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Education

- 2006 **Doctor of Philosophy**
University of California, Los Angeles
Department of History, History of Science Program
- 2003 **Master of Arts**
University of California, Los Angeles
Department of History, History of Science Program
- 2000 **Master of Arts**
University of California, Santa Barbara
Department of Geography
- 1995 **Bachelor of Arts**
Northwestern University
Department of History

Post-Graduate Appointments

- 2013-21 **Associate Professor**
University of California, Santa Barbara
Environmental Studies (ES) Program (affiliate in History and Geography)
- 2008-13 **Assistant Professor**
University of California, Santa Barbara
Department of History & Environmental Studies Program (affiliate in Geography)
- 2008-09 **Postdoctoral Fellow & Visiting Assistant Professor**
Stanford University
Bill Lane Center for the American West & Department of History
- 2006-08 **Beagle Environmental Fellow**
Harvard University
Center for the Environment & Kennedy School of Government

Awards

Twenty-six awards totaling ~\$1.548 million in funds for research, teaching, and outreach

- 2019-22 **Standard Research Grant**
Belmont Forum/National Science Foundation (\$199K)
*Two years of postdoctoral fellowship funding to support Dr. Alex McInturff as part of the ~\$1.2m CONVIVA project, involving teams from 6 countries

- 2020-21 **Faculty Research Grant**
UCSB Academic Senate (\$10.2K)
- 2018 **Collaborative Research Initiative Grant**
UCSB Institute for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Research (\$7.7K)
*Lead Principal Investigator with Co-PI Jennifer Martin
- 2017 **Poster Competition First Prize**
American Society for Environmental History annual meeting
*"Land Use and Climate in California Rangelands," created with Tim Paulson and Kevin Brown
- 2016-17 **Institute for the Study of Ecological and Evolutionary Climate Impacts (ISEECI)**
University of California President's Catalyst Grant (\$238K)
*Two years of postdoctoral fellowship funding to support Dr. Kevin Brown
- 2016-17 **Crossroads Grant**
UCSB Graduate Division (~\$72K)
*Funding to support interdisciplinary graduate training associated with the Grizzly Network
- 2016-17 **Faculty Research Grant**
UCSB Academic Senate (\$7.5K)
- 2011-17 **CAREER Grant**
National Science Foundation (\$401K)
- 2015 **Distinguished Teaching Award**
UCSB Academic Senate
*Given to half-a-dozen instructors each year
- 2012-14 **Sawyer Seminar Series Grant**
Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, with additional support from UCSB Graduate Division (\$212K)
*Lead Author & Co-Principal Investigator with Teresa Shewry and David Lopez-Carr
- 2012 **Harold J. Plous Memorial Award**
UCSB College of Letters & Science
*Annual award for the College's most outstanding assistant professor
- 2012-14 **Research Opportunity Fund Grant**
University of California Office of the President (\$19.5K)
- 2011-12 **Regents Junior Faculty Fellowship**
UCSB College of Letters & Science (\$7.5K)
- 2010-11 **Research Grant**
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (\$18K)
*Co-Principal Investigator with Scott Cooper
- 2010-11 **Seed Grant**
University of California Office of the President & The Packard Foundation (\$9K)
- 2010-11 **Collaborative Research Initiative Grant**
UCSB Institute for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Research (\$5K)
*Lead Principal Investigator with 4 UCSB Co-PIs

- 2009-11 **Collaborative Grant**
National Science Foundation (\$326K)
*Co-Principal Investigator with 5 Co-PIs from UCSB & Santa Barbara City College
- 2010 **Individual Research Grant**
UCSB Interdisciplinary Humanities Center (\$1K)
- 2007 **History and Humanities Research Grant**
Historical Society of Southern California & The Haynes Foundation (\$1.2K)
- 2005-06 **Dissertation Writing Fellowship**
UCLA Department of History (\$7K)
- 2003 **Summer Research Mentorship**
UCLA Graduate Division (\$3K)
- 2003 **J. Donald Hughes Travel Grant**
American Society for Environmental History (\$.5K)
- 2001-03 **Graduate Fellowship**
UCLA Department of History (100%)
- 2001 **Excellence in Teaching Award**
UCSB Department of Geography (\$2.5K)
- 1999-01 **Outstanding Educator Award**
UCSB Office of Residential Life (3 years)
- 1991-93 **National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Scholarship**
Northwestern University (40%)

Teaching

- 1998-2021 **Undergraduate Courses**
Introduction to Environmental Studies, UCSB
Wildlife in America, UCSB & Stanford
Storytelling in Environmental Studies, UCSB
Lions, Tigers, and Bears: Coexisting with Large Carnivores in the 21st Century, UCSB
The Sierra Nevada, UCSB
The History of the Oceans, UCSB
The Politics of Science, UCSB
The Idea of Nature, UCLA
Introduction to Human Geography, UCSB
Biodiversity: Geography and Conservation, UCSB
The High Sierra Project, Wildlands Studies, California State University, Monterey Bay
Introduction to Atmospheric Science, Santa Monica College
- Graduate Courses**
Core Seminar for the Interdepartmental PhD Emphasis in Environment & Society, UCSB
Environmental History Workshop, UCSB
Environmental History, UCSB
The Politics of Science, UCSB

Teaching Assistantships

The Global Environment, UCLA
Colonial Latin America, UCLA
Latin American Social History, UCLA
Introduction to Human Geography, UCSB
Ocean and Atmosphere Dynamics, UCSB
Terrestrial Physical Geography, UCSB

