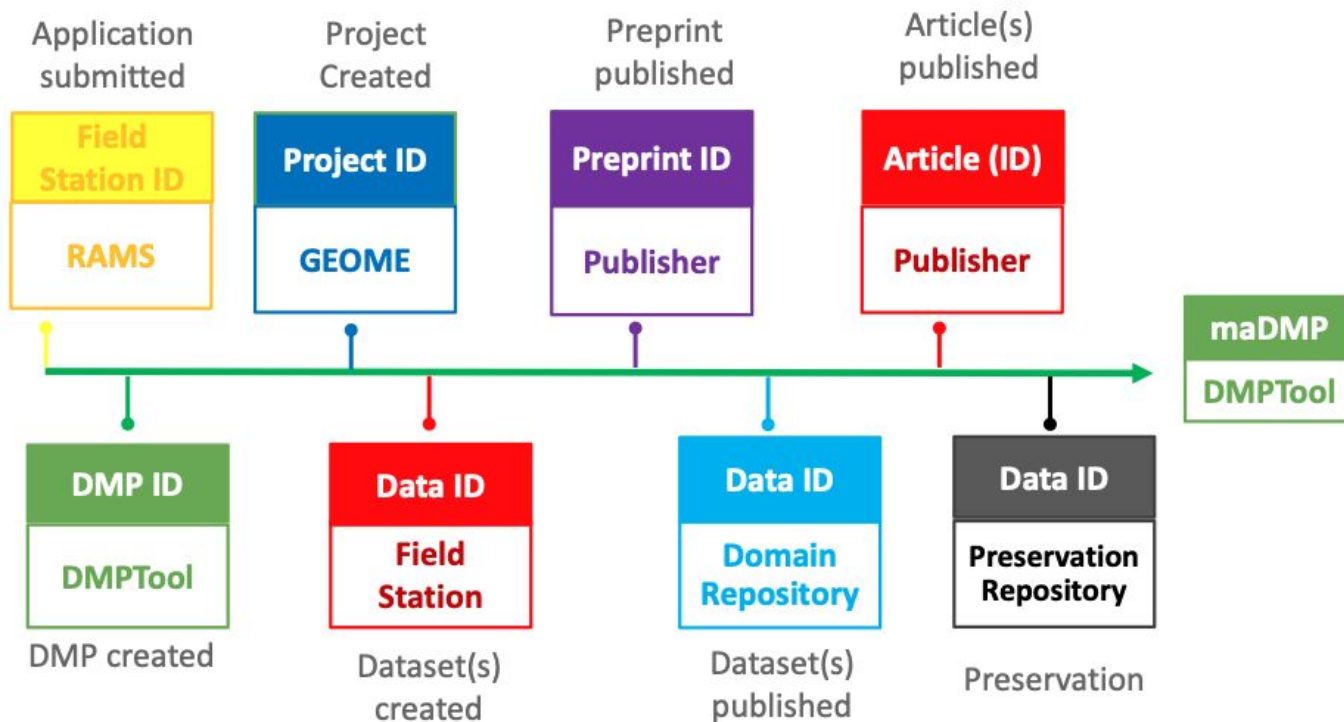
Establishing FAIR-compliant Data Policies

Developing Machine-Actionable Data Management Plans

Integrating with External Systems

Expanding the FAIR Island Model





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