

Date: 10/04/2024 Time: 11:27 Park: Burgers Park Interview #: BP-01-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Yes, more than 10yrs. Stay around Pretoria CBD.
From Pretoria. - not born here.

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Tanzania (if I heard right) - grew up in the village
No more fish toilets not nice.
used to be park ranger
Park is changing - used to be nice - (litter, broken fences)
(Park reminds of home)

Playing, going to beach, farm. Like nature







3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Rest, chat with people, enjoy weather, come with friends

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
X like this one Clean.	X like this one Design elements Example of nature.	
		
Reminds of nature theme in water	Don't like this as much - when it's dark - bad things might happen.	Reminds of home. (National Park) Serengeti Ngorongoro

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Home
City - like Union Buildings.
Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

union buildings - museum, people watching
Mentioned another

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Fix security, fix garden, lighting, fix play equipment,
add water

used to be a lot better (10 yrs ago) - watch water - bath.

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Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know 1	Strongly dislike 2	Disagree 3	Agree 4	Strongly agree 5	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		X	X			
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?		X			X	
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?				X		Both municipality + community.
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied X	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. **What is your main reason for visiting this park?** (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Not far from where he stays

Exercise

other activity kids play soccer, rugby, donate food

10. **What do you feel about the other people using this park?** Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

People with trouble - used to be at play area but they are gone now - things happen at night

people sleep here - doesn't bother - it's their life.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

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- What do you **like least**, why?
- Physical features** that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Statues - people might damage

14. **What do you know about the history of this park?** How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

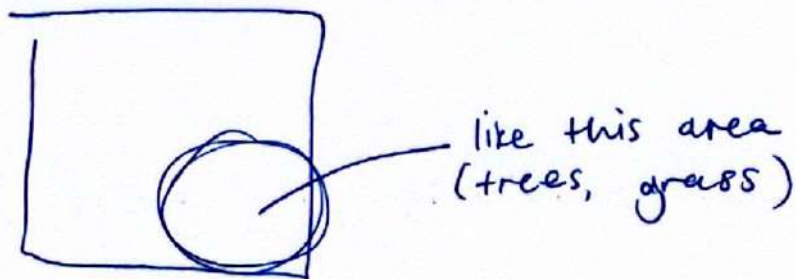
Don't know much

But feels bad because it doesn't look the same

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Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

All over the country - Karoo / Told a lot of stories how he grew up
Lives opposite park
Keep things simple - 

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Park is fine for the city
Can see some animals

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Hunting / biltong
Drinking water from watermill | wood fire
praci

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
(H) Pragtig Love the layout		Primitive Like flowers
		
F - like a lot "sjo"		The wilder the better like animals Prefer nature

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Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Nkomalunga - Witrivier

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

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Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?						
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?						
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?						
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?						
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. **What is your main reason for visiting this park?** (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

10. **What do you feel about the other people using this park?** Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

Bothered about illegal immigrants in park who don't have jobs

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Familiar with monuments

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Researcher:

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Date: 09/04/24 Time: 12:32 Park: Burgers Park Interview #: BP-03-24 (H2)

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Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

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01: Village - Polokwane - schooling - came to study (doesn't know Pretoria well) *Mamelodi*

02: Limpopo - born in Pta - grew up in Limpopo

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it? *Come here often live in Atteridgeville* *Yes - beautiful*

Village: *the same* Many trees, not always proper infrastructure, mountains, rivers, king, habitat for animals, lots of vegetation. *But it's artificial not natural*

Nature: helps with living ^{organisms} systems, infrastructure

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Recreation -







Growing up - collect wood, fire, feed, when you're stressed.

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Trees, mountains growing up.

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least... why?

		
<p>likes this one. View of the city Clean park</p>		
		
<p>01 Reminds of home. River mentioned earlier looks similar</p> <p>02 Stayed near mountain - played</p>	<p>Reminds of home Trees - tall Walk through</p>	<p>02: Dry grass + animals (reminds of home)</p>

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Maurice square - not a lot of shade.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Nice the way it is - won't be able to replicate what is at home.

Government action with homeless - be other places to stay.
Provide more security.

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know 1	Strongly disagree 2	Disagree 3	Agree 4	Strongly agree 5	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?				X		
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?		01: X		02: X		
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?		02: X		01: X		municipality is responsible 01: Littering (problem = solution)
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied X	Notes (why?)