Mentorship

Four postdoctoral and visiting fellows supervised, 4 PhD committees chaired or co-chaired, 3 terminal MA committees chaired or co-chaired, 15 PhD committees served on as a member, and 9 senior theses supervised

2009-2021 Postdoctoral & Visiting Fellows Supervised

Alex McInturff, Convivial Conservation (CONVIVA) Project, 2020-21
 Feng Jiao, Fudan University (visiting graduate scholar), 2017-18
 Kevin Brown, Institute for the Study of Ecological and Evolutionary Climate Impacts, 2016-18
 Jennifer Martin, Mellon-Sawyer Seminar on Marine Environmental History, 2013-14

Graduate Students Advised

As a PhD committee chair or co-chair:

Brian Tyrrell, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2018
 Jessica Marter-Kenyon, UCSB Department of Geography, PhD 2018
 Tim Paulson, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2017
 Tammy Elwell, UCSB Department of Geography, PhD 2016

As a MA committee chair or co-chair:

Angélica Marquez-Osuna, UCSB Department of History, MA 2016
 Andrew Esch, UCSB Department of History, MA 2015
 Sienna Cordoba, UCSB Department of History, MA 2014

As a committee member:

Jolie Colby, UCSB Gevirtz School of Education, ABD
 Pablo Sepulveda-Diaz, UCSB Department of Anthropology, ABD
 Jeff Kirkby, UCSB Department of Geography, ABD
 Andrew McCumber, UCSB Department of Sociology, ABD
 Christopher MacMahon, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2021
 Stephen Crook, San Diego State University, Department of Geography, PhD 2020
 Paul Warden, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2019
 Chris Walker, UCSB Department of English, PhD 2017
 Thomas Doran, UCSB Department of English, PhD 2017
 Elijah Bender, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2017
 Elizabeth Callaway, UCSB Department of English, PhD 2015
 Grayson Maas, UCSB Department of Anthropology, PhD 2015
 Roger Eardley-Pryor, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2014
 Hanni Jalil, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2014
 Jackson Warkentin, UCSB Department of History, PhD 2014

Undergraduate Senior Theses Supervised

Bailey Patterson, Environmental Studies, 2020
 Jackie Diaz, Environmental Studies, 2017

Undergraduate Senior Theses Supervised (continued)

Kimberly Asbury, Environmental Studies, 2015
 Alexa R. Diaz, Environmental Studies, 2015
 Alejandro Sorg, Department of History, 2014
 Tanner Yould, Environmental Studies, 2014
 Caitlin Dawson, Environmental Studies, 2012
 Christina Tabacco, Environmental Studies, 2011
 Guy Western, Environmental Studies, 2010

Other Professional Activities & Service

1994-2021 Editorial Positions

Associate Editor, *Histories for a Sustainable Future* (book series), MIT Press, 2009-Present
 Editorial Board Member, *Resilience* (a journal of the environmental humanities), 2012-Present
 Editorial Board Member, *Journal of International Wildlife Law & Policy*, 2015-Present

Reviewer of Proposals & Manuscripts

Yale University Press
Journal of Historical Geography
 Rowman & Littlefield
 Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
 University of Kansas Press
Resilience
Conservation Biology
 Ecological Society of America
Environmental Humanities
Environmental History
Environment and History
Global Ecology & Biogeography
History Compass
Historical Studies in the Natural Sciences
Journal of Environmental Planning and Management
Journal of the History of Biology
Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos
 National Science Foundation
The Public Historian
 University of California Press
Society and Natural Resources

Selected Departmental and University (UCSB) Service

Member, UCSB Natural Reserve System Advisory Board, 2014-Present
 Member, Coal Oil Point Reserve Advisory Board, 2021-Present
 Faculty Advisor, Valentine Eastern Sierra Reserve, 2016-Present
 Founder & Director, Interdepartmental PhD Emphasis in Environment & Society, 2014-16, 2019-Present
 Member, Search Committee for the Executive Director of the UC Natural Reserve System, 2021
 Lead Author, MOU on Doctoral Education (Bren School and Environmental Studies Program), 2020-21
 Chair, Faculty Search Committee (ES) in Environmental Ethics, 2019-20
 Co-Creator, environment.ucsb.edu. community environmental events website and list-serve, 2019
 Member, Faculty Editorial Board, University of California Press, 2014-16
 Member, Search Committee for a new Director of the Valentine Eastern Sierra Reserve, 2015-16
 Chair, Faculty Search Committee (ES) in Environmental Economics, 2015-16
 Founder & Chair, Environmental Studies Program Planning Committee, 2015-18
 Faculty Advisor, Kenneth S. Norris Rancho Marino Reserve, 2014-16
 Member, Faculty Search Committee (History) in the History of Biology, 2013-14

Selected Departmental and University (UCSB) Service (continued)

Member, Faculty Senate Sustainability Working Group, 2013-14

Member of numerous standing and ad hoc committees in History and Environmental Studies

Other Academic Positions & Activities

Member, American Society for Environmental History, 2002-Present

Secretary, American Society for Environmental History, 2020-Present

Member, Historical Ecology Working Group, National Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center, 2020-Present

Member, California Rewilding network, 2020-Present

Member, Paleoecology in Novel Ecosystems Working Group, La Brea Tar Pits & Museum, 2019-Present

