



# Singapore to London Overland

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# The First Great Overland



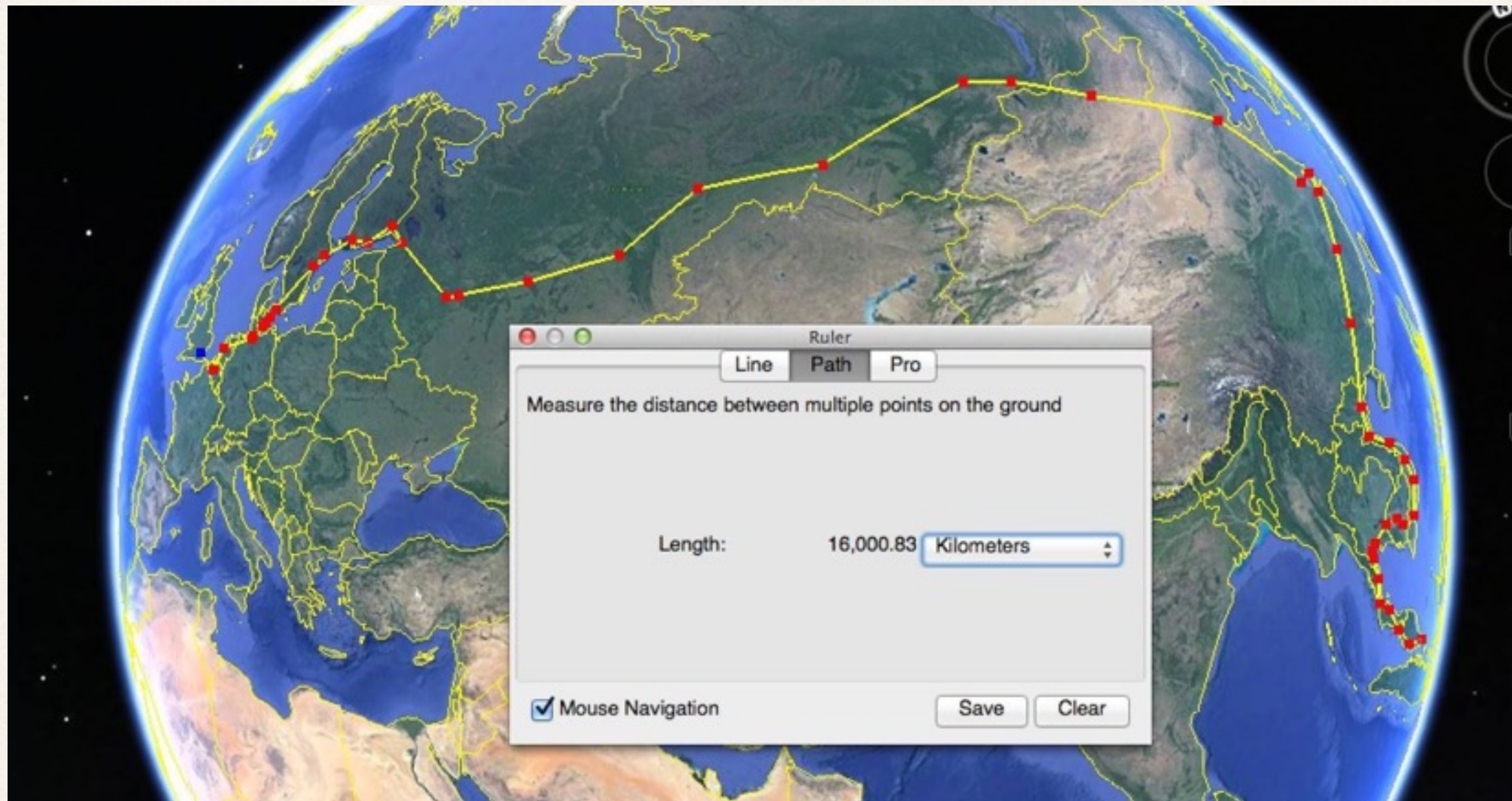


# Selfie Time Lapse Video

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# Trip Overview





# “Cost of Silence”

## Academic Rationale

- ❖ What is silence?
- ❖ What does it “cost”?
- ❖ How does going ‘overland’  
change travel?



# Methodology

- *Soundscapes*
- *Travel Writing*
- *Train Travel*





# Soundscapes

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“sounded anthropology”

“...a publicly circulating entity that is a produced effect of social practices, politics, and ideologies while also being implicated in the shaping of those practices, politics, and ideologies.”

