



SOCIETY FOR CALIFORNIA ARCHAEOLOGY

2024 ANNUAL MEETING

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2024 SCA MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

To renew your membership via U.S. Mail, please return this page, along with your dues (checks only, please) to the SCA Business Office. To renew with a credit card, log on to your Member’s page at scahome.org.

Lifetime Members: Of course, you’re not required to renew, but we ask that you please consider becoming a Sustaining Lifetime Member or support your favorite SCA program.

Please be sure to confirm your contact information included in the body of the Registration Packet email where this document was attached. Update your information online or send to office@scahome.org.

Renewals are due January 1, 2024.

Membership Category	Dues
Contributing	\$115.00
Regular	\$90.00
Senior (65+)	\$50.00
Student*	\$30.00
Sustaining Lifetime <i>(for current lifetime members only)</i>	\$50.00

*Students, please send a photo of your student identification or a current transcript to office@scahome.org.

Optional Contribution Categories

The SCA relies upon the generosity of its members to fund important programs. Please consider donating to the programs below. Even a small donation is meaningful!

- Native American Programs Committee (NAPC)
- Coalition for Diversity in California Archaeology (CDCA)
- Bennyhoff Memorial Award
- Archaeology Month Programs
- SCA Endowment Fund
- Student Annual Meeting Support Fund
- INAH (providing travel assistance for INAH archaeologists to attend the SCA Annual Meeting)

Total Enclosed _____

Please make checks payable to “SCA” Society for California Archaeology, P.O. Box 2582, Granite Bay, CA 95746.

2024 EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTIONS

Vote for the individual running for each position or add a write-in name. Vote electronically at <https://sfca.wildapricot.org/Sys/Poll/48431>

POSITION STATEMENTS

PRESIDENT

MONICA STRAUSS

Rincon Consultants, Inc.

Education; professional background, and research interests

I am a lifelong California native, having grown up in the greater Los Angeles area. I earned a BA and MA in Anthropology from California State University, Northridge, where I worked in the archaeology lab and as an Anthro department student peer advisor. As an undergrad and graduate student, I participated in several field seasons on San Clemente Island and after several years of fieldwork across Southern California and Arizona, I began my professional career with EDAW/AECOM, where I built a Los Angeles based cultural resources practice. Since 2009 I served as Cultural Resources Director at Environmental Science Associates managing a group of multi-disciplinary cultural resources practitioners and providing clients with strategic regulatory guidance. Just recently I began a position with Rincon Consultants where I provide visioning and senior technical and operational leadership to the cultural resources group. I have also served as workshop content author and session presenter for other organizations including the Association of Environmental Professionals and Continuing Legal Education International on various cultural resources topics. My research interests include maritime adaptation, the history and archaeology of Los Angeles, and the impacts of CEQA case law on cultural resources management practice in California.

Position Statement

I have been a long-time member of the SCA, and have appreciated the organization, as my professional community, supporting me in critical ways as I evolved through my career. As a student, I looked forward to the meetings as a place to connect with professors and potential employers. As an early professional, I benefitted from connecting the knowledge and research presenters shared with the work experience I was gaining. At this point in my career, I enjoy opportunities the SCA provides to keep in touch with colleagues, remain in tune with current research, and to share my experiences and valuable lessons learned with others.

As cultural resources issues become increasingly front and center for maintenance and development projects across the State, the need for qualified archaeological professionals and strong academic programs is growing. Approaching projects in a way that meets social expectations, regulatory requirements, and fosters research opportunities is paramount. Working together as an SCA community to share, learn, and grow to meet this demand is exciting. I look forward to the opportunity to provide leadership and would be humbled to serve.

Northern Vice-President

JUSTIN WISELY

Pacific Legacy, Inc.

Education; Professional Background, and Research Interests

I earned my AA from Las Positas Community College in 2007, my BA from CSU Sacramento in 2009, and my MA from CSU Chico in 2016. I have worked in cultural resource management (CRM) since 2009, starting as an on call technician with the Archaeological Research Center at Sac State, Far Western, Pacific Legacy, and WCRM until becoming a full time staff member with Far Western in 2014. I left Far Western for Cardno in 2018 but found my new home with Pacific Legacy in 2020. I co-chaired the 2023 annual meeting and am co-chairing the 2024 annual meeting. I am interested in both historic and prehistoric archaeology, ethnography, and archaeobotany. I specialize in starch grain analysis on ground stone, flaked stone, and dental calculus with a focus on non-destructive methodologies.

Position Statement

I am running for Northern California Vice President because I would like the opportunity to support the SCA and those it serves. As the Northern California Vice President, I will take pride in facilitating cooperation among the members and coordinating accessible events focused on equity and inclusion. I will focus on encouraging the next generation to become more involved with the SCA and work on outreach to students early in their education through our members. I understand the importance of fostering a student's interest in our field with the support of being able to demonstrate a path to employment, a topic that was not covered during much of my education. I have gained experience with implementing the goals of the SCA through co-chairing the 2023 and upcoming 2024 annual meeting. I will bring the necessary outlook and experience to meet the adapting needs of the SCA and our members. As my main responsibility as the northern California Vice President would be planning and coordinating the northern California data sharing meetings, I would work diligently to select venues that would be accessible to students from various backgrounds and financial standings, while appealing to presenters with interesting paper topics. I am a long-standing member of the SCA who has enjoyed taking part in the various events and programs that membership provides, and I look forward to doing my part in making sure those opportunities are available to the next generation of members.