9. **What is your main reason for visiting this park?** (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Sit + relax

Center between where the two stay

10. **What do you feel about the other people using this park?** Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- a. Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
b. What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

If it's fence - pay
won't visit - it's supposed
to be public - unless
there was more recreational
activities

Homeless people - plenty of them sleep here.

At another park - unsafe especially at night

Can it change: more security from municipality

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- a. What do you **like most**, why?
b. What do you **like least**, why?

- c. **Physical features** that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Like: Shade + clean - — noise only from traffic (esp. internally)

Least: Feel unsafe.

More activities: ^{no} prefer quiet.

14. **What do you know about the history of this park?** How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

No

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

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Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 09/04/24Time: 13:05Park: Burgers ParkInterview #: BP-04-24

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Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Hammanskraal.

Born in Limpopo - grew up, studied. Came to Pretoria in 2007. - work

Rural area. - go to school, look after parents, sheep, cows.

Town was far.

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Nature - forest, & tourist destinations, trees

Mountains - good environment.

People respect each other

Yes. - lots of trees. Velds touch ups.

like the environment.

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Like environment.

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Look after animals (sheep, cows)

Mountains - kids. hide-and-seek.




Play soccer

People entertain one another.

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Animals - springboks wild animals.

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Also beautiful - View of city - people who live there can go there to "refresh"		X Bush similar at home - river. Place looks like where he comes from - "museum" - read about it - shape.
		
X Big rocks Play ride + seek Monkeys Mountain		X Springboks, wild hog

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this park can't look like it - forest - people want something about maintenance?

Section C: Comparative Study

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Church street - not in a good condition. Maintenance.
People sleep there.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

It's better than other - surrounded by residential
area - meets need.

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?			X			
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?				X		
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?				X		
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					X	No one can make the place better like the one staying there
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)
				X		

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

church meetings on Sunday
No space at flat - fresh air, shade from tree.
Get out in the city. Chill. Children can play
It's free.

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
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Bad activities: political activities — fights erupt. if people don't agree.
Disturb kids playing
photoshoot for a wedding

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

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- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Bandstand + kiosk - bad condition - used to be better

Statues: people take pictures with it.

Don't like: Close the fence - fix gate - don't enter with alcohol control who enters.

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Don't know.

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More activities? - Entertainment, events

People pray here.

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Researcher:

Date: 09/04/2024 Time: 13:37 Park: Burgers park Interview #: BP-05-2024

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Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

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Staying in Atteridgeville.
Limpopo. - village - no library, no mall
Lots of sand + houses. 2006. Came to Pretoria for Unisa + to work.
Only Sepedi. Eldorado.

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Animals (goats, cows) game. pigs. donkeys → At home.

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Place for food, income, resources.

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?







gardens also at home.
Portion of land - for garden - tractor plough - watermelon, corn, mabele (brown pap)
Play with rocks - masquta - girls play this - Boys play soccer.

At home: had animals - goats, cows, donkeys.

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Plants - Morogo. (to harvest)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
"Nice" — municipality won't keep this one as nice.	Park should look like this — clean. places to sit. "Nice"	X Don't like this one something looks missing. "Not 100%."
		
X - kids play. As kids - try to swim. Parents didn't know dirty water.		X like this one Reminds of home. Hunt - sell meat. But the girls can't hunt.

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Teachers to learn how to swim.
This park — should have water
Section C: Comparative Study

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Kempton park	Atteridgeville - don't know the name — kids play. people refresh
Maurice Squares	Nice - seating, Plaza before park

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Feel comfortable.

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?				X		look after it only after a long time - cut grass - sweep.
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?				X		Feel refreshed. Especially after eating with family
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	Quiet Reminds of Kempton Park
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					X	Municipality must be assisted - can't do alone
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied X	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Come here often for lunch. - work in the city

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
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People don't bother her here - ~~to~~ not unsafe.

People eat - don't throw away papers.

Kids play soccer. Others relax - go home late.

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Like: Big trees.

Dislike: Street wds - don't do anything - can be uncomfortable (don't personally bother) - never knew what will happen.