Founder & Facilitator, California Grizzly Research Network, 2016-Present

Member, Peninsula Watershed Group, 2019-2021

Visiting Fellow, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin, 2018

Participant, NEH Summer School on City/Nature, University of Washington, 2017

Founder & Director, UC Natural Reserve System History & Archive Project, 2011-17

Member, Selection Committee, Charles A. Weyerhaeuser Book Award in conservation history, 2015

Convener, Mellon-Swayer Seminar on Marine Environmental History, 2013-14

Visiting Scholar, Office for the History of Science and Technology, UC Berkeley, 2006-08

Research Assistant, UCLA Institute of the Environment, 2004-05

Research Assistant, UCSB Department of Geography, 1998-99

Non-Academic Positions

Consultant, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration, Long Beach, CA, 2011-12

Consultant, Watershed Environmental, Inc., Santa Barbara, CA, 2000-01

Consultant, Tierney Consulting, Inc., Santa Barbara, CA, 2000-01

Ranger, North Cascades National Park, Marblemount, WA, 1999

Naturalist, Channel Islands National Park, Ventura, CA, 1998

Intern, Office of United States Senator Bob Graham (D-FL), Washington, DC, 1994

Publications

Fifty-nine publications, including 2 books, 30 peer-reviewed or professionally-edited articles, 4 book chapters, 2 reports, 11 editorials, entries, or letters, 7 reviews, and 3 textbook editions; 4 additional articles are currently under review, and several others are in various stages of development

59. BOOK Peter S. Alagona. *The Accidental Ecosystem: People and Wildlife in American Cities* (University of California Press, forthcoming 2022).
58. ARTICLE Kate Massarella, Anja Nygren, Robert Fletcher, Bram Buscher, Wilhelm A Kiwango, Sanna Komi, Judith E. Krauss, Mathew B. Mabele, Alex McInturff, Laila T. Sandroni, Peter S. Alagona, Dan Brockington, Robert Coates, Rosaleen Duffy, Katia MPMB Ferraz, Stasja Koot, Silvio Marchini, and Alexandre R. Percequillo. "Transformation beyond conservation: how critical social science can contribute to a radical new agenda in biodiversity conservation." *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability* 49 (2021), pp. 79-87.
57. ARTICLE A. Lee, A.M. Laird, L. Brann, C. Coxon, A.J. Hamilton, L.A. Lawhon, J.A. Martin, N. Rehnberg, B.P. Tyrrell, Z. Welch, B. Hale, and Peter S. Alagona. "The Ethics of Reintroducing Large Carnivores: The Case of the California Grizzly." *Conservation & Society* 19:1 (2021), pp. 80-90.
56. ARTICLE Tim Paulson, Peter S. Alagona, and Kevin Brown. "The Test of Time: Using Historical Methods to Assess Models of Ecological Change on California's Hardwood Rangelands." *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 111:2 (2021), pp. 401-421.
55. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "All of Us, Animals." Invited paper for a forum titled "Reflections: Environmental History in the Era of COVID-19." *Environmental History* 25 (October 2020), pp. 597-600.

54. ARTICLE Elizabeth S. Forbes, Peter S. Alagona, Andrea J. Adams, Sarah E. Anderson, Kevin C. Brown, Jolie Colby, Scott D. Cooper, Sean M. Denny, Elizabeth H.T. Hiroyasu, Robert Heilmayr, Bruce E. Kendall, Jennifer A. Martin, Molly Hardesty-Moore, Alexis M. Mychajliw, Brian P. Tyrrell, and Zoë S. Welch. "Analogies for a No-Analog World: Tackling Uncertainties in Reintroduction Planning." *Trends in Ecology & Evolution* 35:7 (July 2020), pp. 551-554.
53. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "Coronavirus Pandemic: A Symptom of Our Mass Extinction." *Santa Barbara Independent*, 15 April 2020.
52. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "It's Wrong to Blame Bats for the Coronavirus Epidemic." *The Conversation*, 24 March 2020.
51. ARTICLE Jennifer A. Martin, Summer Gray, Eréndira Aceves-Bueno, Peter Alagona, Tammy L. Elwell, Angela Garcia, Zach Horton, David Lopez-Carr, Jessica Marter-Kenyon, Karly Marie Miller, Christopher Severen, Teresa Shewry, and Becky Twohey. "What is marine justice?" *Journal of Environmental Studies & Sciences* 9 (2019), pp. 234–243.
50. LETTER Peter S. Alagona. "Shifting Baselines." *High Country News* 50:16 (17 September 2018).
49. ARTICLE Kelly Easterday, Tim Paulson, Proxima DasMohapatra, Peter S. Alagona, Shane Feirer, and Maggi Kelly. "From the Field to the Cloud: A Review of Three Approaches to Sharing Historical Data From Field Stations Using Principles From Data Science." *Frontiers in Environmental Science* 6 (October 2018), 13 pp.
48. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona and Tim Paulson. "From the Classroom to the Countryside: The University of California's Natural Reserve System and the Role of Field Stations in American Academic Life." Invited paper for John Beardsley and Daniel Bluestone, eds. *Landscape and the Academy*, Dumbarton Oaks Colloquium on the History of Landscape Architecture, Volume 40 (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2019).
47. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "The Endangered Species Act's Midlife Crisis." *Outside Magazine*, June 2018, pp. 13-14.
46. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *Spare the Birds! George Bird Grinnell and the First Audubon Society*, by Carolyn Merchant. *The Journal of American History* 104 (December 2017), pp. 777-78.
45. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona and James Salzman. "The world's strongest conservation law is under attack. It needs to be fixed instead." *The Washington Post*, 16 November 2017.
44. EDITORIAL Peter Alagona and Kevin Brown. "For Endangered Species, the Road to Recovery Can Be Bumpy and Winding." *The Conversation*, 30 January 2017.
43. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Species Complex: Classification and Conservation in American Environmental History." *Isis* 107:4 (December 2016), pp. 738-61.
42. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *Grizzly West: A Failed Attempt to Reintroduce Grizzly Bears in the Mountain West*, by Michael J. Dax. *Environmental History* 21:4 (October 2016), pp. 732-734.
41. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "Swimming Upstream: Plight of Delta Smelt Exposes Flaws of the Endangered Species Act." *The Conversation*, 3 September 2015.
40. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "Concrete jungle: Cities Adapt to Growing Ranks of Coyotes, Cougars and Other Urban Wildlife." *The Conversation*, 1 July 2015.
39. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *Range Wars: The Environmental Contest for White Sands Missile Range*, by Ryan H. Edgington. *American Historical Review* 120:3 (June 2015), pp. 1057-1058.

