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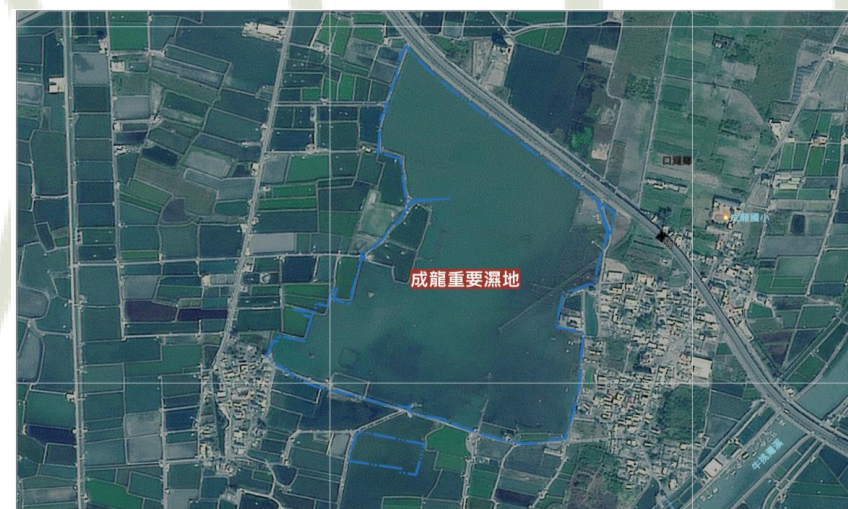


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“Resilience Throught Naturecultures” Supporting Communities In Time Of Crisis

THEMES:

- **Living in Harmony with Water: Learning Program for three generations in Cheng Long Wetlands, TAIWAN**
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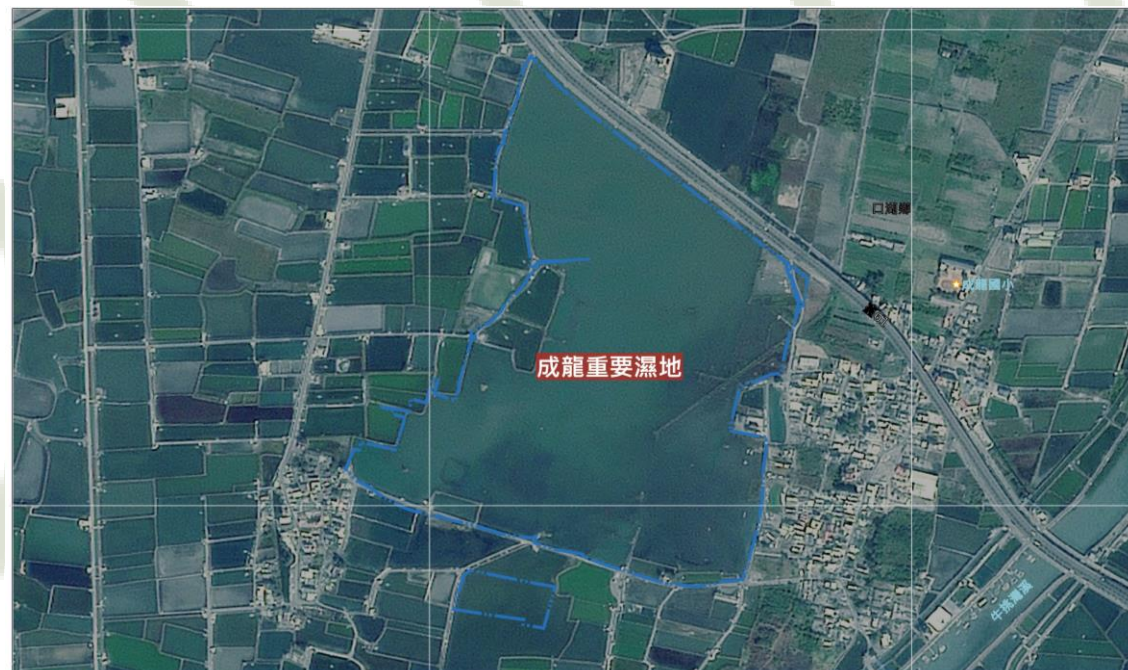
“ Living In Harmony With Water: Learning Program For Three Generations In Cheng Long Wetlands (TAIWAN) Resilience Through Nature cultures ”

Hsu, Jing-Chun

Manager at Cheng Long Workshop, Kuan-Shu
Educational Foundation

Summary: Cheng Long Wetlands is in Cheng Long Village, Kouhu Township, Yunlin County. TAIWAN. Due to a lack of freshwater, long-term groundwater pumping caused severe land subsidence. In 1986 and 1996, Typhoon Wayne and Typhoon Hobe brought seawater into the area, so the farmlands were permanently flooded and turned into an inland saline wetland. Villagers once saw the farmland as having economic value and believed that the land turned into a wetland was useless. In 2005, the Forestry Bureau started an "ecological fallow" program. In 2009, the Kuan-Shu Educational Foundation began the "Cheng Long Wetlands Community Learning and Participation Project," focusing on environmental education and community involvement to help three generations of villagers learn about the wetland.

The Kuan-Shu Educational Foundation was established in 1999 as a private donation by Mr. Jonney Shih (Chairman of ASUSTeK Computer Inc.) based on the social responsibility of entrepreneurs. "Environmental education" and 'humanitarian care' are the primary tasks of the Kuan-Shu Education Foundation. Integrating the professional manpower of the 'environmental education' and 'social welfare education' teams.





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After Video clip image showing aerial view of Fort Rocky
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“ FORT ROCKY, PORT ROYAL, JAMAICA: Military Architecture and Cultural Landscape Protection ”

Patricia Green

Co-convenor of the ISCCL HUL-2030 Working Group

Summary: An unprecedented ‘disaster and conflict’ arose in Jamaica during this first week of March 2025 – the bulldozing activities at a cultural and natural heritage site of outstanding universal value, Fort Rocky in Port Royal, Jamaica. This presentation discusses the value of this 19th century military architecture listed as a ‘national monument’ by Jamaica National Heritage Trust (JNHT) and is located intimately inside its cultural landscape of coastal island ecology designated 2005 a Ramsar Site as Wetlands of International Importance. This talk contains extracts from my newspaper commentaries in the Jamaica Gleaner that recognised April 18 as the International Day for Monuments and Sites (IDMS) with its 2025 theme “Heritage under Threat from Disasters and Conflicts,” including “Preparedness and Learning from 60 years of ICOMOS Actions.”

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Before aerial view of Fort Rocky 2021 (credit: The Port Authority of Jamaica Facebook)



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