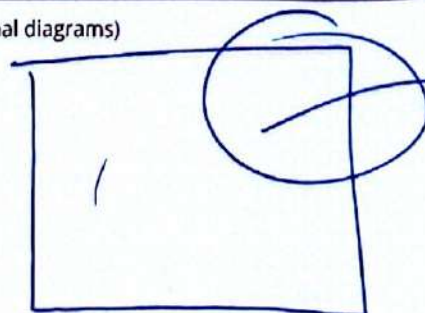
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No.

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Places unclear
Don't want to
sit there.
Feces, dirty.
don't cut the
grass there.

Researcher: _____

Date: 11/04/24

Time: 12:16

Park: Burgers Park

Interview #: BP-06-2024

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Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

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Limpopo (rural area) - peace
 Moved to Rwanda - parents work.
 Studied there
 Came back to Pretoria -

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Livestock - ^{grazing} cows, pigs, etc. ; Farming ; Playtime - soccer + tennis
 Go to Limpopo for holiday. / now stays there. ; plant

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

"Remember all of it."
 Dam - entertainment, boat, fish, run around; ride boats.
 Very important to be close to it.







4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Learn: things from nature that you can't learn at school.

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Daisy (peaceful)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Love Pretoria. - View of city. - Wonderful gardens - look good. - Green grass	Not familiar with this space won't find under the trees Looks like playing "dice" Personal space.	Looks like zoo. with animals
		
X Reminds of home. Used to climb mountains - jump in water "Loved it" Fishing.. Even though it's dangerous	X Reminds of home. No harvest that kudu, impala, springboks - with dogs. organs	Like it Reminds of hunting.

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Section C: Comparative Study

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Go to Union buildings - gardens are tidy. with child. Loftus Versfeld watched soccer + rugby.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Park isn't as nice as it was. Unsafe. Criminals.

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Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		X				
... a place that meets your needs? <u>Emotional, spiritual?</u>				X		activities on weekends. people watch weddings
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?		X				Before yes, not now entertainment.
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?				X		They can try and assist. But mostly municipality.
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

Security + Irrigation Budget

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

fresh air.

Today to work - in park - away from office

(other people are drinking - noise) Union buildings are far.

During the day - walk around the park, relax; People watch

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

Most other people good - birthdays, wedding photos.

People - drink, sleep, Fight in park - but understand it's life.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Used to like flowers and entertainment areas.

Not here anymore

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

No, visit from 2006.

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Big screen - Ds + at bandstand
watch TV
Flowers at greenhouse
Bad toilets
Fish pond.
People selling at kiosk

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher: _____

Date: 14/04/24 Time: 13:05 Park: Burgers Park Interview #: BP-01-24

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Male	
Adult / gaurdian of minors	Female <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here? (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

BORN IN FREESTATE, THERE'S A HISTORICAL STATUE

2. How do you define nature? How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

FRESH AIR, ANIMALS, A PLACE YOU CAN RELAX
BIRDS,

3. What role does nature play in your life? What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

YES BECAUSE IT'S ~~LEAVE~~ CALM AND YOU
CAN THINK, I'M A SPIRITUAL PERSON

4. How do you use nature? What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?







BIRD WATCHING, RELAX AND PASS TIME
I GO TO WATERBO SWIM AND MEDITATE
I VISIT THE BUSH TO CONNECT WITH ANCESTORS
LANTHOLES

5. What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)? (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

I DON'T LIKE GRASS, I LIKE WIND AND WATER

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
	LOOKS LIKE A PARK. LOOKS LIKE A LOT OF PEOPLE, AND I WOULD NOT PREFER AN OUTDOOR SPACE IT.	REMINDS ME OF WHERE I USED TO WORK, WE HAD ACCESS TO SPACE
		
LOOKS FAMILIAR. WE VISIT PLACES LIKE THESE, FOR PRAYING		I CAN RELATE TO THIS. IT LOOKS LIKE A PICTURE OF PLACES WE GO TO, TO PLAY

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

A PLACE IN THEM BISA. FUN, WATERSLIDES, FISHING:
I LIKE VISITING IT.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

MORE COMFORTABLE CHAIRS, CONTROLLED ACCESS

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		X				GRASS LOOKS BAD 50/50 GOOD + BAD
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?		X				NO CHANGE NEEDED THEY CAN FIX GREENHOUSE
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?	X					IT'S A LANDMARK
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?				X		
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)
					X	

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

VISIT TO RELAX, READ MY STORIES, FEELING.
THE FRESHEST AIR AND HAVE A BEVERAGE

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

PHOTO SHOOTS, THERE WAS A LADY
WAITING FOR TRANSPORT, RELAXING.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

BENCHES I DON'T LIKE
I LIKE THE TREES.