38. CHAPTER Peter S. Alagona, Andrew Esch, Tim Paulson, and Jessica Marter-Kenyon. "Population and Land Use." In Erika Zavaleta and Harold Mooney, eds. *Ecosystems of California* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2016), pp. 75-94.
37. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Island Time: On the Stories We Tell About Nature and History." *Boom: A Journal of California* 4:3 (Fall 2014), pp. 103-112.
36. LETTER Peter S. Alagona. Response to an H-Environment forum on *After the Grizzly*; Forum reviews written by Philip Garone, Laura Watt, and Sean Kheraj (2014).
35. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Resilience." *Resilience* 1:1 (2014).
34. BOOK Peter S. Alagona. *After the Grizzly: Endangered Species and the Politics of Place in California* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2013).
33. CHAPTER Peter S. Alagona, Antonio Linares, Pablo Campos, and Lynn Huntsinger. "History and Recent Trends." In Pablo Campos et al., eds. *Mediterranean Oak Woodland Working Landscapes*, Landscape Series 16 (New York: Springer, 2013), pp. 25-60.
32. ARTICLE Gregory L. Simon and Peter S. Alagona. "Contradictions at the confluence of commerce, consumption and conservation; or, an REI shopper camps in the forest, does anyone notice?" *GeoForum* 45 (2013), pp. 325-336.
31. CHAPTER Peter S. Alagona. "The History of the UC Natural Reserve System." In Peggy Fiedler et al., eds. *The Environmental Legacy of the UC Natural Reserve System* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2013), pp. 9-12.
30. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona, Scott Cooper, Matthew Stoecker, Peggy Beedle, and Mark Capelli. "The History of Steelhead and Rainbow Trout in the Santa Ynez River Watershed." *Bulletin of the Southern California Academy of Sciences* 11:3 (December 2012), pp. 163-222.
29. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona and Clinton F. Smith. "Mirage in the Making." *Boom: A Journal of California* 2:3 (2012), pp. 25-44.
28. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona, John Sandlos, and Yolanda Wiersma. "Past Imperfect: Using Historical Ecology and Baseline Data for Contemporary Conservation and Restoration Projects." *Environmental Philosophy* 9:1 (Spring 2012), pp. 49-70.
27. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona and Gregory L. Simon. "Leave No Trace Starts at Home." *Ethics, Policy & Environment* 15:1 (March 2012), pp. 119-124.
26. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "A Sanctuary for Science: The Hastings Natural History Reservation and the Origins of the University of California's Natural Reserve System." *Journal of the History of Biology* 45 (2012), pp. 651-680.
25. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Introduction." In Peter S. Alagona, ed., "Fifty Years of Wildlife in America Forum." *Environmental History* 16:3 (July 2011), pp. 391-397, 433-438.
24. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "What is Habitat?" In Peter S. Alagona, ed., "Fifty Years of Wildlife in America Forum." *Environmental History* 16:3 (July 2011), pp. 391-397, 433-438.
23. REPORT Peter S. Alagona, Scott Cooper, Matthew Stoecker, and Peggy Beedle. "Historical Distribution of Steelhead in the Santa Ynez River Watershed." NOAA Fisheries Technical Report, June 2011, 98 pages.

22. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Biting the Hand: New Dilemmas in the History of Predator Control." *Journal of the West* 50:1 (Winter 2011), pp. 74-82.
21. TEXTBOOK Peter S. Alagona and Meredith Marsh. *How to Study for the AP Exam in Human Geography* (New York: Barron's Educational Series, Inc., 2003). (This book has gone through a series of editions in the years since, with the 8th edition scheduled for publication in 2022. Further editions will not be counted as unique publications on this CV.)
20. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *James Lovelock: In Search of Gaia*, by John Gribbin and Mary Gribbin. *Isis* 101:1 (March 2010), p. 253.
19. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona, and Gregory L. Simon. "The Role of Field Study in Humanistic and Interdisciplinary Environmental Education." *Journal of Experiential Education* 32:3 (2010), pp. 191-206.
18. ARTICLE Gregory L. Simon and Peter S. Alagona. "Beyond Leave No Trace." *Ethics, Place & Environment* 12:1 (March 2009), pp. 17-34.
17. TEXTBOOK Peter S. Alagona and Meredith Marsh. *How to Study for the AP Exam in Human Geography* (New York: Barron's Educational Series, Inc., 2003).
16. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Credibility." *Conservation Biology* 22:6 (December 2008), pp. 1365-1367.
15. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Homes on the Range: Cooperative Conservation and Environmental Change on California's Privately Owned Hardwood Rangelands." *Environmental History* 13 (April 2008), pp. 287-311.
14. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona and Stephanie Pincetl. "The Coachella Valley Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan: A Decade of Delays." *Environmental Management* 41:1 (January 2008), pp. 1-11.
13. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. "Searching for the Laws of History." Review of *Nature: An Economic History*, by Geerat J. Vermeij. *Ecology* 87:4 (April 2006), pp. 1069-1070.
12. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "What Makes a Disaster 'Natural'?" *Space and Culture* 9:1 (February 2006), pp. 77-79.
11. REPORT Stephanie Pincetl and Peter S. Alagona. "The Coachella Valley Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan/ Natural Community Conservation Plan: Compliance with the Federal Endangered Species Act and Land Use Planning Considerations." California Policy Research Center, 2005.
10. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "The Ghosts of Endangered Species Past: Recent Lessons from the Intersection of History and Biology." *BioScience* 54:11 (November 2004), pp. 984-985.
9. ARTICLE Peter S. Alagona. "Biography of a 'Feathered Pig': The California Condor Conservation Controversy." *Journal of the History of Biology* 37:3 (October 2004), pp. 557-583.
8. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *In the Absence of Predators: Conservation and Controversy on the Kaibab Plateau*, by Christian C. Young. *Environmental History* 9:1 (January 2004), pp. 140-141.
7. ENTRY Peter S. Alagona. "Lake Victoria." In *Encyclopedia of World Environmental History*. Shepard Krech III, J.R. McNeill, and Carolyn Merchant, eds. (New York: Routledge, 2004).
6. TEXTBOOK Peter S. Alagona and Meredith Marsh. *How to Study for the AP Exam in Human Geography* (New York: Barron's Educational Series, Inc., 2003).
5. REVIEW Peter S. Alagona. Review of *The Destruction of the Bison: An Environmental History, 1750-1920*, by Andrew Isenberg. *The Professional Geographer* 54:2 (May 2002), pp. 288-289.

4. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "Preserving California's Gaviota Coast." *Audubon* 102 (September-October 2000), p. 138.
3. CHAPTER Peter S. Alagona. "Coastal Processes." In Dar A. Roberts., ed. *Physical Geography Laboratory Manual* (Dubuque, IA: Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company, 1999).
2. ARTICLE Chris R. Pyke, Peter S. Alagona, Britta Bierwaggen, John Gallo, Noah Goldstein, Jennifer Merrick, and Heather Rosenberg. "A Plan for Outreach: Defining the Scope of Conservation Education." *Conservation Biology* 13:6 (December 1999), pp. 1238-1239.
1. EDITORIAL Peter S. Alagona. "Creating Sound Public Policy from the Inside Out." *Santa Barbara News Press*, 25 October 1998: G1-2.

Graduate Research

- DISSERTATION Peter S. Alagona. "Transforming Conservation: Endangered Species, Biodiversity, and the Political Economy of Science in California." PhD Dissertation. Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles, 2006.
- MA THESIS Peter S. Alagona. "Working Together, Thinking Apart: Collaborative Planning, Ecological Knowledge, and Environmental Attitudes in Biodiversity Conservation." MA Thesis. Department of Geography, University of California, Santa Barbara, 2000.

Presentations & Public Appearances

One hundred twenty-eight lectures, panels, posters, and interviews

128. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." California State Parks, Central Coast Region. Virtual MindWalk. 4 March 2021.
127. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." California Academy of Sciences Night Life Series. 25 February 2021.
126. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Rewilding California symposium. Held remotely through the Occidental Arts & Ecology Center, Occidental, CA. 16-18 September 2020.
125. SPEAKER "Improvology!" Panelist in a public performance hosted by the Santa Barbara Zoo, Santa Barbara, CA. 24 October 2019.
124. SPEAKER "Environmental History and Political Ecology." Guest Lecturer, University of Colorado, Denver. 27 August 2019.
123. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." California Naturalists Program Regional Meeting, Cambria, CA. 16 August 2019.
122. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Santa Barbara Westerners Club. 2 May 2019.
121. INTERVIEW *Rewilding Earth Podcast*. 10 April 2019.
120. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Ojai Valley Land Trust public lecture, Ojai, CA. 12 January 2019.

