

In Novel Approach to Fisheries, Fishermen Manage the Catch

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An increasingly productive way of restoring fisheries is based on the counter-intuitive concept of allowing fishermen to take charge of their own catch. But the success of this growing movement depends heavily on a strong leader who will look out not only for the fishermen, but for the resource itself. In a study published earlier this month in *Nature*, researchers at the University of Washington analyzed 130 co-managed fisheries around the world, looking for the factors that made the difference between success and failure. At the top of the list: Strong, legitimate community leaders. Read the full article here: http://bit.ly/ejvVAp.

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