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

I DON'T KNOW THE HISTORY

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

TALL TREES/GRASS, NO TRAFFIC BELONGS
A PLACE TO CONNECT WITH MY
ANCESTORS, BUT I PREFER TO GO
HOME

IF THE GREEN HOUSE ID GO
AND RELAX THERE

IT'S A PLACE OF SAFETY FOR
PEOPLE. AND A GOOD REFERENCE

NATURE IS A PLACE WHERE KIDS
CAN LEARN A LOT, IF I WAS ABLE
I'D BRING MY DAUGHTER HERE
INFOR-GRAPHICS WOULD HELP
IF THEY IMPROVED IT, IT WOULD
BE WORTH PAYING FOR.

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 4/5 Time: 12:30 Park: M.P. Interview #: MD-01-2024
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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male	Talking lunch
Adult / guardian of minors	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least... why?

		
Not a fan		Botanical gardens History
		
Waterfall		Home Nature need that fire (oz)

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?

Yoga (oz)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?					X	lawn ✓
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?					X	
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?	X					
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Disatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. **What is your main reason for visiting this park?** (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

10. **What do you feel about the other people using this park?** Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you **like most**, why?
- What do you **like least**, why?
- Physical features** that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

14. **What do you know about the history of this park?** How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 4/5 Time: 13:30 Park: MD. Interview #: MD-02-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male	
Adult / gaurdian of minors	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

EVERYDAY WITH KIDS AFTER WORK
5YRS IN PTA

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

WEATHER

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?







WEATHER LEARNING ABOUT PEOPLE
OBSERVING PEOPLE

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
		JOB
		
USE IT	NATURE SHADE	FARMS

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

WATERKLOOF PARK - QUIET

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?

MUNICIPALITY NEED TO CLEAN
STREET PEOPLE - SCARED / NOT GOOD PEOPLE

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?				X		
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?				X		
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?				X		
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?		X				MUNICIPALITY SHOULD
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. **What is your main reason for visiting this park?** (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

10. **What do you feel about the other people using this park?** Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

SCARED OF STREET PEOPLE

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you **like most**, why?
- What do you **like least**, why?
- Physical features** that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

14. **What do you know about the history of this park?** How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

NONE

Date: 5/04/2024 Time: 13 : 54 Park: Magnolia dell Interview #: MD-03-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Adult / gaurdian of minors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during Interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Yes, Soshunguve

Good place, a lot of activities, more enticing than rural

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

part of God, ^{big} diversity (animals, plants, people) - dynamic

Connected to each other (relationship)

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Likes nature (location, view)

Silence, bird noises traffic not a bother

Busy, traffic reminds of Soshunguve.







4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

observing, people watching

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Date: 05/04/2024 Time: 13:54 Park: Magnolia dell Interview #: MD-03-2024

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least... why?

		
Likes the landscape Looks cozy, neat Discipline. No littering	Don't like activities Looks like people are gambling Lazy. Looks like bad activities of Soshungwe.	Music for tourists Namecards of plants (learning)
		
Like this one Leisure + tourism Hills Water	Nature.	Like this one with the animals and the way of life (learn from them) "National Geographic"

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Burgerspark - too many people, lacks maintenance
Prefers this one with river, big trees
Feel connected, not too much maintenance but they're trying.
8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?

Which the area near skatepark looks like restaurant

Date: 05/04/2024 Time: 13:54 Park: Magnolia dell Interview #: MD-03-2024

Section D: Current park conditions Scale out of 5

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Slightly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?	1	2	3	4	5	some areas better than others.
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?			X			
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					X	Maintenance
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Connect with nature

Observe.

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

Not all of them.

Walking dogs, sleeping, urinate in parts (use park in wrong way)
Train

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Wish the public toilets worked; drinking fountains.

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

No -

Wish there was roses - pretty
Don't want it to look like a field - picture with animal
Wants it to look more like Union buildings

Date: 5/4/2024 Time: 14:24 Park: Magnolid dell Interview #: MD-04-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Adult / gaurdian of minors	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Yes - soshunguve

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

This park can be described as nature

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?