Secretary

SEANA GAUSE

Sonoma County Transportation Authority

Education; professional background, and research interests:

Professional Background:

Thirteen years in Cultural Resources Management with Sonoma State University Academic Foundation, California Department of Transportation, and University of California, Berkeley, Phoebe Hearst Museum of Anthropology. Twenty-five years in transportation planning and programming. I currently work for the Sonoma County Transportation Authority where I manage sales tax revenue, state and federal funding and transportation projects.

Relevant Volunteer Background:

Sonoma County Historic Records Commissioner (June 2023 to present)

Non-profit Board positions held: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Parliamentarian, and voting member at large for three non-profit organizations.

Research Interests:

Pre-contact California, Ichthyology, shell beads and ornaments.

Position Statement:

I am running for SCA Board Secretary because I want to be more involved in SCA. I came of age, as it were, under Dave Fredrickson at Sonoma State and working with the past has been my passion since before I was in high school. I worked as an archaeologist for thirteen years and was the first NAGPRA Coordinator for the Anthropological Studies Center before leaving to work for Caltrans as an archaeologist and environmental planner. My professional career has taken me away from working directly with the archaeological community, but I have maintained my membership in the SCA because it is where my passion still lives. I feel strongly about being involved and giving back to the Society and am looking to provide some benefit that can make a difference with my skills. I have served on several non-profit boards in all positions, save treasurer, but relevantly as Secretary. I am familiar with maintaining the administrative record, the necessity for accuracy and timely filing of minutes. I have also recently been appointed to the Sonoma County Historic Records Commission because I want to be involved in preserving and protecting the past. If elected I will be afforded an opportunity to be directly (administratively) involved again in what I love doing. Thank you for your consideration.



Society for California Archaeology 58th Annual Meeting

Thursday, March 7—Sunday, March 10, 2024 | Riverside Convention Center

2024 ANNUAL MEETING INFORMATION

Enclosed is your registration packet for the 58th Annual Meeting of the Society for California Archaeology, Thursday, March 7, through Sunday, March 10, 2024, in Riverside, California.

This packet includes:

- Meeting Registration Forms
- Details about Reception, Silent Auction, Annual Banquet, Workshops, and more
- Forms for Silent Auction Donors, Auction Beverage Table Hosts, Bookroom Vendors, Program Advertisements, Underwriters, and Volunteers

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

EARLY BIRD PACKAGE DEADLINE - DECEMBER 15, 2023. Receive significant savings on meeting registration fees, the banquet, and silent auction when purchased as a package.

VOLUNTEERS - FEBRUARY 2, 2024. Volunteers may receive a registration fee waiver, but **limited waivers are available and they are granted on a first-come, first-served basis.** See the enclosed volunteer form for details.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS-

MARRIOTT RIVERSIDE AT THE CONVENTION CENTER – DEADLINE FEBRUARY 20, 2024. Reservations for the Riverside Convention Center must be made by the deadline to receive the special rate.

THE MISSION INN – DEADLINE FEBRUARY 16, 2024. Reservations for the Mission Inn must be made by the deadline to receive the special rate.

PREREGISTRATION DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 16, 2024

NOTE: MEETING REGISTRATION AND ALL OTHER FORMS MAY BE COMPLETED ONLINE AT WWW.SCAHOME.ORG

The SCA Executive Board strives to ensure that our meetings are held in a comfortable and secure environment in which our members feel respected and that their concerns have been heard and are understood. As such, we want to call attention to the SCA policy for content pertaining to human remains in presentations.

NO depictions of the remains of any specific person, regardless of ancestry, are to be included in any presentations, including photographs, drawings, x-rays, 3-D models, etc. Diagrams of generic skeletons, bones, teeth, or other body tissues are acceptable.

If human remains are to be discussed, the SCA Executive Board requests confirmation that descendant communities have been consulted and that there are no unresolved objections to the information being presented.

A caution symbol will be placed next to all presentations discussing human remains in the program and on signage outside the door of the session so that those who wish to avoid this subject matter can easily do so.

If you have any questions regarding this policy, please contact the SCA at office@scahome.org.

HOTEL REGISTRATION

The 2024 conference location is the Riverside Convention Center. We have negotiated room blocks at the Marriott Riverside at the Convention Center and The Mission Inn. Government rates may be available at individual hotels, please contact the hotel directly. **If you call for reservations you must reference “2024 SCA 58th Annual Meeting” to receive the discounted rates.**

Marriott Riverside at the Convention Center

3400 Market St, Riverside, CA 92501

\$164 USD per night

Parking \$25.00 per night

Book DIRECT with the Marriott and be sure to use correct check in and out dates.

Reservations for the event must be made directly with Marriott reservations at 1 (800) 228-9290

Attendees must reference the “**2024 SCA 58th Annual Meeting**” when making their reservation.

Local Phone: (951) 784-8000

RESERVE ONLINE <https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1700248118493&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

Rates available from Sunday, March 2, 2024 - Wednesday, March 13, 2024

The last day to book at the negotiated rate is February 20, 2024

The Mission Inn

3649 Mission Inn Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501

\$169 USD per night

Parking \$20.00 per night, discounted rate

Book DIRECT with The Mission Inn and be sure to use correct check in and out dates.

Each attendee should contact the hotel's Room Reservations Department at 800-843-7755 or 951-784-0300, extension 850. Attendees must reference the “**2024 SCA 58th Annual Meeting**” when making their reservation.

Local Phone: (951) 784-0300

Online reservation code: <https://reservations.travelclick.com/74028?groupID=2802814>

Rates available from Sunday, March 2, 2024 - Wednesday, March 13, 2024

The last day to book at the negotiated rate is February 16, 2024

Parking at the Riverside Convention Center

The City of Riverside parking Lot 33, adjacent to the Riverside Convention Center has a cash rate of \$10.00 per vehicle, per day.

