

KIMBERLY SCOTT

Principal Investigator for Paleontology
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EDUCATION

2013 M.S., Biology with paleontology emphasis, California State University San Bernardino
2000 B.S., Geology with paleontology emphasis, University of California, Los Angeles

SUMMARY QUALIFICATIONS

Ms. Scott has more than 20 years of experience in California paleontology. She is a sedimentary geologist and paleontologist with extensive survey, monitoring and fossil salvage experience. In addition, she has special skills in fossil preparation (cleaning and stabilization), the preparation of stratigraphic sections, paleoenvironmental analysis, and other documentation for fossil localities. Scott serves as company safety officer and is the author of the company safety and paleontology manuals. Additionally, she trains all field crew members in paleontological salvage techniques and data recording and conducts WEAP training for construction crews. She is a member of the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology and the Geological Society of America.

SELECTED PROJECTS

Barren Ridge Renewable Transmission Project, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, Los Angeles and Kern Counties, CA. Managing paleontological preconstruction surveying and monitoring of project alignment within the Angeles National Forest, Bureau of Land Management managed lands and the California Mojave Desert. Sub to Aspen Environmental Group. Principal Paleontologist/Field and Laboratory Director /Report Co-author. 2015-present.

Perris Valley Line, Metrolink, Riverside County Transportation Commission, Moreno Valley, Riverside County, CA. Supervised paleontological and archaeological monitoring for construction of four new stations, upgrading associated track and utility relocations to extend the Metrolink connection from Riverside through Moreno Valley to Perris. Sub to HDR Engineering. Principal Paleontologist/Field and Laboratory Director /Report Co-author. 2013-2016.

Elvira to Morena Double Track, San Diego Associate of Governments (SANDAG), San Diego County, CA (#2537-001, -004). SANDAG is constructing a second main track and realignment from Control Point (CP) Elvira to CP Moreno. The project will result in a 10.3 mile stretch of double track, new bridges and other upgrades. Sub to HDR Engineering. Co-Principal Paleontologist/Field and Laboratory Director /Report Co-author. 2012-present.

Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Purple Line Extension (Westside Subway), Los Angeles, CA. Exploratory Shaft: Supervised paleontological monitoring of the exploratory test shaft just southwest of the La Brea Tar Pits. Recovered and processed over 1000 marine and terrestrial fossils. **Other Services:** Currently supervising monitoring and fossil recovery activities over the 8.6 mile project. Sub to Parsons Brinckerhoff. Field and Laboratory Director/Report Co-author. 2012-2024.

Master Service Agreement (MSA), Southern California Edison (SCE), Monrovia, CA. Managed field activities projects and task orders involving paleontological resources environmental compliance for generating stations and associated facilities on BLM, National Forest, and private lands. Services include: surveys, mapping, fossil recovery, lab work, sensitivity training, mitigation planning, and compliance monitoring. Principal Paleontologist/Field and Laboratory Director/Report Co-Author. 2010-present.

Cold Canyon Landfill Expansions, Arroyo Grande, County of San Luis Obispo, CA. Provided paleontological and archaeological assessments and monitoring for the Cold Canyon Landfill expansion. Additionally provided fossil salvage, preparation, identification and analysis, stratigraphic columns, micropaleontological analyses, collections management, preparation of interpretive report, creation of replicas for display at the landfill, and made curation arrangements for the County under contract to the developer. Sub to Morro Group, Padre Associates, and Waste Connection Inc. Field and Laboratory Director/Report Co-author. 2004-present.