Helps to destress, relax

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

11

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Enjoy the views.	Dislike the activity (looks like gambling) - would not come to the park if this happened - uncomfortable.	
		
Like this one - waterfall. would visit.		

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Union buildings - don't visit often - far.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Scale out of 5

Is this park...	Every know	Slightly dis	Fairly	Very	Satisfied	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		2	3	4	5	Clean
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?					X	
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?	X					
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Nearest park, visit with family

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?
- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
 - What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

Sometimes drug dealers at skate park
Good: picnics + events.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Like: Play area, water flowing.
Dislike: Area close to skate park

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

No

Date: 05/04/2024 Time: 14:45 Park: Magnolia dell Interview #: MD-05-2024-01+02

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth <u>X</u>	Male <u>X</u>	Students from University of Pretoria.
Adult / guardian of minors	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

No - only here for studies.
~~know this~~ park

Home - village of KZN + township here / Not from JA.

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Everything that surrounds us. Everything created (water, trees)
 This park can be described as nature

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Fresh air, meditation, recharge, quiet space.
 Drink Connection.







4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

music + meditation (can cancel out noise from traffic)
 Swimming in rivers
 Gather, socialise

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Prefer everything
 Prefer public parks
 Bird species - connection to creation.

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Looks beautiful, quiet.	Dislike looks unprotected Looks like gambling (activities)	Plants from PE (uygies?)
		
Reminds of home. (Village) - cows to drink - swimming	Feels comfortable because of vegetation.	Dislike looks like dry trees. (dry grass)

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Ones in Sunnyside - not comfortable

Ones in Groenkloof.

Blue Crane.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

More social - braai

Gym

Yes meets cultural needs. (relax)
Increase safety/security.

Date: 05/04/2024 Time: 14:45 Park: Magnolia dell Interview #: MB-05-2024

Section D: Current park conditions

Scale:

Is this park...	Don't know 1	Strongly disagree 2	Disagree 3	Agree 4	Strongly agree 5	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?					X	
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?					X	
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	Reason that they come.
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?	X					Rather municipality - their responsibility to look after it.
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Quiet, socialise, meditate.

Come over weekend.

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

When it become dark - unsafe. (haven't experienced itself)

Attack, people have passed.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Like: Quiet parts.

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

No.

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Forest vs manicured garden

01	Prefer both
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02 | Prefer garden - safe.

might find a snake on the other side.

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 6/4/2024 Time: 10:20 Park: MAHMEDE S Interview #: MS - 01-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Student
Adult / gaurdian of minors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20's	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

living animals / plants
feel this park is nature

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

fresh air
trees - protection

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?







cleaning parks / after school lessons
exercise equipment

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Animals NB!

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____


6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
<p>① ✓ Favourite</p> <p>Big park - can add different activities</p> <p>Can make money</p>		<p>② Be able to learn about nature</p> <p>different plants</p>
		

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Eco Park - fun + entertainment
music / chess 

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Cleaning	Safety removals
More plants / prefers variety	In general do not see people 'smoking'

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Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?					5	
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?					5	
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					5	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					5	Both municipal + community
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

Smoker avoid parents / like appropriation - graffiti cars

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

No people causing trouble

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Playing soccer - want spaces for that
Petty crimes

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Used to be dumping site 10 yrs ago
municipality + community were involved

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Traditional Healer -

Funeral tent in street.

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 6/4/2024 Time: 10:43 Park: NATHUR S. Interview #: MS-02-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	young - still learning
Adult / guardian of minors <u>20's</u>	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Local - grew up in Attredigeville Soweto

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Good - atmosphere / Travel to see nature like animals	nature around
Park is nature / also want see a lot of things	Trees

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?