Airport Transportation

The Riverside Convention Center is located ~16 miles from the Ontario Airport.

There are several options to get from the airport to the convention center and hotels, [Rome2Rio](#) shows several options and their costs.

PLENARY SESSION

SCA's 58th Annual Meeting theme is "Considering Cultural Landscapes," chosen to acknowledge that archaeology, especially as it relates to Cultural Resource Management, has an augmented responsibility to identify and describe landscapes as resource categories. Due in part to investigations unprecedented in size and scope, landscapes have been used to embody associations and functions which evoke a sense of history for a specific place. Native American landscapes of both the recent and ancient past are increasingly recognized in part due to Native people communicating their unique perspective on places they live, and in part by archaeologists employing a structure for grouping related resources. Working in tandem, archaeologists, who may be responsible for evaluation and effects analyses, and Native people with cultural values and expertise about a place, together can provide context and perspective on these historically significant and expansive landscapes.

The President's Plenary will be on Friday morning, March 8th and will focus on Traditional Cultural Landscapes (TCLs) in a forum-style discussion with a panel of Native American cultural preservation leaders. The aim of the forum is to provide perspectives on these landscapes, to engage with SCA members in a discussion about values associated with TCLs to living communities, to discuss the nature of eligibility and significance of TCLs, and to provide examples about archaeologists and Native people working together in preservation and conservation of such places.

SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER WITH MOCKTAIL, BEER, AND WINE TASTING

The 2024 Reception/Silent Auction and mocktail, beer, and wine tasting event will be held at the Convention Center and includes dinner.

As you taste and sip your way through the offerings, there will be many items up for auction, as usual. Years past have featured a surfboard, rare maps, and handmade jewelry; the silent auction always has something for everyone. As usual, the fabulous CRM firms that are a part of our community will host a variety of tasty beverages for your enjoyment. The Silent Auction is always a popular event and offers wonderful opportunities to catch up with old friends and meet new ones. We encourage you to buy your ticket early - this event often sells out!

ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

The Annual Banquet will be held on Saturday night, March 9th. Please join us and celebrate as we recognize our friends and colleagues who will be recognized for their outstanding service in our field. Arrangements for a banquet demonstration are still in the works, and we will notify you as soon as details are finalized. We are anticipating a Native American demonstration prior to the food being served.

Banquet Dinner Options:

Tequila Lime Cilantro Chicken Breast - Served with a Roasted Molcajete Salsa | Roasted Poblano | Yukon Mashed Potatoes | Sautéed Yellow Squash

Braised Beef Short Rib - Slow Braised Beef Short Rib in a Rich Zinfandel Demi-Glace | Creamy Blue Cheese Polenta | Roasted Asparagus

Green Lentil & Mixed Vegetable Hot Pot with Jasmine Rice (Vegan/Gluten Free)

WORKSHOPS

Please be aware that all workshops are scheduled for Thursday, March 7, 2024, with morning and afternoon sessions presented concurrently.

Thursday Morning	Thursday Afternoon
Introduction to Comparative Osteology	Advanced Human Osteology
Foraging Theory and Practice, Part I	Foraging Theory and Practice, Part II
Obsidian Hydration Dating	Historic Plastics in the Archaeological Record
Construction Compliance Monitoring	Experimental Archaeology

OSTE1: Introduction to Comparative Osteology

Instructor: Melanie Beasley

Encountering human or non-human bone in the field is something many of us experience. This hands-on workshop is designed to help archaeologists and monitors get acquainted with basic osteological identification methods. The workshop will use comparative materials to focus on identifying human versus non-human bone. This course is a basic introduction to the skeleton and features that can be useful for differentiating human from other mammal bone.

Preregistration is required.

Maximum enrollment: 25	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Cost: \$40.00
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OSTE2: Advanced Human Osteology

Instructor: Melanie Beasley

Often we encounter human bone in the field and it is the only opportunity to capture information to contribute to the analysis and interpretation of human remains. This hands-on workshop is designed to help archaeologists and monitors recognize the key features to distinguish sex, age, ancestry, and distinguishing life history features. This workshop is not intended as a substitute for consulting with a biological anthropologist for the analysis of remains, but rather to equip archaeologists to recover and recognize information that is important for skeletal analysis that is sometimes lost after remains are removed from the field context. Emphasis will be placed on what information can be gained from highly fragmented human remains.

Preregistration is required.

Maximum enrollment: 25	1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Cost: \$40.00
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FORAG1: Foraging Theory and Practice

Instructor: Robert L. Bettinger, Distinguished Professor Emeritus, UC Davis

This workshop will introduce the theoretical foundation of foraging theory, beginning with the concept of rational choice and definition of costs and benefits. Explores application of the foraging models most amenable to application to the archaeological and ethnographic record. Participants may sign up for morning and afternoon, morning only, or afternoon only. Session costs cover flash drives programmed with spreadsheets to execute applications of all models covered. **Must bring a laptop to obtain full benefit.** Working knowledge of Microsoft Excel is highly useful. **Preregistration is required.**

Morning Session

Rational choice theory

Foraging costs and benefits

Diet breadth

Front vs. back loaded resources

Maximum enrollment: 30	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Cost: \$40.00
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FORAG2: Foraging Theory and Practice

Afternoon Session

Linear programming

Marginal value theorem

Field processing

Technological investment (including newest, unpublished models)

