

The Role of Youth, Women and Culture in Fisheries Management

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Why Does it Matter?

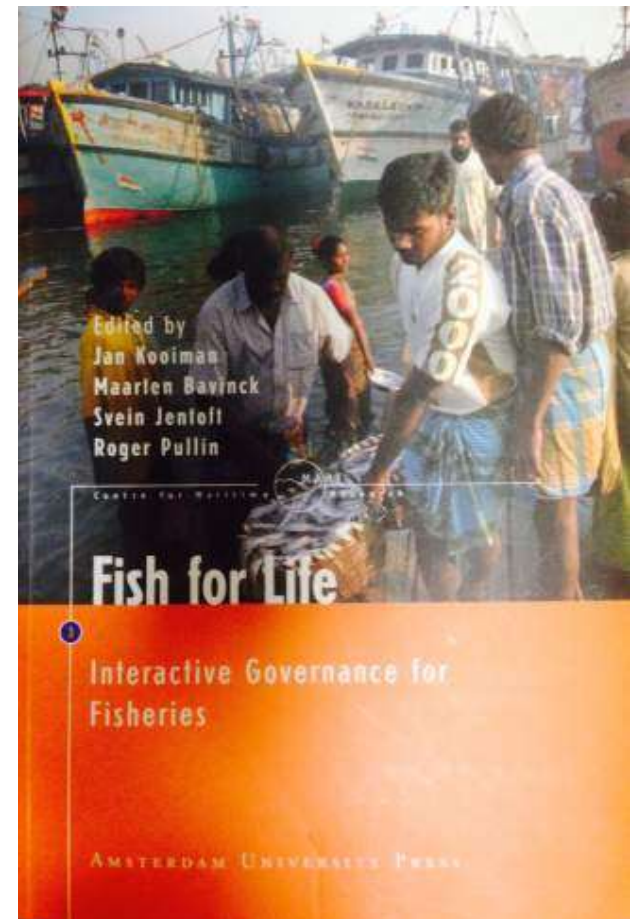
- Address **shortcomings** in conventional fisheries management!!!!
 - Effective, sustainable SSF development
- Conventional perspective:
 - Male focus
 - Biology/ecology focus



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Fish Chains

- Similar to supply chains but broader
- Four interrelated concerns
 - food security
 - livelihoods
 - social justice
 - ecosystem health



Culture & SSF in Melanesia

- Village culture
 - Cash & non-cash activities
- National development project culture
- Donor & international development culture



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Danika Kleiber's work

- **Ecological** reasons, women fish!
 - 42% of fishers
 - 25% of total catch
- Women fishers **overlooked** as key variables
- Women **evaporate** in data collection



“Collecting Shells at Low Tide”, by Hokusai, Japan, c. 1832-1834. Colour on silk. Osaka Municipal Art Museum, Osaka. Source: <http://www.nippon.com/en/currents/d00021/>

WorldFish in Solomon Islands

- Aquatic Agricultural Systems (AAS)
- New approach coastal resource management
 - Highlights centrality of women!



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