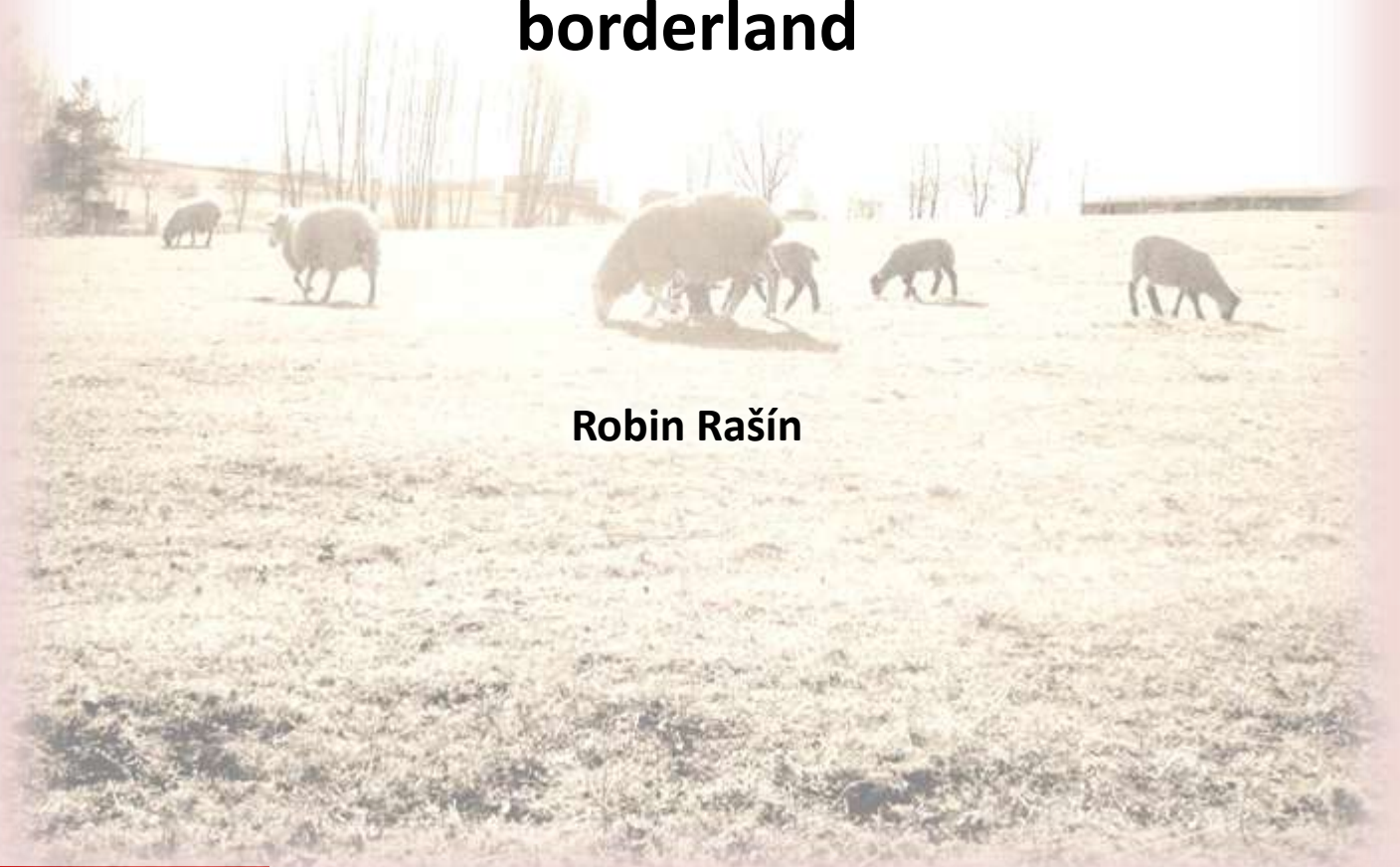




Landscape memory in the Czech-Austrian borderland



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(post)pozitivistic approach



humanistic approach





"Landscape is a never ending process of change." Antonson (2009)