Maximum enrollment: 30	1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Cost: \$40.00
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OBSI: Obsidian Hydration Dating Workshop

Instructor: Alexander (Sandy) Rogers, MA, MS, RPA

The goal of this workshop is to provide insight into the theory and methods of obsidian hydration dating (OHD). It should help enable the archaeologist to perform OHD analyses and enable the manager to ask the right questions. The workshop will cover the basic principles of obsidian hydration and the models employed in dating; how to develop an appropriate effective hydration temperature (EHT); various methods of computing a hydration rate; guidelines for data analysis; and numerous cautions. An Excel spreadsheet with numerical models for conducting an OHD analysis will be provided. Mathematics will be kept to a minimum but cannot be avoided entirely. Electronic copies of key references will be provided. **Preregistration is required.**

Maximum enrollment: 30	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Cost: \$40.00
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PLAS: Historic Plastics in the Archaeological Record

Instructors: Kimberly Wooten and Julia Huddleson

As ubiquitous as plastic may seem in the archaeological record, plastic artifacts are quickly moving into the period of historic significance. A basic understanding of this material type will be increasingly important for recording and evaluating archaeological sites. This workshop will give an overview of the history and development of plastics, followed by hands-on training with plastic artifacts from the early 1900s through to the modern era with a focus on domestic sites. In many ways plastic can be seen as a hallmark of the Anthropocene, and the last 30 minutes will be a guided discussion of contemporary plastic archaeology, with time focused on individual solutions to the current plastic pollution crisis. A thumb drive of plastic reference materials will be included with the workshop fee. **Preregistration is required.**

Maximum enrollment: 20	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Cost: \$30.00
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CONST: Construction Compliance Monitoring

Instructors: Dustin Swenson, Tony Overly, Monica Strauss, and Sara Dietler

In the face of rapid growth and infrastructure development expected in the next several years, archaeological monitoring will be a vital compliance tool to ensure adequate site protection. This workshop provides a broad overview of the construction compliance workspace to address the different aspects of complex, multi-subcontractor construction projects and how archaeological monitoring fits into the general compliance framework. It is intended to be equally valuable for entry-level monitors and others with construction project experience. The workshop is not a technical “how to identify archaeological features in the field” but rather covers practical solutions and problem-solving for field personnel in typical situations through formal presentations, real world scenarios, and group discussion. **Preregistration is required.**

Maximum enrollment: 30	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Cost: \$30.00
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EXPER: Experimental Archaeology Workshop

Instructors: Martijn Kuypers, Far Western Anthropological Research Group and Kevin Smith Ph.D., Catch N Cook California

This workshop will focus on hands-on training in experimental archaeology and a variety of traditional technologies including flaked stone, shell and perishable materials. It will start with a short PowerPoint that focuses on experimental design, method, theory, research questions, and controlled vs in-field actualistic experimentation. After the presentation focus will be on instruction with various traditional technologies common to the California archaeological record and beyond. **Preregistration is required.**

Maximum enrollment: 20	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Cost: \$50.00
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SUNDAY FIELD TRIP

San Bernardino County Museum

Breakout Session and Behind the Scenes Collections Tour

Family Friendly Day at San Bernardino County Museum

Enjoy this regions’ premiere natural history museum at 50% discount. San Bernardino County Museum is a multidisciplinary museum with a Inland Southern California regional focus. The museum exhibits and collections draw from the rich cultural and natural history of San Bernardino County, the largest county in the United States. Permanent exhibits include biodiversity, minerals, history, and anthropology. Special exhibits include regional art, and stories related to Inland Southern California. Exploration Station features a fully interactive STEAM Play Space where children can learn about science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics while discovering different ways to view the world. Throughout the year, the museum holds large public experiential programs for adults, families, and students.

Mission: Through the lens of the region’s dynamic cultural and natural history, the San Bernardino County Museum develops visitors’ appreciation of our diverse regional identity to spark their curiosity, to stimulate inquiry, to challenge their assumptions, and to invite them to contribute to our common future.

Behind the Scenes Tour at San Bernardino County Museum

Tour the acclaimed archaeological curation facility that houses the region’s most important collections. As the only federally recognized nonfederal curation facility, San Bernardino County Museum houses the history for regional (and global) groups. Learn about our role in the archaeological industry, our relationship to the land and the communities that steward it and get a firsthand look at artifacts and the stories they tell. Preregistration required (limit 40). No large bags allowed in collections spaces. 50% discounted admission pricing.

STUDENT EVENTS

Let's Do Lunch

Let's Do Lunch pairs students with more senior members for lunch, providing students an opportunity to meet an archaeological professional and ask questions about obtaining a job, building a resume, or getting into graduate school. Pairing people at random gives students a chance to meet professionals who they might not otherwise encounter at the meeting. This also gives the senior members of our Society a chance to mentor the next generation of California archaeologists and pass along knowledge about how to be successful in the field.

Let's Do Lunch will be held on Saturday, March 9, at 12:00 p.m. (meet in the registration area at 11:45 a.m.). The SCA will arrange for a venue for the luncheon. The regular member is asked to "treat" the student member by buying them lunch. While regular members will be paired with a single student, the venue will probably seat multiple pairs together, so there will be opportunities for students to chat with more than one professional. This is a wonderful event, so please check the box in your registration packet to participate in Let's Do Lunch. Buying lunch for a student member is the best investment in the future of the SCA and can make a real difference!

