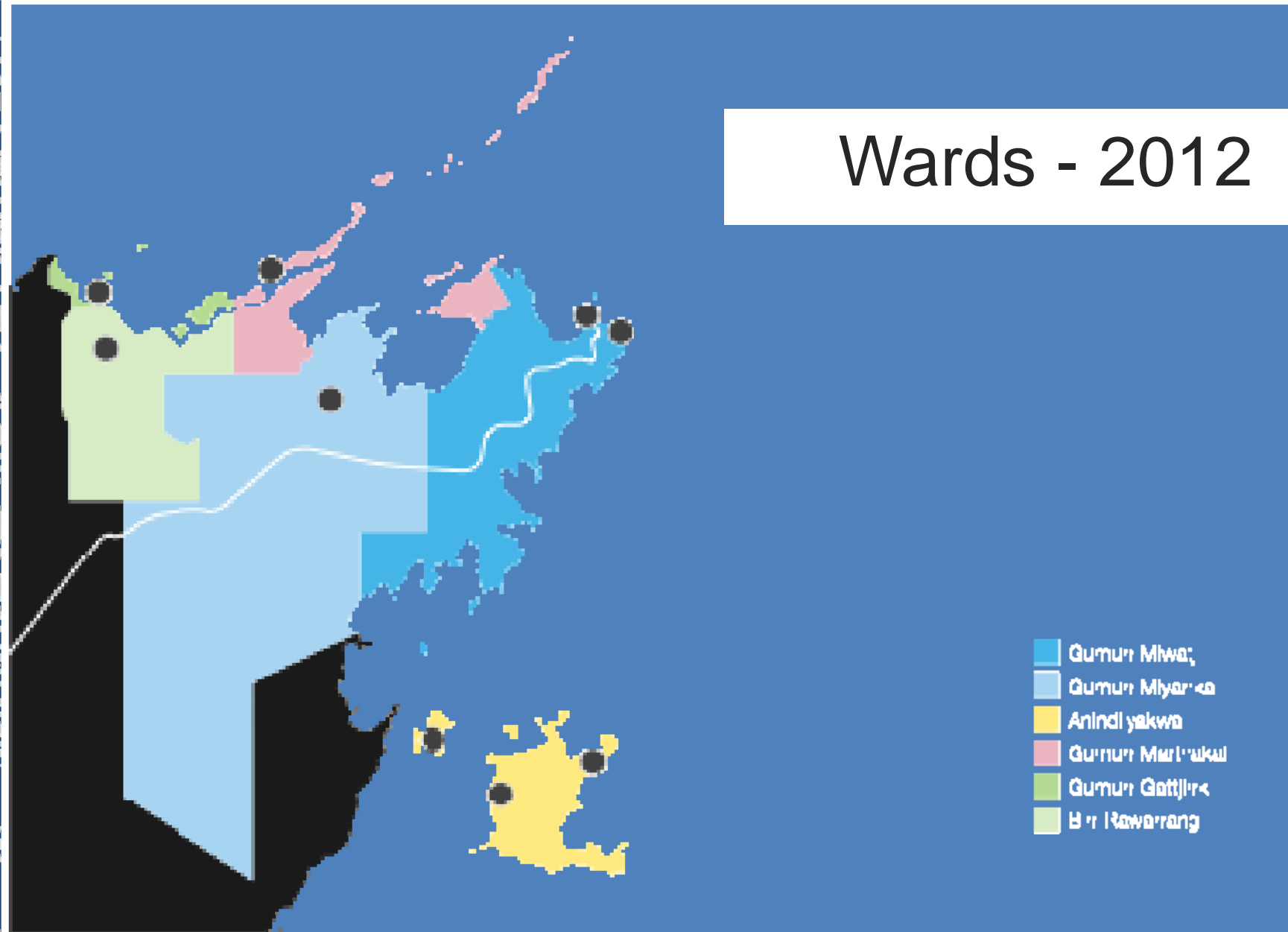


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Wards - 2012



Winning iStory Team





Recording Stories of Historical and Generational Significance



Community members engaging in multi media at the Library





Collaborating on Projects and Sharing Stories





Self Directed Learning



iStories just the
beginning of a
good story.