"Landscape is a palimpsest, a document that has been written on and erased over and over again..." Crawford (1953)



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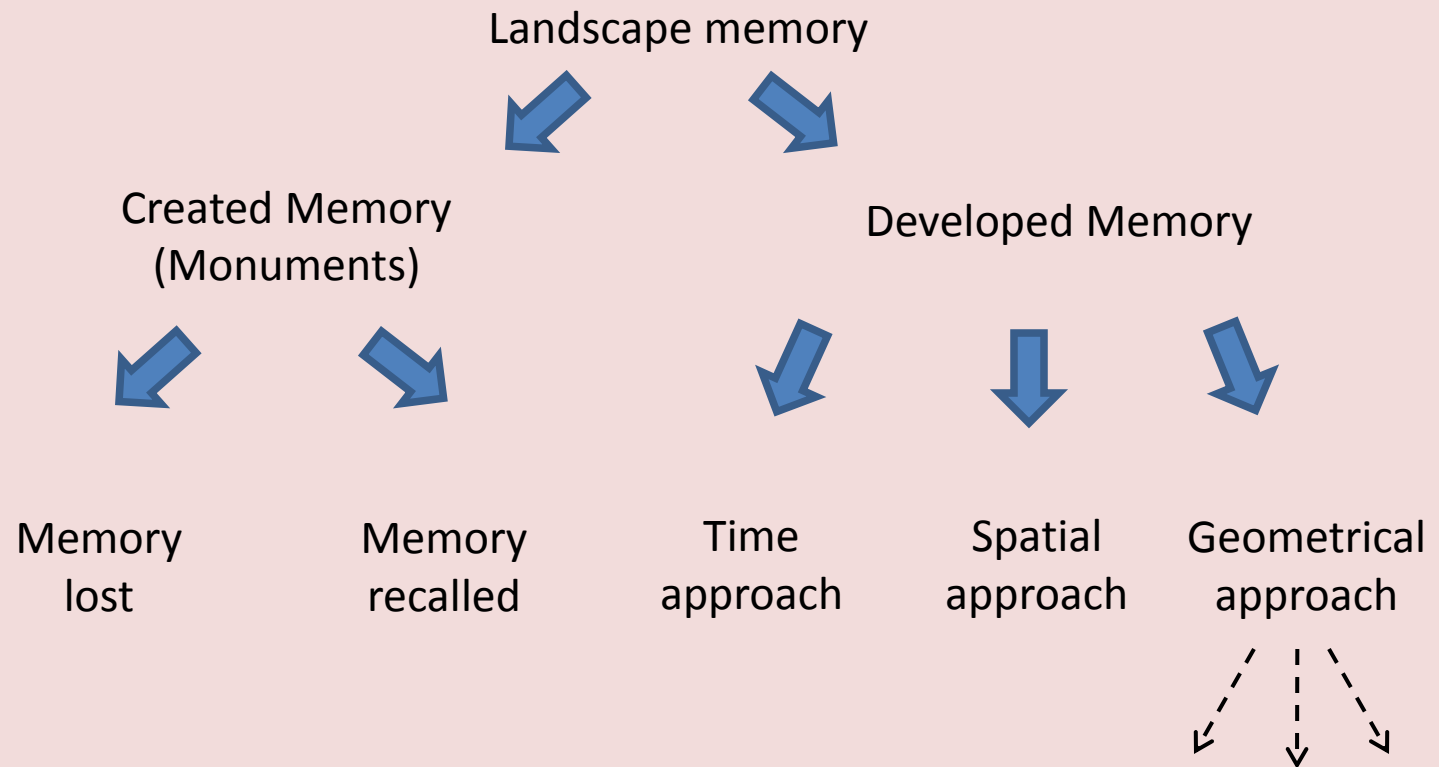
Memory of landscape

Memory is an organism's ability to store, retain, and subsequently retrieve information.