- David  
Samuels

# Travel Writing

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“Writing of every kind is a way to wake oneself up and keep as alive as when one has just fallen in love.”

- Pico Iyer

❖ Travel Fatigue

❖ Tunes us in to what we might otherwise miss



# What Silence Costs

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*Silence – the perception of  
nothing*

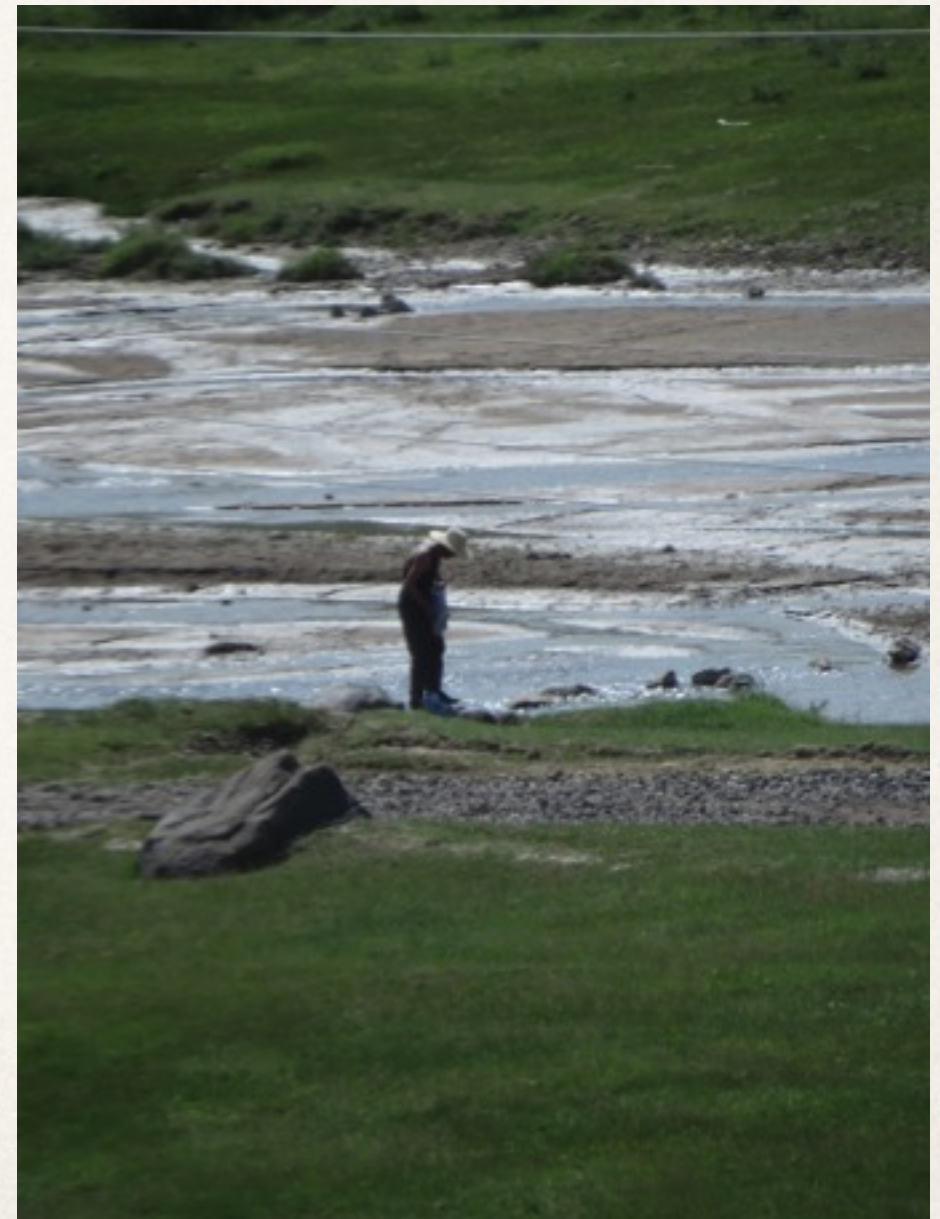
Silence in travel  
Silence in empathy  
Silence in thought

The wonder around you  
and your place in it



# Train Travel

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Video

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# Personal Reflection

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Q&A

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Look around!

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