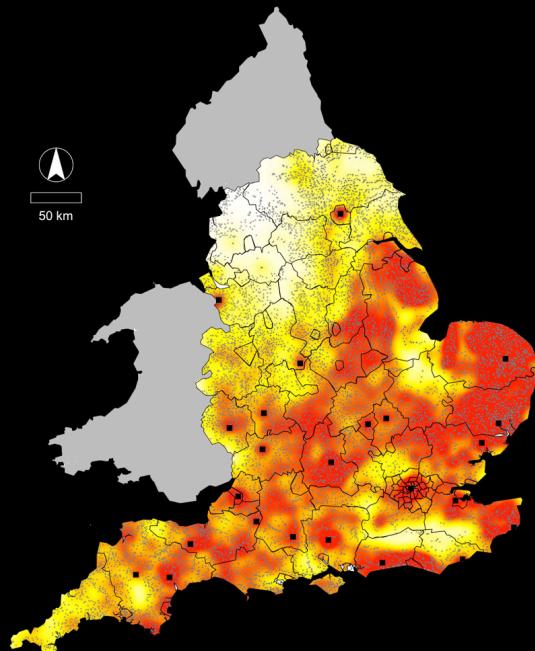


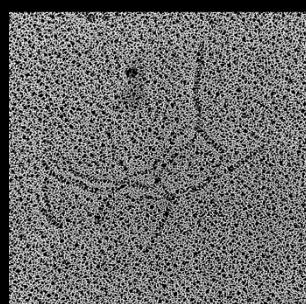
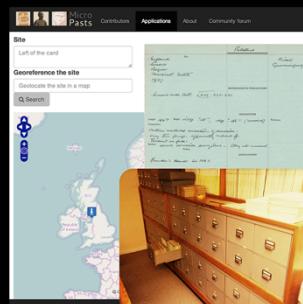
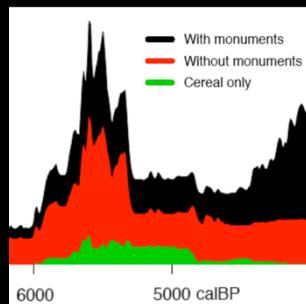
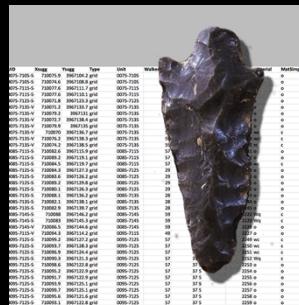
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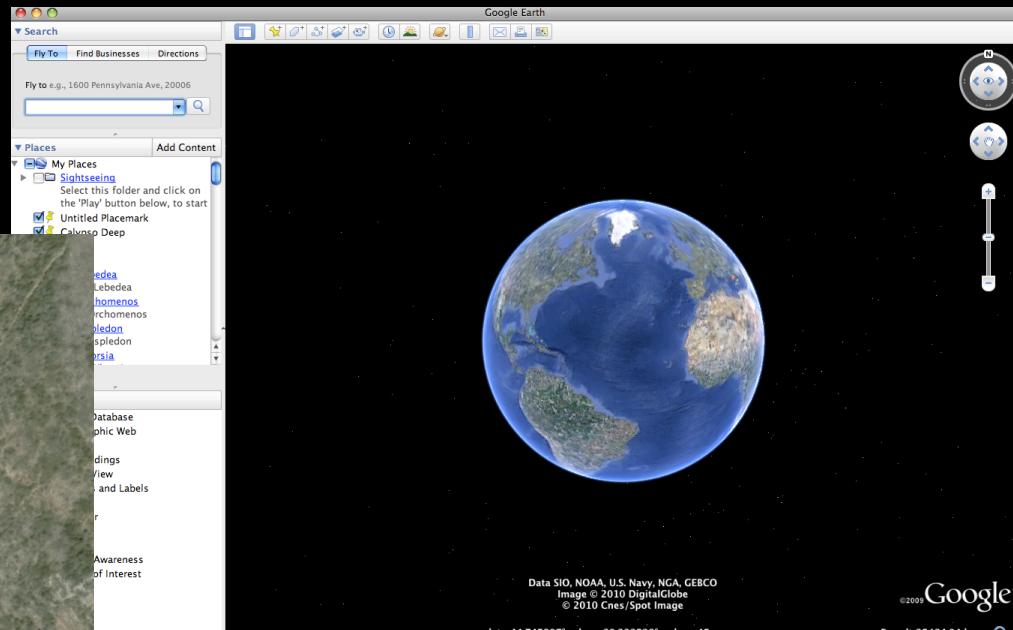
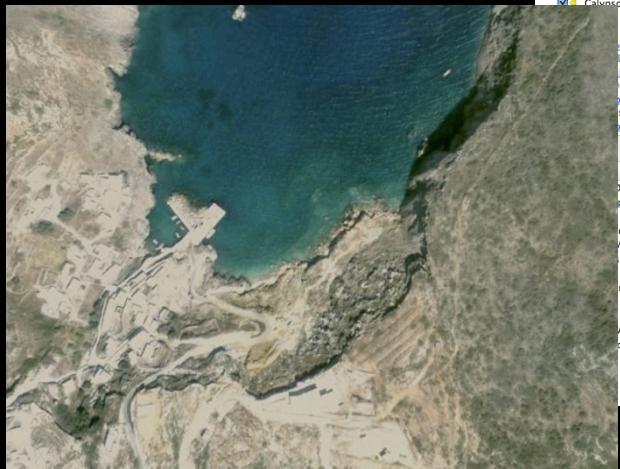
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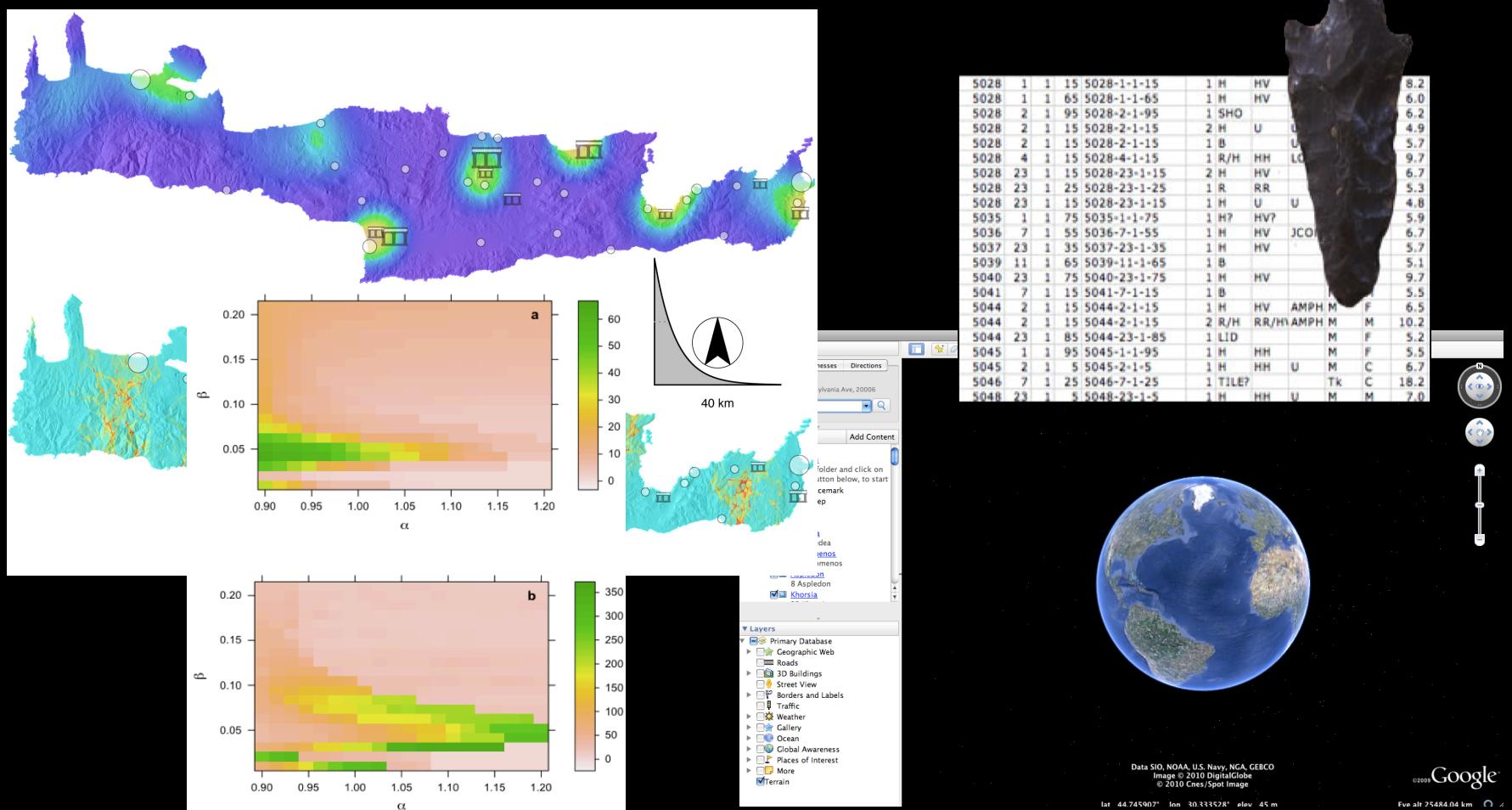


# Democracy and Global Positioning



- Lovely locations or lurking licenses and looters?

# The Decline of ‘the GIS’?



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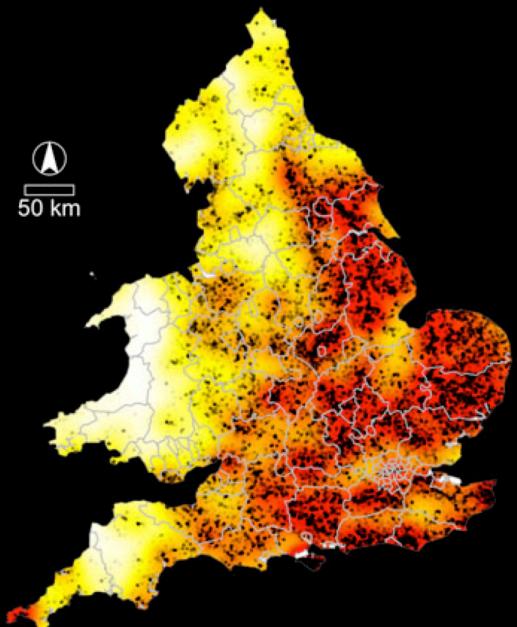
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A Bronze Age socketed axe



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