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Clark P. Stevens is a conservationist and architect for culturally and ecologically critical places. He has served since 2010 as Executive Officer of the Resource Conservation District of the Santa Monica Mountains (RCDSMM) and was the architect for its Malibu Lagoon Restoration and ongoing Topanga Lagoon Restoration design process, Liberty Canyon Wildlife Crossing schematic and design development phases, and the LA County Defensible Space Project. He has designed conservation-based inhabitation and restoration plans in the western US, Hawaii, and Italy. His work has appeared in the LA and NY Times, Wall Street Journal, Vanity Fair, Vogue, Architectural Digest, Dwell, A&E, Travel, and HGTV networks, and honored with State, National, and Global Design Awards. He now serves as the full-time executive and principal architect of the RCDSMM and represents them on the Board of Governors of the Santa Monica Bay Restoration Commission. and the California Fire Science Consortium Advisory Board.

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Richard F. Ambrose, Ph.D., is a Research Professor in the Department of Environmental Health Sciences and the IOES at UCLA, where he has been a faculty member since 1992 and has mentored more than 90 graduate students. His research includes studying how rising sea levels will affect coastal wetlands and rocky intertidal communities, how coastal wetlands could mitigate climate change by sequestering carbon, and how adaptation strategies can be used to reduce the impacts of climate change on coastal ecosystems. Ambrose's work was published in more than 225 papers and reports. He has served on scientific advisory panels for many organizations including the California Coastal Commission, Santa Monica Bay Restoration Commission, California Ocean Protection Council, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and Southern California Wetlands Recovery Project. He has provided ecological restoration advice for the Malibu Lagoon, Ormond Beach, Topanga Lagoon, Tijuana Estuary, and many other coastal wetlands.

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