
GIS-o-TOPO-lis 2010

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R sum  de la pr sentation / Samenvatting van de presentatie: Contextual association is everything in archaeology. Modern techniques allow correct registration and spatial analyses in a GIS environment. Additionally, features encountered through surface reconnaissance before excavation, during the ground penetrating radar (GPR) survey or in aerial photographs all can be integrated within a single GIS environment. The assimilation of these data and their relationships provides a dynamic, diachronic view of life on a wind-swept hill on the island of Crete some 4,500 years ago. Gradually, a Minoan landscape is being constructed in which nature-made and man-made features are integrated in ways that were not possible before.

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