Holistic approach to river restoration in Northern Sweden

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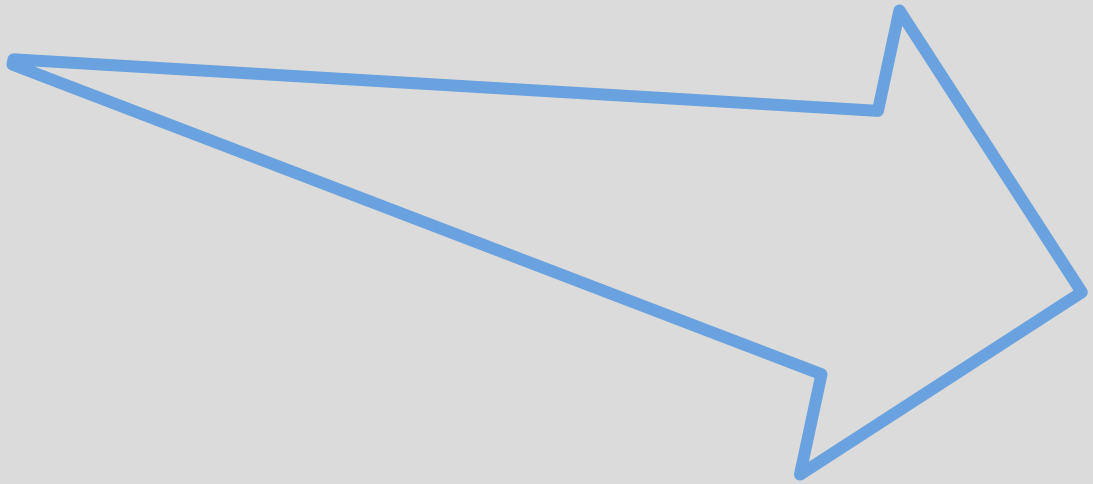
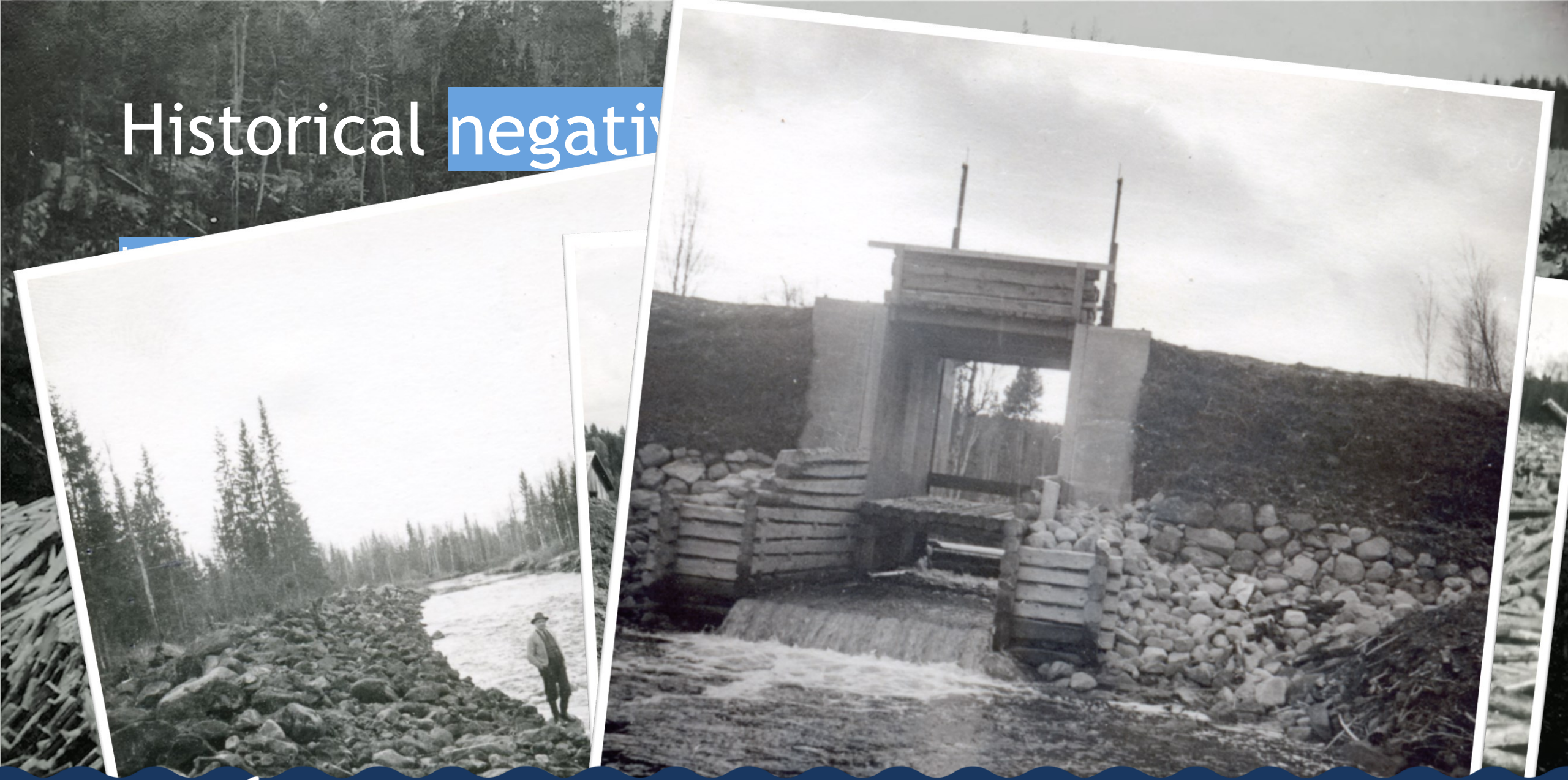
From the smallest microscopic microscapania…