Student Mixer

The Student Affairs Committee has organized its annual Student Mixer at the SCA Annual Meeting. The goal of the Student Mixer is to provide students an opportunity to network with professionals and academics in the California archaeological community. Students, please come and take advantage of the years of collective wisdom from our group of professionals participating in this year's event. Come prepared to mix, mingle, and ask questions about getting archaeology jobs or internships in California, advice for creating more competitive resumes, and suggestions for getting into graduate programs.

The student mixer will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. prior to the Annual Banquet on Saturday, March 9, in conjunction with a cash bar. Come one, come all to mix and mingle and provide advice to the next generation of California archaeologists.

Ethics Bowl

Organized similarly to the SAA Ethics Bowl, held at their annual meetings for several years now, teams of three to five graduate and/or undergraduate students from various universities and colleges will compete against each other in a series of rounds. The winning team moves on to the next round until there is a final winning team. The winning team takes home a traveling trophy to display in the institution's department for the next year and their team/school name is engraved onto the trophy. Additional prizes will be awarded to the winning team members. All students that participate will receive a free year of Student Membership with the SCA.

Full description <https://scahome.org/event-5478046> or contact Robert Fitzgerald for more information, fitzgeraldrw@gmail.com.

DONATE TO THE SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER

The Silent Auction is an important fundraising event for the SCA. The success of this event is completely dependent on the generosity of all members of our Society. We encourage you to think outside the box this year to help us get donations and make this the most successful auction ever! Do you have a timeshare that you might be willing to donate a week of? A friend who owns a winery that might be willing to donate a gift basket or wine tasting? A local business you frequent that might donate a gift basket or certificate? A behind-the-scenes tour at a museum or other venue? Theme park tickets? Individual members and businesses are encouraged to donate any items which will help raise money for the SCA, so please branch out this year and ask the businesses you frequent, work for, or have other connections with to donate. Item donation form <https://forms.gle/wSBAmhOgPfuunnF28>.

For businesses, the Silent Auction represents a great opportunity to let all attendees know that your firm is an active, generous participant within the archaeological community. Don't forget, your donations are tax deductible, and with recent tax changes this is all the more important! We need YOU to help us get donations to continue to support the SCA and these meetings and events that we all enjoy. We are asking firms that donate beer or wine to the Silent Auction to also consider providing a non-alcoholic option, such as mocktails, bottled water, or soda.

General questions regarding the Silent Auction should be directed to the Business Office at office@scahome.org or (530) 342-3537. Questions regarding the donation of goods should be directed to Jennifer Barbee at jbarbee@appliedearthworks.com. If you're interested in being a beverage donor you can sign up at <https://scahome.org/event-5482885>. We ask that businesses, institutions, and individual members support this fun and fabulous event.

Books!!

The SCA no longer accepts books as Silent Auction donations, but we do accept books about anthropology, archaeology, and relevant scientific topics. Books will be offered for sale in the bookroom, and all proceeds become a donation to the SCA. Check back often because new books arrive daily. If you have books to donate, please contact Shelly Davis-King at shellydavisking@gmail.com or Tracey Booth at office@scahome.org.

CHILDCARE

The annual SCA conference is arguably the most important forum for California archaeologists to engage with other professionals, communicate new information, and forge new collaborations. Yet parents of young children find it extremely difficult to remain engaged in conference activities, and the costs of childcare (especially when combined with regular attendance costs) are often prohibitive. Created by the WCA, the SCA will be sponsoring on-site daycare at the annual meeting. **Preregistration is required.**

The WCA ensures a licensed provider, an adequate number of caretakers, and a safe environment. The care center will take place at the Convention Center.

The sign-up sheet is a non-committal survey to determine how many caretakers we will need to hire. Once signed-up, a follow-up email will be sent to collect more specifics about your care needs. This is a preregistration event as we will not be able to accommodate drop-ins.

Questions? Contact Alexandra Greenwald agreenwald@nhmu.utah.edu

FRIENDS OF BILL WILSON

A closed meeting of the friends of Bill Wilson will be held at the Society for California Archaeology's Annual Meeting on March 8 at 6:00 pm. Room location to be posted at a later time.

2024 REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Online: Log on to your member's page at www.scahome.org/memb/login.php.

Regular mail: Complete the meeting preregistration form and submit it to the SCA Business Office (checks only, please). Preregistration provides significant price breaks!

These Forms are for Meeting Registration Only. To make hotel reservations, refer to the information on page 9.

FEE SCHEDULE

Note: No refunds can be given after February 16, 2024.

Members Only! 2024 Early Bird. Save ~10% off the meeting registration fee when you sign up for the Meeting, Awards Banquet, and Silent Auction Deadline December 15, 2023		Preregistration Pricing Banquet Tickets: \$105 Auction Tickets: \$100 Use the form included herein. Preregistration Deadline is February 16, 2024		Late and On-Site Pricing Banquet Tickets: \$115 Auction Tickets: \$110 Late Registration Begins February 17, 2024	
Membership Category	Registration, Banquet, Auction	Membership Category	Registration Fee	Membership Category	Registration Fee
Regular	\$283.00	Regular	\$110.00	Regular	\$135.00
Senior	\$243.00	Senior	\$65.00	Senior	\$ 90.00
Student ¹	\$230.00	Student ¹	\$50.00	Student ¹	\$ 75.00
Non-Archeologist Spouse/Partner ²	\$230.00	Non-Archeologist Spouse/Partner ²	\$50.00	Non-Archeologist Spouse/Partner ²	\$ 75.00
Non-Member	N/A	Non-Member	\$150.00	Non-Member	\$175.00
Volunteer ³	N/A	Volunteer ³	Waived for students; 50% off for all other member types	Volunteer ³	N/A

¹Must provide proof of student status.