119. SPEAKER "Endangered Species and Environmental History." Guest lecture, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, 23 October 2018.
118. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Public lecture, Escondido Creek Conservancy, Escondido, CA. 19 July 2018.
117. INTERVIEW *Terra Verde*, KPFA Public Radio, Berkeley, CA. 13 July 2018.
116. INTERVIEW *The Current*, UCSB Magazine. 10 July 2018.
115. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Public lecture, Valentine Eastern Sierra Reserve. 29 June 2018.
114. INTERVIEW *The Voices of Santa Barbara*, KZSB AM 1290. 13 June 2018.
113. INTERVIEW *Discover Magazine*. 8 May 2018.
112. SPEAKER "Menagerie: A History of People and Wildlife in the American City." Invited presentation/Paper workshop, UC Davis Environments & Societies Workshop. 25 April 2018.
111. INTERVIEW *The Santa Barbara Independent*. 19 April 2018.
110. PANELIST "Wild in the City: New Directions in Urban Animal History." Roundtable participant, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Riverside, CA. 15 March 2018.
109. PANELIST "Science, Collaboration, and Applied Environmental History." Roundtable moderator, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Riverside, CA. 15 March 2018.
108. SPEAKER "Menagerie: A History of People and Wildlife in the American City." Invited presentation, MIT Seminar in Agricultural and Environmental History. 9 March 2018.
107. SPEAKER NSF CAREER Workshop. Invited Panelist, UCSB Office of Research. 27 February 2018.
106. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Public lecture, Santa Ynez Valley Natural History Society. 22 February 2018.
105. SPEAKER "Menagerie: A History of People and Wildlife in the American City." Public lecture, Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History "Science Pub." 13 November 2017.
104. INTERVIEW *The Washington Post*. 19 October 2017.
103. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Conference presentation with Zoe Welch, Pathways international wildlife conference. 19-22 September 2017.
102. INTERVIEW KCLU Central Coast Public Radio. 15 August 2017.
101. INTERVIEW *The Current*, UCSB Magazine. 10 August 2017.
100. SPEAKER "Concrete Jungle." Presentation at the City/Nature NEH Workshop, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 14 July 2017.
99. SPEAKER "Concrete Jungle." Presentation at a Workshop on Biodiversity and Its Histories, NYU and the New York Botanical Garden, New York, NY. 25 April 2017.

98. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: The Past, Present, and Potential Future of Grizzlies in California." Public lecture, Lincoln Park Zoo, Chicago, IL. 3 April 2017.
97. SPEAKER "When Cities Became Ecosystems: How Ecologists Discovered Urban Nature, Why it Took Them So Long to Do So, and What They Found When They Did." Conference Presentation, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Riverside, CA. 31 March 2017.
96. POSTER "Land Use and Climate in California Rangelands: A Historical Analysis of Change Over Time." Poster presentation with Tim Paulson and Kevin Brown, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Riverside, CA. 31 March 2017.
95. INTERVIEW *The Kathleen Dunn Show*, Wisconsin Public Radio. 8 March 2017.
94. INTERVIEW *Pacific Standard*. 5 March 2017.
93. INTERVIEW *Top of Mind* with Julie Rose, BYU Public Radio, Utah. 7 February 2017.
92. INTERVIEW "Teaching and Learning Excellence Series (TALES)." UCSB video podcasts. 30 January 2017.
91. INTERVIEW *Sierra Magazine*. 16 December 2016.
90. INTERVIEW *Los Angeles Times*. 12 December 2016.
89. SPEAKER Guest lecture on wildlife conservation. Laguna Blanca School, Santa Barbara, CA. 15 November 2016.
88. SPEAKER Remote guest lecture on endangered species history. Ohio University, Athens, OH. 8 November 2016.
87. SPEAKER Invited Presenter and Guest Discussant, 25th Anniversary of the Orange County Central Coastal NCCP/HCP. 14 September 2016.
86. SPEAKER Engaging Students in Large Classes, Roundtable Panelist, UCSB Instructional Development. 13 September 2016.
85. SPEAKER "Bear Essential: Should Californians Bring Back their Long Lost Grizzlies?" California Naturalists' Conference, Lake Arrowhead, California. 10 September 2016.
84. SPEAKER "Concrete Jungle: A History of Wildlife in the Modern City." *Maximizing Biodiversity in Urbanized Landscapes* conference, University of Zurich, Switzerland. 26 August 2016.
83. INTERVIEW *Forum with Michael Krasny*, San Francisco Public Radio. 26 July 2016.
82. SPEAKER "Is the Anthropocene an Epoch or an Event?" International Big History Association Conference, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. 17 July 2016.
81. SPEAKER "From the Classroom to the Countryside: The University of California's Natural Reserve System and the Role of Field Stations in American Academic Life." *Landscape and the Academy*, Dumbarton Oaks annual symposium in Garden and Landscape Studies. 2 May 2016.
80. PANELIST "Place and Pedagogy: Teaching Environmental History through Experiential Education." Roundtable panelist, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Seattle, WA. 31 March 2016.
79. INTERVIEW *Sacramento Bee*. 16 March 2016
78. INTERVIEW *Book TV*, C-SPAN. 12 January 2016.