Landscape – storing, retaining

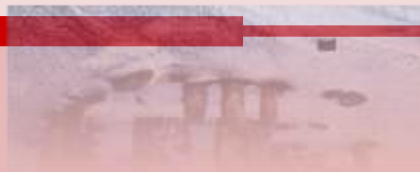
Humans / Society – (storing), retrieving and interpreting







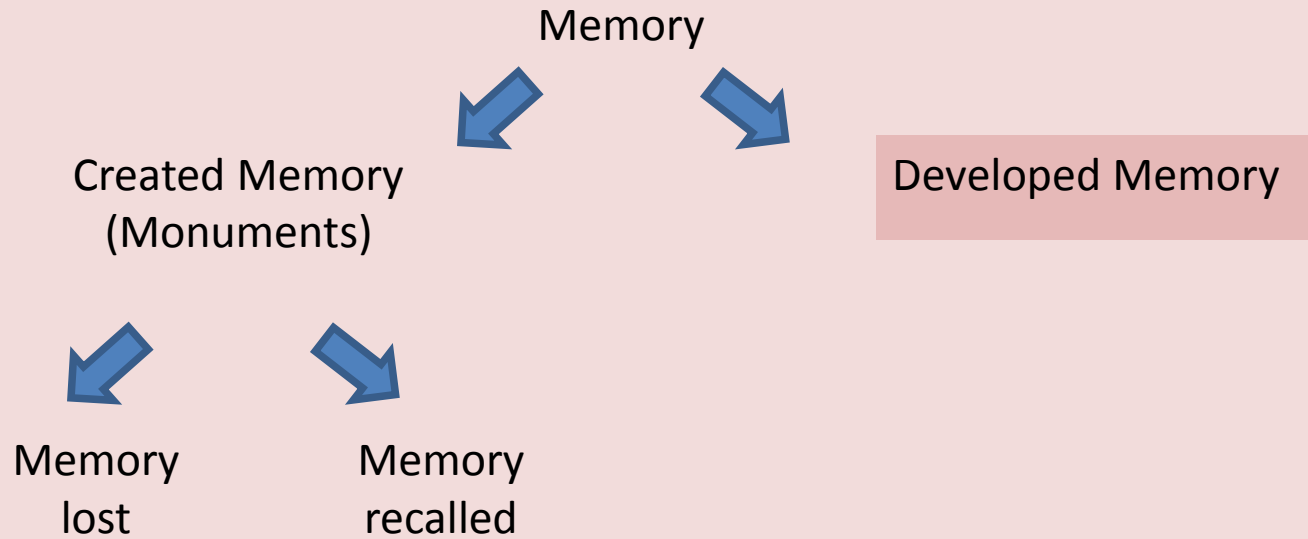
Memory lost





Recalled memory







Developed Memory



Time
approach



Spatial
approach



Geometrical
approach



Time approach

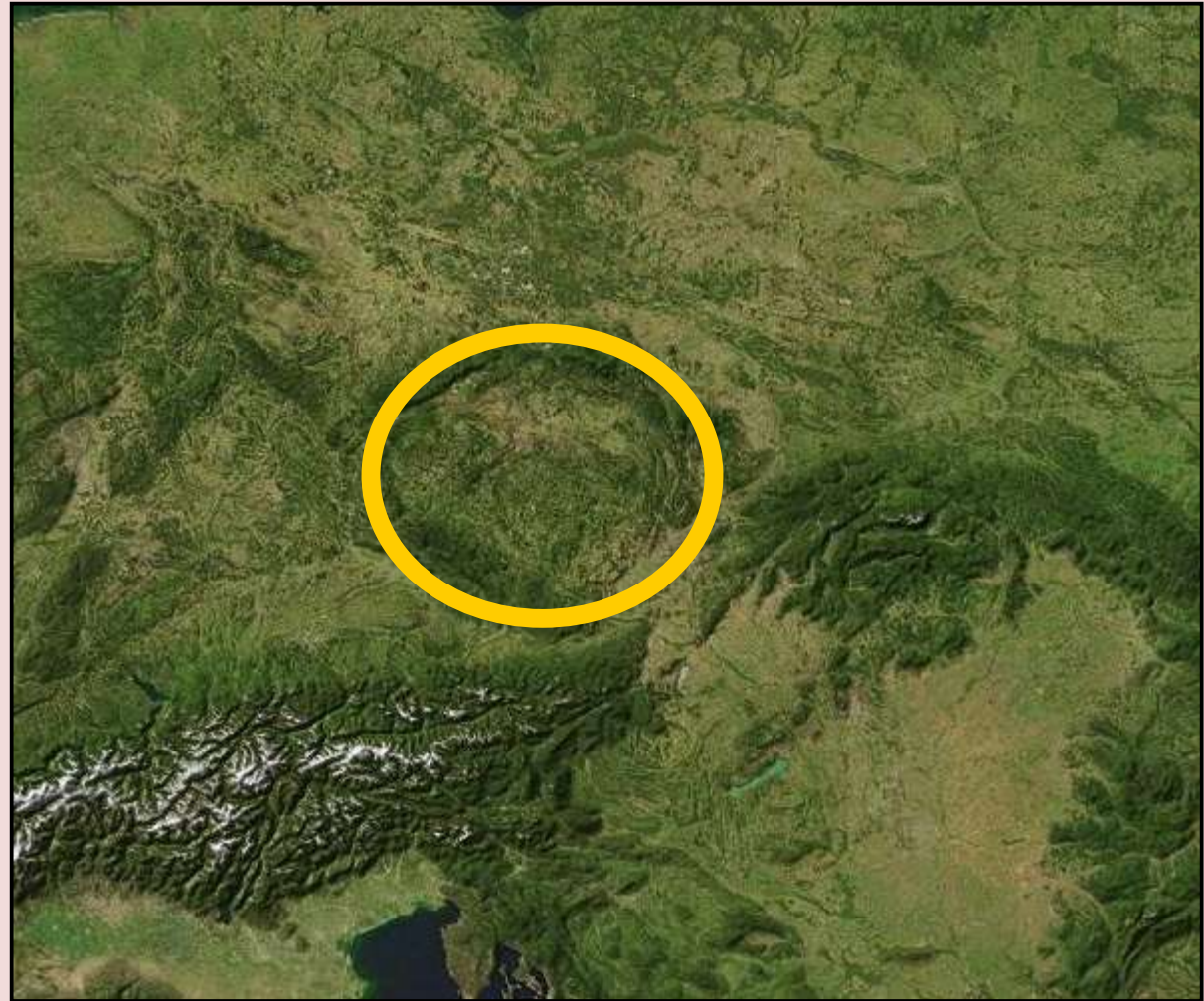
For *HOW LONG*
present





Spatial approach

**WHEN
RECOGNISED**





Spatial approach

**Elbe stream by
town of Kolin in
the 2nd half of
19th century.**





Spatial approach

**Daffodils in
Erzgebirge NW
Czechia.**





Geometrical approach



Single
objects



Linear
objects



Areal
objects



Geometrical approach – Single objects





The village of Ples was home for 726 residents
(707 Germans, 8 Czechs and
11 of other nationality) in 1930.