²This rate is for non-archaeologist spouses or partners accompanying a meeting-registered archaeologist.

³Must obtain a volunteer waiver in the preregistration period. Only the registration fee is waived, not the Silent Auction or Annual Banquet fees. To volunteer, use the form included herein.

Paying for more than one attendee? If you are a firm or agency paying for multiple attendees with one check, we must have one registration form for each attendee. Photocopy the attached form or obtain the form online at scahome.org.

If you plan to volunteer: The volunteer registration fee waiver is only for SCA members. Please consult the enclosed Volunteer Registration Form included herein for complete information.

A note on spouse memberships and registration: The SCA Executive Board has elected to discontinue the Spouse membership type. If you wish to bring your non-archaeologist spouse or partner to the meeting, you may use the spouse/partner rate without that person being a member of the Society. Professional archaeologists may not use the spouse/partner rate.

ANNUAL MEETING UNDERWRITERS

Event sponsorship can shape brand awareness of your company, promote customer loyalty, offer more exposure, and improve customer and employee attitudes to your business. The SCA is a non-profit organization which is supported by members, donations, and corporate sponsorships. Consider being a Corporate Sponsor.

Donor Categories:

Branding (\$3,000 and Up)
Diamond (\$2,500)
Platinum (\$1,500)
Gold (\$500 to \$1,000)
Supporter (\$50 to \$499)

The SCA Executive Board encourages businesses and corporations engaged in archaeological work in our state to demonstrate their appreciation of SCA efforts by making generous, tax deductible, donations. These contributions will enable our Society to continue its good work in both the public and private sectors, in education and advocacy, and representing professional archaeologists throughout California.

To support the SCA through the Annual Meeting go to <https://scahome.org/page-18367> or use the form included in this packet.

VOLUNTEER

The success of the Annual Meeting and the overall health of the SCA are directly related to the participation and generosity of our members. Please consider supporting the organization by volunteering for one or more of the following: (1) volunteer as staff during the Annual Meeting; (2) provide on-site assistance by staffing the registration desk; (3) help with setup and cleanup of the Silent Auction; and/or (4) be a meeting room monitor.

To volunteer, please return the Volunteer Form herein to P.O. Box 2582, Granite Bay, CA 95746 or register online at <https://scahome.org/event-5471291> by February 2, 2024. Questions? Contact Volunteer Coordinator Johanna Marty at johannamarty78@gmail.com or at (818) 738-5200.



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EARLY BIRD BUNDLE REGISTRATION FORM – DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 15, 2023

Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone:	Email:	
Early Bird Bundle Deal INCLUDES meeting registration fee, admission to the Silent Auction, and an Awards Banquet ticket. For Members Only! Register online at https://scahome.org/event-5439541		
◆ Regular: \$283.00	◆ Senior: \$243.00	◆ Student: \$230.00
Early Bird Fee	\$	
Spouse or Partner Name: This rate is for a NON-Archaeologist spouse or significant other only. Professional archaeologists may not use this rate.		Spouse Fee \$230.00
Workshops are Thursday, March 7, 2024 Registration for workshops is limited--first come, first served!		
OSTE1: Introduction to Comparative Osteology (AM)	\$40.00	\$
OSTE2: Advanced Human Osteology (PM)	\$40.00	\$
FORAG1: Foraging Theory and Practice (AM)	\$40.00	\$
FORAG2: Foraging Theory and Practice (PM)	\$40.00	\$
OBSI: Obsidian Hydration Dating Workshop (AM)	\$40.00	\$
PLAST: Historic Plastics in the Archaeological Record (PM)	\$30.00	\$
MONIT: Construction Compliance Monitoring (AM)	\$30.00	\$
EXPER: Experimental Archaeology (PM)	\$50.00	\$
Silent Auction, Friday, March 8, 2024		Included
Student/Professional Luncheon: "Let's Do Lunch" Saturday, March 9, 2024		<input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Professional
Awards Banquet, Saturday, March 9, 2024 (please indicate your entree choice)		
Tequila Lime Cilantro Chicken Breast with Molcajete Salsa and Roasted Vegetables	Included	
Braised Beef Short Ribs with Blue Cheese Polenta and Roasted Asparagus	Included	
Lentil & Mixed Vegetable Hot Pot (Vegan & GF)	Included	
Total Payment Enclosed:		\$



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PREREGISTRATION FORM – DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 16, 2024

Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone:	Email:	
◆ Regular: \$110.00 ◆ Senior: \$65.00 ◆ Student: \$50.00 ◆ Non-Member: \$150.00		Conference Fee
		\$
Spouse or Partner Name: This rate is for a NON-Archaeologist spouse or significant other only. Professional archaeologists may not use this rate.		\$50.00
		\$
Workshops are Thursday, March 7, 2024 Seating for workshops is limited--first come, first served!		
OSTE1: Introduction to Comparative Osteology (AM)	\$40.00	\$
OSTE2: Advanced Human Osteology (PM)	\$40.00	\$
FORAG1: Foraging Theory and Practice (AM)	\$40.00	\$
FORAG2: Foraging Theory and Practice (PM)	\$40.00	\$
OBSI: Obsidian Hydration Dating Workshop (AM)	\$40.00	\$
PLAST: Historic Plastics in the Archaeological Record (PM)	\$30.00	\$
MONIT: Construction Compliance Monitoring (AM)	\$30.00	\$
EXPER: Experimental Archaeology (PM)	\$50.00	\$
Silent Auction, Friday, March 8, 2024	\$100.00	\$
Student/Professional Luncheon: "Let's Do Lunch" Saturday, March 9, 2024	<input type="checkbox"/> Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Professional
Awards Banquet, Saturday, March 9, 2024 (please indicate your entree choice)		
Tequila Lime Cilantro Chicken Breast with Molcajete Salsa and Roasted Vegetables	\$105.00	
Braised Beef Short Ribs with Blue Cheese Polenta and Roasted Asparagus	\$105.00	
Lentil & Mixed Vegetable Hot Pot (Vegan & GF)	\$105.00	
Total Payment Enclosed:		\$



