

Review of: "Redefining borders in the contested territory between San Pedro and San Andres Cholula"

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The article was informative and brought in an engaging cross-section of evidence and methods from architecture, cartography, and, to a degree, history. I have no substantial changes to suggest; however, I noted a number of typographical errors and grammatical mistakes. I also made an aesthetic suggestion for the first map (Figure 1). I hope these help:

Figure 1: Change town names from red to black or blue. Currently, the red town names get a bit lost in front of the red urban space.

Typo, paragraph beginning with "In the case of the Cholulas," – Change "latterwere" to "latter were"

Typos, paragraph beginning with "Another two events..." – Make dashes consistent after "in Mexico", Change "land tenure.After" to "land tenure. After", Change "low price,." To "low price."

Typo, "mainly due ue to"

Typo, "redefine them,, we"

Typo, change "ways:1)" to "ways: 1"

Expression, change "where the people can" to "where people can"

Expression, change "mapped data, to then, converted into" to "mapped data, to then convert into"

Unclear sentence, rephrase: "To be able to distinguish between the boundaries and borders, it was also considered three conditions for this research: dichotomy, overlapping, and subjectivity."

Typo, "social imaginary ⁷that", change to "social imaginary⁷ that"

Expression, "The personal thoughts", delete "The"

Grammar, "intervene the space", change to "intervene in the space"

Typo, " critical polygons", Change to "critical polygons"

Grammar, "children, women, and indigenous people", capitalize "Indigenous" as it is a proper noun in English; this is the

current convention.

Typos, “e.g., availability of: drinking water, sewage, and electricity; b) Access to basic public services, e.g. education / illiteracy” – make “e.g.” consistent.

Typo, “polygonis the”, change to “polygon is the”

Typo, “veryclose to the area”, change to “very close to the area”

Typo, “transportation, a a strong”, Change to “transportation, a strong”

Sentence starting “Five critical polygons” is too long, rephrase and divide in two.

Grammar, “in terms of governance, and what the citizens' opinion”, change to “in terms of governance and the opinion of citizens.”

Typo, “has, therefore”, change to “has therefore”

Expression “municipality to go to solve problems”, change to “municipality to visit to solve problems”

Typo, “some boundaries., limiting” , change to “some boundaries, limiting”

Grammar, “and thus creating a border that restricts”, change to “and thus create a border that restricts”

Typo, change “We then, focused on Soja’s approach” to “We then focused on Soja’s approach”

Typo, change “can be removed.. And because” to “can be removed. And because”

Typo, change “(monitoring with data in long-term studies)..” to “(monitoring with data in long-term studies).”