…to the mammal, human

”Everyone’s joining”

Historical negati



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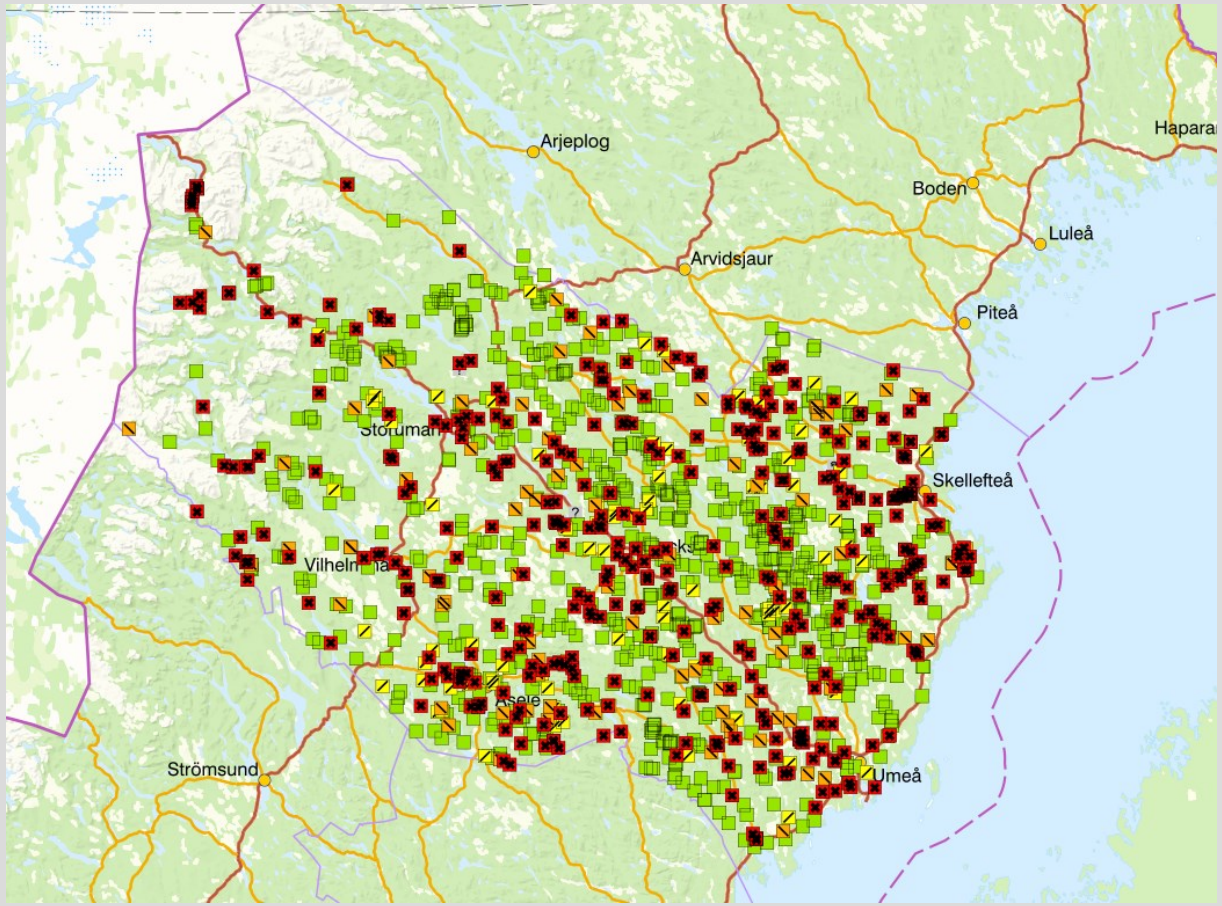
Historical negative effects

Expansion of roads + road culverts

1 out of 3 are migration obstacles



Microscapania - (Sc

Problems

- Substrate (large, old wooden debri
  eradicated
- Lateral connectivity disappeared

Measures

- Recreating habitats, piles w suitabl
- Restoring lateral connectivity
- Relocation of gemmae

Noble crayfish – (*As*

Problems

- Implantation of Signal cray
- Crayfish plauge (*Aphanomy*

Measures

- Prevent spread – information

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Freshwater pearl m
(Margaritifera margarit

Problems

- Bulldozer era (log rafting cleari
- Eradicated habitats
- Deficiency of host fish (migrati

Measures

- Removal of migration obstacles
- Restore habitats
- eDNA sampling
- Population genetic analysis

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Atlantic salmon *(Salmo salar)*

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Measure: Restoring habitats

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Measure: Removal of migration barriers

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Human *(Homo sapiens)*

- Problems
- The ones who exploit and overuse natural resources
- → Loss of ecosystem services

- Measures
- Knowledge building
- Children – important – next generation leaders

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