

# Relational Values and the Environment

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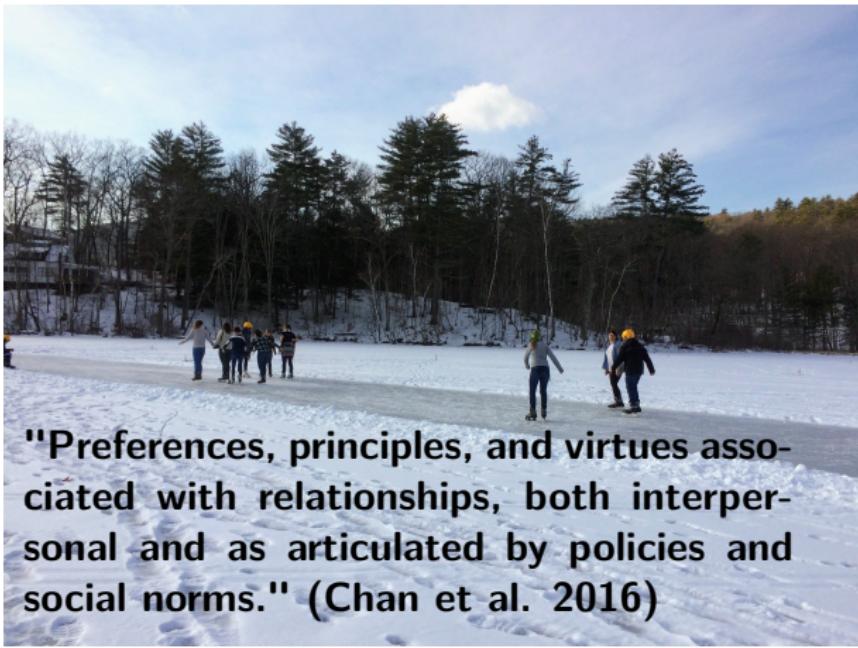


Nature has value independent of humans and human uses.

# Instrumental Value



# Relational Value



**"Preferences, principles, and virtues associated with relationships, both interpersonal and as articulated by policies and social norms." (Chan et al. 2016)**

# Types of Relational Value

- Individual
- Collective

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