Pleš

1600's – 1950's

Abandoned village
Pleš/PlöB (2005)





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Geometrical approach – Linear objects

**Borderland in
Southern
Bohemia.**





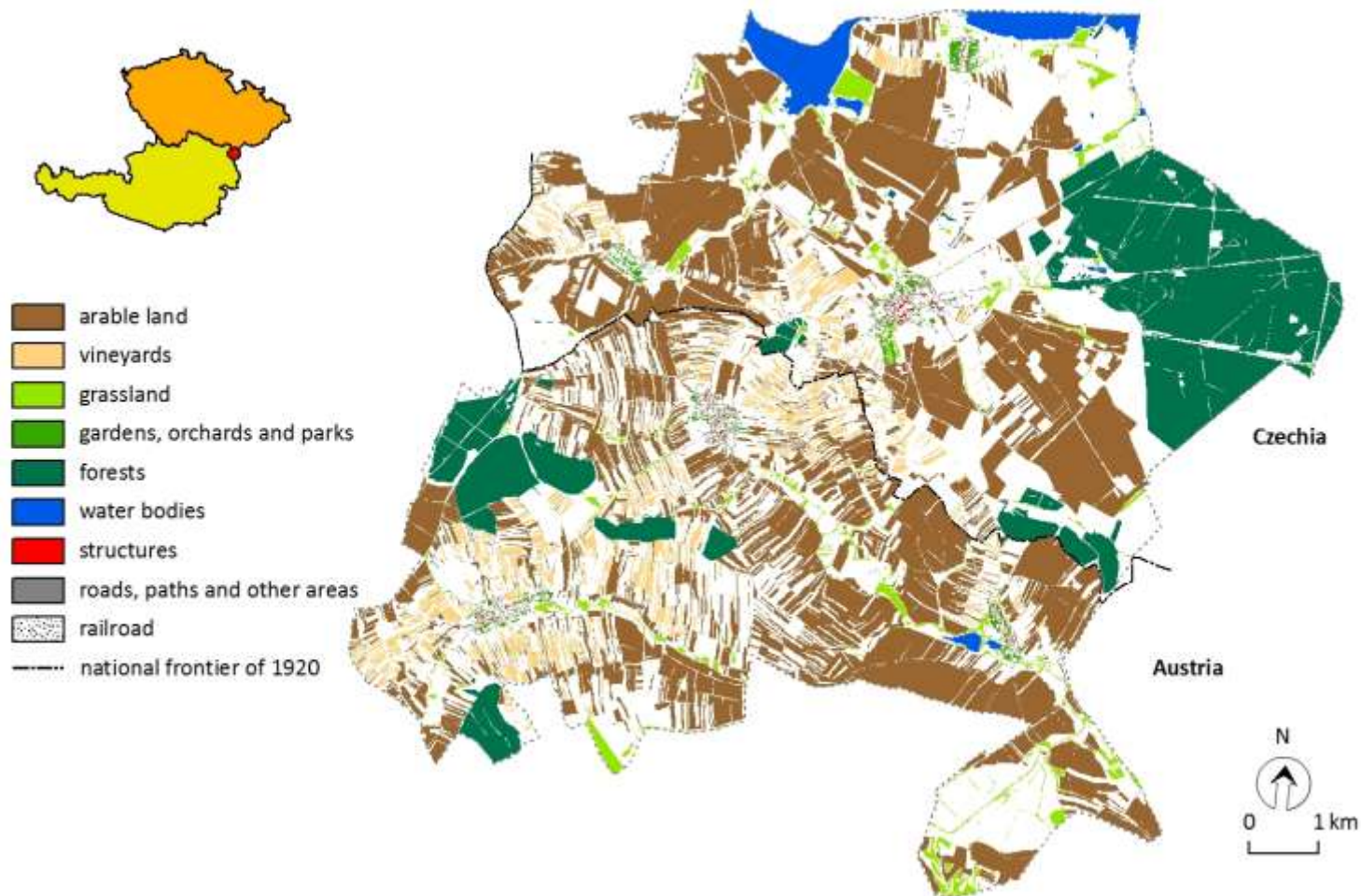
Geometrical approach – Areal objects

**Village of
Eibenstein,
Northern
Austria.**





Valticko





Valticky



- plots boundaries
- case area boundary
- national frontier of 1920





Conclusion

Have your eyes open when walking and studying landscapes.





Thanks for your kind attention!