4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Travel / tour / explore - want to see different places and experience different places
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5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Different species to learn

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
<p>Familiar landscape took pictures made excited when saw picture</p>	<p>madize game gambing Kids play area At night not good</p>	<p>Different sections</p>
		
<p>Would like to visit over Saturday's</p>	<p>Liked Forest  Want  Very excited</p>	<p>Animals / Mike / Ancestors Rsg Shontkop To see this you have to travel</p>

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Want to travel - but don't travel much

Like exhibitions and entertainment

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Teenagers make trouble -
Want events to happen

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know 1	Strongly disagree 2	Disagree 3	Agree 4	Strongly agree 5	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?				4	5	
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?	X					2-3 hrs want to travel
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					5	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					5	together
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?) grew up here familiar

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

smoke
friends make music + rap in park

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

activities / gym / soccer is good ✓
Feel safe + comfortable
Don't feel people make trouble

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

→ want neater / cleaner parks

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Dumpsite before
Was used as market before / activate space more
moved to mall

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Vegetable crops
cheap + big
/
speaks a lot of language

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 06/04/2024 Time: 11:21 Park: Maunde Square Interview #: MS-03-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Adult / gaurdian of minors	Female	
Pensioner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Born & bred
Knows this place very well

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Good - trees coz
Break away.

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Break away from nature

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?







People/ kids play in parks.
Funerals, feast, weddings - bigger space than home (tents)
Political parties use this for campaigning.

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

God's window - wonderful.
Need education about nature - plant species and not pollute river.

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Like this one Likes the horticulture Flowers, beauty, Can chill with girlfriend/boyfriend Well-trimmed grass, trees look nice	Like this one. Gambling, playing dice.	
		
Like this one Wish	Likes the trees	Won't have this in the township - people would hurt.

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ in South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Feel like all the parks are the same.

Dislike - gambling

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?

IF kids had play equipment - None; sand play area.
Police patrol

Want to bring grandkids to play.
~~kid~~ Fountain - water - area where people swim.
Ablutions. - Caretaker that looks it at night

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		X		4	5	lack of rubbish bins litter
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?					X	get away from noise / wife.
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?					X	
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					X	Both city + community Our part
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Disatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

At this moment -

Chill when it's hot - no trees at other places.

Braai's during festive season.

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

Young kids smoking - feels like it is meant for young people - not elders - no co-exist

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Good: kids to play; Likes monument

Bad: Teenagers drug use - not patrolled by police - chase away kids
kids drinking (small kids) (big problem in township) - still pain gambling
14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Previously open field

Maybe saw a need for a park (municipality)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis)

Kids bunk school to come drive

Mix coldrink with still pain - drink + high. (cough) (syrup)

There's chess but nothing to play with - no people use it - rather used for soccer - because there's no soccer fields.

More grass = less maintained.

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 6/4/2024 Time: 12:00 Park: NAUNDE S. Interview #: MS-04-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth	Male	
Adult / gaurdian of minors X	Female X	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. **Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here?** (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

Yes,
Close to park

2. **How do you define nature?** How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Good, fabulous
This park

3. **What role does nature play in your life?** What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Events, festive, funerals
Very important

4. **How do you use nature?** What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?


Pray, Aerobics before drug use. (rob)

5. **What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?** (Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Rivers, mountains
Hiking.

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you? Which do you like most / least...why?

		
Too quiet lot of artificial	Play equipment kids can play.	
		
X - like waters, river Won't be in parks. Want to see more		This is nature. Won't be in city (more mountainside)

[Note preferences, aversions, commentary on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ In South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

Morone ^a park (especially with festive times)

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?				X		
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?				X		
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?		X				Always been
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?						
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?)

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Bad: Parks are bad/ changing - drug use, unsafe
Paving - vegetation - allergies

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

INTERVIEW WAS CUT SHORT DUE TO
BAND - CHILDREN MOSTLY
COMMUNITY, HIRE BAND TO PLAY AT
FUNERAL
LOUP + COOL!

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher:

Date: 06/04/2024 Time: 12:25 Park: Maunde Square Interview #: MS-05-2024

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Section A: Biographical details [For researcher: Observation only]

Age	Gender	Other notes:
Youth <u>X</u> - <u>student</u>	Male <u>X</u>	
Adult / guardian of minors	Female	
Pensioner	Non-binary / Self-identifies during interview:	

Section B: Home / Landscapes of Home

1. Do you know this place well, did you grow up around here? (How would you describe your home? Is it close by? Are you comfortable sharing more about the landscape where you grew up?)

No - staying in Hatfield - panelbeat car

Grew up in villages - diet in

City: more difficult, expensive - buy food - at home - in nature

2. How do you define nature? How would you describe nature to someone? Do you think this park can be described as nature / or has any natural elements to it?

Flora and fauna - the environment. Modified by people.
were leaving footprint - degraded. Plants, animals.

