Emanuel Coutures is proud to call himself a pioneer; not just a navigator, but a true explorer. He is the first to have come across the Lagoons of New Caledonia — a site that was declared a World Heritage site in 2008. Emanuel was among the few who saw the lagoons for the first time. He is the one who first declared the lagoons a World Heritage site. "I was the first to see these islands," he said.

The Lagoons of New Caledonia are home to some of the most diverse marine habitats in the world. They are home to over 24,000 square kilometers of coral reefs, which make up more than 10% of the world's coral reefs. The lagoons are home to over 1,500 species of fish, and more than 1,000 species of birds. The lagoons are also home to some of the most unique marine species in the world, such as the giant clam, which is found nowhere else.

The lagoons are not only home to a diverse range of marine species, but they are also home to a rich cultural heritage. The indigenous Tais people have lived in the lagoons for over 4,000 years. They have a rich history of hunting, gathering, and fishing. The Tais people have also developed a unique system of navigation, which has allowed them to travel the lagoons for generations.

It is for these reasons that the lagoons have been declared a World Heritage site. Emanuel is proud to have been a part of this important discovery, and he is excited to share it with the world.

The lagoons are not just a place of beauty, they are also a place of learning. Emanuel and his team have spent many years studying the lagoons, and they have learned a lot about the diverse marine habitats that exist there.

The lagoons are a true treasure, and Emanuel is proud to have been a part of the discovery. He hopes that others will also be able to share in this special place.

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