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VENDOR/BOOK ROOM FORM

Vendor set-up will be Thursday March 7, 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Breakdown must be completed by 5:00 p.m., Sunday, March 10, 2024. Please register online at <https://scahome.org/event-5478306>

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Company/Organization: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Rates are per six-foot table (including linens and two chairs) for the three days of the meeting.

1-2 tables: \$120.00 per table

3 or more tables: \$105.00 per table

Non-Profit: \$65.00 per table

Electric: \$65.00 (must be pre-ordered)

Internet: Regular use Wi-Fi is complimentary (ask about streaming).

Number of Tables	Rate	Electric	Total

At-meeting Contact Person 1 _____ Mobile _____

At-meeting Contact Person 2 _____ Mobile _____

Exhibitors shall indemnify and hold harmless the Society for California Archaeology, its officers, employees and members, and the Riverside Convention Center, from any and all liability that might ensue from any cause whatsoever. Exhibitors agree to make no claims against all parties listed above for any loss, theft, damage, or destruction of goods, or for any injury to themselves or employees while in the exhibit area.

Special Requests:

Table reservations are due by February 9, 2024.

Cancellations must be made via email to Alex DeGeorgey at alex@altaac.com before February 16, 2024, to receive a 50% refund.

Please Note: We are required to have the California Board of Equalization form BOE-410-D REV.6 (5-12) on file for all vendors EVEN IF YOU SELL NOTHING. Please complete and return the Seller's Certificate (found at <https://onlineservices.cdtfa.ca.gov/#1> via e-mail to office@scahome).

Authorized by: _____ Date _____

To pay by check, please return the completed form, along with your check made payable to the SCA, to: SCA BUSINESS OFFICE, P.O. Box 2582, Granite Bay, CA 95746, (530) 342-3537.



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ANNUAL MEETING VOLUNTEER FORM

The SCA needs YOUR help at the 58th Annual Meeting! Volunteers are a valuable resource at the SCA Annual Meeting. They assist the local planning committee, working as room monitors, ticket takers, registration desk assistants, event and tour help, etc. With your six-hour commitment, the registration fee is waived for students or discounted by 50% for other member types and you will receive access to all general sessions, symposiums, and non-ticketed workshops. All other events require tickets (see preregistration form). Of course, you will also receive our deepest gratitude!

- Only SCA members in good standing are eligible to volunteer. Students receive a registration-fee waiver; professionals receive 50% off the registration fee.
- Upon receipt of your volunteer form, student registration for sessions will be entered into the system. Other member types please contact the Business Office to use your 50% discount. If you wish to attend ticketed events (Auction, Banquet, or Workshops) you must register for them separately.
- Volunteers must register on or before February 1, 2024.
- Volunteer positions are limited, first-come, first-served!
- Make sure you indicate your volunteer status on the Meeting Registration Form.
- Only the registration fee is waived, not the cost of workshops and ticketed events.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address : _____ City, State, Zip Code _____

Email: _____

Please pick two slots:

- Thursday, March 7, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 7, 1:00 p.m. - 04:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 7, 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 7, 3:00 p.m. - 06:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 7, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (NAPC Hospitality Room)
- Friday, March 8, 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
- Friday, March 8, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Friday, March 8, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- Friday, March 8, 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- Friday, March 8, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (NAPC Hospitality Room)
- Friday, March 8, 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (NAPC Hospitality Room)
- Saturday, March 9, 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
- Saturday, March 9, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Saturday, March 9, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- Saturday, March 9, 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday, March 9, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (NAPC Hospitality Room)
- Saturday, March 9, 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (NAPC Hospitality Room)
- Sunday, March 10, 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
- Sunday, March 10, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Preferred Task

Registration Room Monitor NAPC Hospitality Room No Preference

Register online at <https://scahome.org/event-5471291> by February 2, 2024.

Questions? Contact Volunteer Coordinator Johanna Marty at johannamarty78@gmail.com or at (818) 738-5200



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SILENT AUCTION BEVERAGE DONOR FORM

The 2024 Silent Auction and Mocktail/Wine/Beer Tasting Event will be held at the Riverside Convention Center.

You/your firm have the opportunity to take an active role as a sponsor/host. Reserve your table to provide friends and colleagues with your favorite beverages, etc. Company representative(s) will have a table for swag, snacks, and information. Sponsors receive TWO complimentary tickets to the Silent Auction for use by table staff.

Additional information regarding your table set-up, supplies you should bring, etc., will be provided closer to the meeting date.

- Regular Table: \$100
- Underwriter Table (Branding, Diamond, Platinum, and Gold levels): No-charge
- Non-Profit Table: No-charge

Sponsor Name: _____

Firm / Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

1st Person in Booth: _____ 2nd Person in Booth _____

Donated Items: (Kegs, number of bottles of wine, water, snacks, etc.) This information will be used to issue your receipt for your tax-deductible donation.

Total Value (needed for your receipt):

Company Name:

Individual Name:

Other:

Please register online at <https://scahome.org/event-5482885>

The deadline for registration is January 5, 2024, but tables are limited. Don't delay!