77. INTERVIEW *BBC Newsday*. 3 July 2015.
76. INTERVIEW *Central Time*, Wisconsin Public Radio, Madison, WI. 28 December 2015.
75. SPEAKER “There and Back Again: The Past, Present, and Future Histories of the UC Natural Reserve System.” UCSB Natural Reserve System 50th Anniversary Celebration. 2 October 2015.
74. SPEAKER “History Working Group: Purpose and Objectives.” Institute for the Study of Ecological and Evolutionary Climate Impacts,” UC McLaughlin Reserve. 26 September 2015.
73. PANELIST “Wrap-Up Panel for The Anthropocene: Views From the Humanities.” Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, UCSB. 28 May 2015.
72. INTERVIEW *Press Play*, KCRW Public Radio, Los Angeles. 21 May 2015.
71. INTERVIEW *The Los Angeles Times*. 20 May 2015.
70. INTERVIEW *Pacific Standard*. 20 May 2015.
69. SPEAKER “Island Time.” Invited Presentation, California State University, Channel Islands. 30 April 2015.
68. SPEAKER “Species Complex: Science, Law, and the Indeterminacy of Nature—Or, What is a Steelhead Trout?” Guest Lecture, Department of History, UC Berkeley. 15 April 2015.
67. PANELIST “Rewilding and the Anthropocene.” Roundtable panelist, Shaping San Francisco Free Public Talks Series, San Francisco, CA. 6 May 2015.
66. PANELIST “Endangered Species and Environmental Protection.” Roundtable panelist, UCSB Environmental Studies Program 45th Anniversary Celebration. 25 April 2015.
65. PANELIST “Histories for the Future: What Happens When Historians Try to Make History?” Roundtable panelist, American Society for Environmental History annual meeting, Washington, DC. 20 March 2015.
64. SPEAKER “Species Complex: Science, Law, and the Indeterminacy of Nature—Or, What is a Steelhead Trout?” University of Alabama, Huntsville. 17 March 2015.
63. SPEAKER “After the Grizzly: Endangered Species and the Politics of Place in California.” University of Alabama, Huntsville. 16 March 2015.
62. SPEAKER “After the Grizzly: Endangered Species and the Politics of Place in California.” Deep Canyon Lecture Series, UC Riverside, Palm Desert Center. 12 March 2015.
61. PANELIST “Natural Capital Panel.” The Anthropocene: Views From the Humanities, Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, UCSB. 22 January 2015.
60. SPEAKER “After the Grizzly.” Remote Guest Lecture in Historical Geography, Ohio University. 25 November 2014.
59. SPEAKER “Island Time.” Muir Symposium, Department of Geography and Institute of the Environment, UCLA. 13 November 2014.
58. PANELIST “Into the Wilderness.” Litquake panel discussion at the David Brower Center, Berkeley, CA. 13 October 2014.
57. SPEAKER “After the Grizzly: Endangered Species and the Politics of Place in California.” Department of Wildlife and Environment & Community Program, Humboldt State University. 11-12 September 2014.

56. SPEAKER "Shifting Baselines." World Congress of Environmental History. Guimarães, Portugal. 8-12 July 2014.
55. SPEAKER "Species Complex: Science, Law, and the Indeterminacy of Nature—Or, What is a Steelhead Trout?" Workshop on Scientific Orthodoxy. Harvard University. 10-12 April 2014.
54. SPEAKER "Just Add Water." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. San Francisco, CA. 12-15 March 2014.
53. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." Osher Lifelong Learning Institute. California State University, Fullerton. 28 January 2014.
52. PANELIST "Conservation in the Twenty-First Century." UC Santa Barbara Global Studies Conference. 28 February 2014.
51. PANELIST "Big Burn UCSB/Santa Barbara Reads Community Roundtable." Montecito Public Library. 28 February 2014.
50. SPEAKER "A Tale of Two Fish." UCSB Nature/Culture Series. Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History. 6 February 2014.
49. INTERVIEW *Science Friday with Ira Flatow*. National Public Radio. San Francisco, CA. 3 January 2014.
48. INTERVIEW *Forum with Michael Krasny*. KQED Public Radio. San Francisco, CA. 31 December 2013.
47. INTERVIEW *NBC News on-line with Science Editor Alan Boyle*. 29 November 2013.
46. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." UC Riverside Department of History colloquium. 20 November 2013.
45. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." San Diego State University Department of Geography colloquium. 8 November 2013.
44. SPEAKER "Just Add Water? The Delta Smelt and California's Chronic Water War." European Society for Environmental History biannual meeting. Munich, Germany. 24 August 2013.
43. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." Santa Ynez Natural History Society. Santa Ynez, CA. 2 October 2013.
42. INTERVIEW *Morning Report with Lance Orozco*. KCLU Public Radio. Thousand Oaks, CA. 30 July 2013.
41. INTERVIEW *Air Talk with Larry Mantle*. KPCC Public Radio. Pasadena, CA. 18 June 2013.
40. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History. Monterey, CA. 30 May 2013.
39. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." Harold J. Plous Memorial Lecture. 8 May 2013.
38. PANELIST "Political Ecology and Environmental History: Overlap, Divergence and Opportunities." Association of American Geographers annual meeting. Los Angeles, CA. 13 April 2013.
37. SPEAKER "Species Complex: Science, Law, and the Indeterminacy of Nature—Or, What is a Steelhead Trout?" American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Toronto, ON. 4 April 2013.