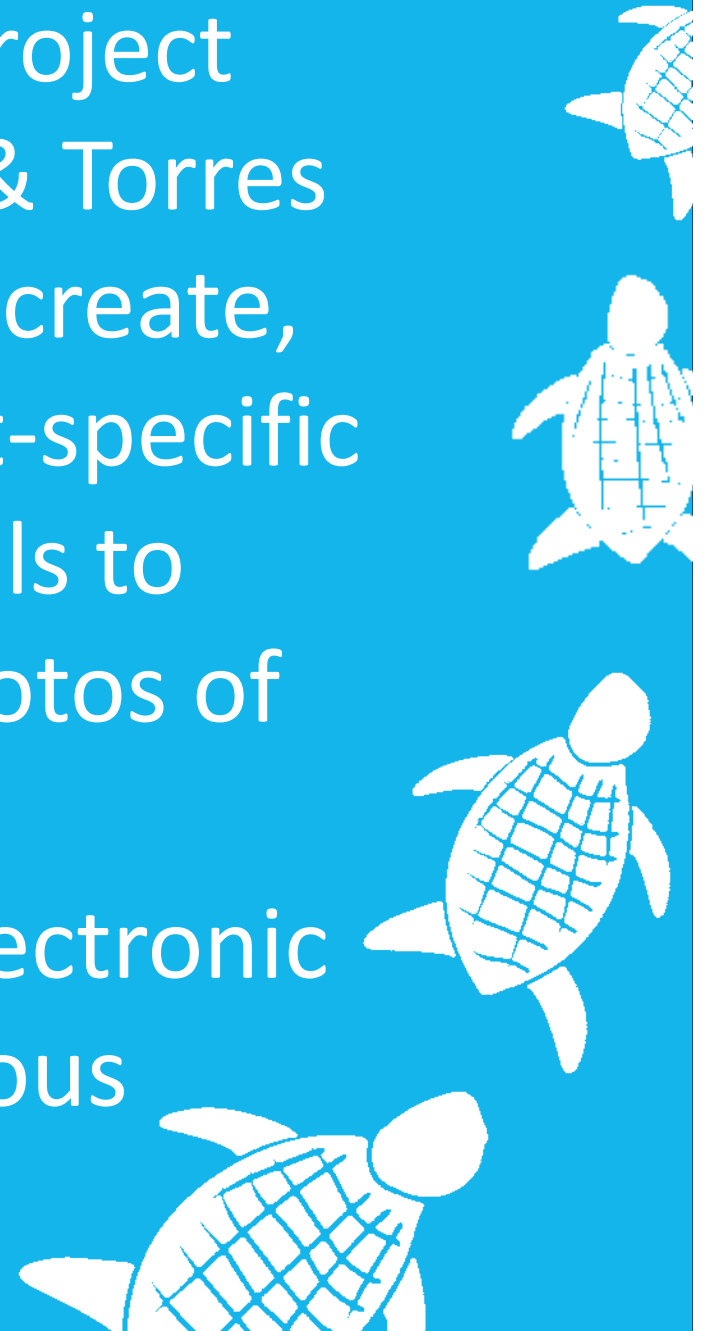
iStories

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iStories is a digital arts project that enables Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people to create, produce and use context-specific bilingual literacy materials to digitalize stories and photos of historical importance.

It is story telling using electronic media to record Indigenous stories past and present.













Innovation and/or Best Practice



Preserving Aboriginal Arts and Culture



Brings Global knowledge
to Groote Eylandt



Cultural and community
engagement with
technology



I am from Bickerton Island

Bilingual literacy
materials to digitize
stories of times past.



Revitalize Public
Libraries as
community hub



Process and Planning

2011

The iStories project provided opportunity to revitalise the Angurugu library which had been closed due to asbestos issues



2011
Funding secured to renovate
Angurugu library







2012

iStories launched with reopening of
Angurugu library





Governance and Community Collaborations









Benefits

Revitalised library
Community hub
Protected culture
Information and learning
Intergenerational
Wifi hotspot
Creative expression
Pride | Control | Autonomy





“iStories is very important for the Community. It is very good to keep the stories at the Library so we keeping all the stories and photos and images in our computers here so people will know about us. They will know peoples stories and how to find the stories and photos and images.

iMovie is used to record family stories and import it all to the computer at the Library for other people to see; videos of traditional dancing and hunting and talking stories.

I will be here always; holidays are in the bush taking videos”

Steve Wurramarra, MJD Project Officer





<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Tz9YI4O96b0&feature=youtu.be>



For the stories I am speaking about why other people tells stories for the children and adults so they know about their stories so they can keep telling them stories when the kids grow up so they don't forget and it will all be strong so they can speak and keep following where the story came from so we can follow them.

That is all I wanted to tell you.



Transferability



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7 Success Factors for Transferability

1. Library linking learning at home and school
2. Learning across generations
3. Onsite coordination
4. Partnering with local service providers
5. Employing and building capabilities of local people
6. Recording and sharing local content
7. Promoting a regional approach





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