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PROGRAM ADVERTISEMENT FORM

Your advertisement in the 2024 Meeting Program is a great opportunity to reach a large, statewide audience. This meeting attracts professionals and community leaders, planners, public and private sector representatives, and avocational archaeologists from all over California. The Program will include a list of all workshops, events, tours, and other activities planned for the meeting, and is used by all attendees.

Don't miss your chance to be part of the 2024 Annual Meeting Program!

Advertising artwork in (JPEG or PDF format, 300 dpi at ad size) should be sent to the SCA Business Office at office@scahome.org. The deadline for artwork is January 12, 2024.

Artwork specs:

Full-Page Ad Dimensions: 4.75" x 7.75"	JPEG or PDF format, 300 dpi at ad size
Half-Page Ad Dimensions: 4.75" x 3.5"	Black and White or Gray scale
Quarter-Page Ad Dimensions: 3.25" x 4.25"	
Business Card: 3.5" x 1.75	

You may register online at <https://scahome.org/event-5478298> or make your check payable to SCA and return this form to:

SCA Business Office
 P.O. Box 2582,
 Granite Bay, CA 95746
office@scahome.org

Advertisement type:

- Full Page \$350.00
- Half Page \$200.00
- Quarter Page \$140.00
- Business Card \$75.00

Attach your business card or complete the following information:

Name: _____

Firm / Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

The deadline for Program Ad artwork is January 12, 2024.



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SILENT AUCTION DONATION FORM

DONOR INFORMATION

Donor Name: _____

Firm / Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

AUCTION ITEM INFORMATION

This item is a _____

(e.g., limited edition print, antique pearl necklace, case of the best wine in California)

Description _____

(Please describe the characteristics that make the item desirable; this will be used on the bid form)

Restrictions _____

(Please specify all restrictions and time limits on travel, accommodations, services, etc.)

Fair Market Value \$ _____ (If item is a gift certificate, please enter amount of certificate)

DELIVERY

- I will ship my item(s) to Silent Auction c/o Tracey Booth, 6220 Wilhoff Lane, Granite Bay, CA 95746
- I will deliver my item(s) to the Silent Auction table at the meeting (preferred)
- Other (please specify)

Can one person easily transport this item? Yes No

If no, please explain:

If the item is not sold at auction, should the object be returned to you? Yes No

If the item is not sold at auction, may the SCA dispose of the object as it sees fit? Yes No

Please consider entering your item online at <https://forms.gle/PAFY8wCFgWGzqv9K6>. It greatly helps the auction team! If you have any donation questions, please contact Jennifer Barbee, jbarbee@appliedearthworks.com.

Note: No Books. See information about book donations on page 16.



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ANNUAL MEETING UNDERWRITING FORM

STRENGTHEN YOUR SOCIETY BY UNDERWRITING THE ANNUAL MEETING

Your gift to the Annual Meeting will help defray meeting costs, including the hotel fees, guest speaker fees, mocktail/beer/wine tasting reception, silent auction, program printing, and many other costs involved in hosting the meeting.

Sponsor Name: _____ Firm / Organization: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Email: _____ Phone: _____

Donation: \$

<p>Donor Categories:</p> <p>Branding (\$3,000 and Up) Diamond (\$2,500) Platinum (\$1,500) Gold (\$500 to \$1,000) Supporter (\$50 to \$499)</p>		<p>How Would You Like Your Contribution Acknowledged?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Company Name <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Name <input type="checkbox"/> Both company & individual names</p>
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Branding Sponsor (\$3,000 and Up)

Corporate name and logo on conference tote bags, or childcare, or program application.
 Potential to sponsor activities (such as banquet, reception, workshops; first come, first serve)
 Acknowledgment in Annual Meeting Program, Plenary Session/Awards Banquet PowerPoints
 Full-page ad in the Annual Meeting Program
 On-site promotion (flyer in registration packet)
 No Charge table space at the Silent Auction
 Registration for the Annual Meeting for up to five (5) attendees
 Opportunity to run a drawing or contest on-site

Diamond-Level Sponsorship Benefits (\$2,500):

Acknowledgment at the Annual Meeting and Program
 Full-page ad in the Annual Meeting Program
 No Charge table space at the Silent Auction
 On-site promotion (flier in registration packet)
 Annual Meeting registration for up to four (4) attendees
 Opportunity to run a drawing or contest on-site

Platinum-Level Sponsorship Benefits (\$1,500):

Acknowledgment at the Annual Meeting and in the Program
 Full-page Meeting Sponsor ad in the Annual Meeting Program
 No Charge table space at the Silent Auction
 On-site promotion (flyer in registration packet)
 Registration for the Annual Meeting for up to three (3) attendees

Gold-Level Sponsorship Benefits (\$500 to \$1,000):

- Acknowledgment at the Annual Meeting and in the Program
- Half-page Meeting Sponsor ad in the Annual Meeting Program
- No Charge table space at the Silent Auction
- On-site promotion (flyer in registration packet)

SCA Supporter Benefits (\$50 to \$499):

- Discount on ad for the Annual Meeting Program
- Organization/individual name listed in the program

To pay by credit card, register online at <https://sfca.wildapricot.org/page-18367>, or mail your check, payable to the SCA, to SCA Business Office, P.O. Box 2582, Granite Bay, CA 95746.

To ensure that your contribution is recognized in the Annual Meeting Program, we must receive this form by January 15, 2024. Have questions? Contact the Business Office at 530-342-3537 or office@scahome.org.