36. INTERVIEW *The Condor's Shadow*. Documentary Film directed by Jeff McLoughlin, Produced by Good Eye Films. Released 15 December 2012.
35. SPEAKER "Forty Years of Endangered Species: Conflict and Conservation in California and Beyond." UC Santa Cruz Department of Environmental Studies colloquium. 22 October 2012.
34. PANELIST "Animals as Place-Makers." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Madison, WI. 30 March 2012.
33. PANELIST "*Moby-Duck* UCSB/Santa Barbara Reads Community Roundtable." Montecito Public Library. 15 February 2012.
32. PANELIST "Sushi: The Global Catch." Invited Panelist. UCSB Interdisciplinary Humanities Center & Department of East Asian Languages and Cultural Studies. 24 January 2012.
31. SPEAKER "The UC Natural Reserve System Archive Project." UC Natural Reserve System annual managers' meeting. Sedgwick Ranch Reserve, Los Olivos, CA. 12 October 2011.
30. SPEAKER "A Historical Overview of Grazing and Rangelands in California." California Rangelands Policy and Research Dialogue. Woods Institute for the Environment, Stanford University. 13 May 2011.
29. SPEAKER "After the Grizzly: Endangered Species and the Politics of Place in California." UCSB Department of Geography colloquium. 21 April 2011.
28. SPEAKER "Author Meets the Critics Session for *Seeking Refuge: Birds and Landscapes of the Pacific Flyway*, by Robert M. Wilson." Association of American Geographers annual meeting. Seattle, WA. 14 April 2011.
27. SPEAKER "Putting Wildlife Conservation in Historical Perspective." Wildlife Conservation in the 21st Century: Sixteenth Annual Stegner Symposium. Wallace Stegner Center, S.J. Quinney College of Law, University of Utah. Salt Lake City, UT. 11 March 2011.
26. PANELIST "Emerging Terraformations." University of California, Santa Cruz. Santa Cruz, CA. 23 October 2010.
25. SPEAKER "After the Grizzly: Endangered Species, Habitat Conservation, and the Politics of Place in California." Department of Geography, University of California. Berkeley, CA. 20 October 2010.
24. SPEAKER "Southern California's Oil: Past and Future." Oil & Water Series. Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, University of California, Santa Barbara. Santa Barbara, CA. 12 November 2009.
23. SPEAKER "The Origins of the University of California's Natural Reserve System." California, the University, TALK and the Environment Conference. University of California, Davis. Davis, CA. 7 May 2009.
22. SPEAKER "'Agriculture in Reverse': A History of the University of California's Natural Reserve System." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Tallahassee, FL. 26 February 2009.
21. SPEAKER "Rearranging the Mojave: The Desert Tortoise and Land Management in the American Southwest." Bill Lane Center for the American West Colloquium, Stanford University. Stanford, CA. 24 February 2009.
20. SPEAKER "The Mojave Desert Tortoise Industry." American Anthropological Association annual meeting. San Francisco, CA. 19 November 2008.
19. SPEAKER "Endangered Species and the Federal Government." Symposium on New Directions in Western History. Utah State University. Logan, Utah. 23 October 2008.

18. SPEAKER "Homes on the Range: A History of Science and Conservation on California's Privately Owned Hardwood Rangelands." Office for the History of Science and Technology, University of California, Berkeley. Berkeley, CA. 6 October 2008.
17. PANELIST "Teaching Environmental History in the Field." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Boise, ID. 13 March 2008.
16. SPEAKER "Homes on the Range: Cooperative Conservation and Environmental Change on California's Privately Owned Hardwood Rangelands." History of the Life and Environmental Sciences Working Group Colloquium, Department of the History of Science, Harvard University. Cambridge, MA. 14 December 2007.
15. PANELIST "California on Fire." Wellesley College. Wellesley, MA. 5 December 2007.
14. SPEAKER "From Wilderness to Habitat in the California Desert." Symposium on The Changing Place of Wildness: Nature, Recreation, and Conservation. Brandeis University. Waltham, MA. 16 November 2007.
13. SPEAKER "Parks For Plants? Endangered Species, the California Desert, and the National Park Service in the 1930s." History of Science Society annual meeting. Arlington, VA. 2 November 2007.
12. SPEAKER "Habitat Conservation Planning: Past, Present, and Future." Harvard University Center for the Environment Alumni Forum. Cambridge, MA. 11 May 2007.
11. SPEAKER "The California Condor Conservation Controversy." New Hampshire Audubon Society Environmental Lecture Series. Concord, NH. 10 May 2007.
10. SPEAKER "Homes on the Range: The Changing Nature of Conservation on California's Privately-Owned Hardwood Rangelands." Harvard Forest Seminar Series, Harvard University. Petersham, MA. 16 March 2007.
9. SPEAKER "Insect Friends and Insect Foes: American Entomology and the Origins of Biodiversity Conservation." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Baton Rouge, LA. 3 March 2007.
8. SPEAKER "The Mojave Desert Tortoise Industry." History of Science Society annual meeting. Vancouver, BC. 4 November 2006.
7. SPEAKER "Home on the Range: Conservation Science in California's Hardwood Rangelands." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. St. Paul, MN. 1 April 2006.
6. SPEAKER "Environmental History and Ecological Science: Where Do We Stand?" Symposium on The Uses of Environmental History: Cross Disciplinary Conversations. University of Cambridge. Cambridge, UK. 13 January 2006.
5. SPEAKER "Biography of a Feathered Pig: The California Condor Conservation Controversy." North American West Colloquium, Stanford University. Stanford, CA. 8 November 2005.
4. SPEAKER "Hunting and Gathering in the Big City." Los Angeles Urban Rangers Interactive Exhibition. The GardenLAB Experiment, Art Center College of Design. Pasadena, CA. 25 September 2003.
3. SPEAKER "Fitting Symbols or Feathered Pigs?: The California Condor Conservation Controversy." American Society for Environmental History annual meeting. Providence, RI. 27 March 2003.
2. SPEAKER "Biography of a Feathered Pig: The California Condor Conservation Controversy." Southwest Colloquium in the History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences. Arizona State University. Tempe, AZ. 20 February 2002.

1. SPEAKER "Land-Use History, Perception, and Ecological Change: A Case Study in the Los Alamos Valley, California." Association of American Geographers annual meeting. Honolulu, HI. 24 March 1999.

Key Links

Personal website: www.peteralagona.com

California Grizzly Research Network: www.calgrizzly.com

Convivial Conservation (CONVIVA) consortium: <https://conviva-research.com>

UCSB Environmental Studies Program: <https://www.es.ucsb.edu>

UCSB Natural Reserve System: <https://www.nrs.ucsb.edu>

University of California Natural Reserve System History & Archive Project: <https://archives.nrs.ucsb.edu>