**A novel spatiotemporal model improves interpretation of species distribution change by revealing trends across spatial scales**

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