This park isn't - not natural

3. What role does nature play in your life? What is your feeling towards nature? What does it mean for you?

Geography teacher. understanding nature - for climate change mitigation, oxygen, shade. Can't live without
Important. learn from nature. protect

4. How do you use nature? What activities do you do in a public nature setting? (For e.g. stories, games, rituals, customs) Where do you use nature? How else do you think nature can be used? Where / how?

Shade, relax Primary School: plant + take care @ school

Village: Wood from nature, build houses - Mountains - food; wild

Fruits, medicine (prefer natural medicines) extract

5. What is your favourite landscape feature (mountain / river etc) plant / animal species (why)?
(Can you describe it? Why is it important to you?)

Aloes - medicinal

Willow trees - flue, boil - steam, drink water

Parks modified for people.

Sepedi = Hlonga / Kizulu = UMHLONYANE

Fruits: AMAVIYO (Sour)
- Matshidi Plum
- Magooshi Makate
- Makatswa
- Ditoko (prickle pear)

6. Which of these pictures reminds you of nature places that you have been to / know / feels familiar / feels comfortable...? Why? Is that important to you... Which do you like most / least...why?



Dislikes this.
Only at a lot of plants
as it is government
planted, perfect
(planned)
This is not nature -
nature is not planned shaped itself.



likes this one
looks clean
other rivers polluted.
Tranquility
"looks more natural
not manipulated
Beautiful - ~~tourism~~

like & this one.
Food for animals -
grazing
Variety of trees
cut - maybe deforestation.

[Note preferences, aversions, comfortability on aesthetics, human-nature relationships, emotive responses, stories or memories, IKS / Ritual aspects etc.]

Section C: Comparative Study

7. What other nature spaces do you know in the CoT/ In South Africa? (Why are they important to you? How is this park different or the same as others that you know in the CoT, or elsewhere)

picnic - spend entire day there.
Jan Cilliers - source of life - birds, fishes (now closed -
preservation) - but good if it's open - understand protection.

3rd yr: Botanical recreation - collapsed - from human impact.

8. What would make you feel more comfortable here? (What do you think will make people use this space more? What physical changes are necessary (if any)? Does it meet your cultural needs?)

Dislikes park

Removing paving - only for footpaths, more vegetation, play area.

This

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Section D: Current park conditions

Is this park...	Don't know 1	Strongly dislike 2	Disagree 3	Agree 4	Strongly agree 5	Notes (why?)
... well looked after?		X				litter, dirty, paving
... a place that meets your needs? Emotional, spiritual?		X				
... a place you identify with? Feel like you belong?		X				
... a place that you/ as a community feel responsible for?					X	Who else?
What is your overall experience within the park?	Somewhat dissatisfied	Dissatisfied X	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Satisfied	Notes (why?)

9. What is your main reason for visiting this park? (What do you think about this park? Do you come here often? What attracts you, why? Who do you come with? Is there anything that makes you not want to come here?) /

Panelbeat car - waiting - sitting in shade.

10. What do you feel about the other people using this park? Are there people that you meet up with here regularly / avoid? Does anyone cause problems in the park? Do you know who looks after the park?

- Do you think you can enjoy the park together?
- What needs to change so you can enjoy the park together?

People use it as a parking lot, car-wash, chilling.

11. [Show map to indicate areas that participants talk about]

- What do you like most, why?
- What do you like least, why?
- Physical features that you would like to see? (For e.g. paving, water features, play equipment, food places, performance spaces, plants, art, sculptures, shaded spaces)

Should grow as it is.

Paving - no space for medicinal plants

Alien plants

14. What do you know about the history of this park? How did it come to be, who was involved? (Is it important to you? Do you feel it should be changed / kept as is?)

After -

At

Date: _____ Time: _____ Park: _____ Interview #: _____

Researcher notes / reflections / interpretations (keep in mind that these notes are part of your first steps in analysis:

Alien plants - takes water // can't think^{relax} when littering.

No space for medicinal plants

People get rid of plants - housing.

Can parks / this park be more natural? What should it look like?

More trees, grasses

Maybe it's not like that - snakes

Botanical gardens

- conservation

- indigenous plants

- variety of biodiversity

- Emotional satisfaction

- Relate with nature

- rather site seeing (risk to collect)

Sketches / diagrams (eg. relational diagrams)

Researcher: