

**Project Summary**  
**Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit**

<b>Project Title:</b> Channel Islands National Park Digital Image Library Development
<b>Type of Project:</b> Technical Assistance
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<b>Other Partners/Cooperators:</b> Pacific Northwest CESU
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<b>Project Abstract:</b> Better access to the wealth of slide material information contained in Channel Islands NP will assist resource managers, researchers and educators, both inside the park and out. Converting these slides to digital images and providing organization and access through the Park network will increase the efficiency of the staff and other users. They will be able to find and utilize the extensive park slide collection for research, education and resource management, thus, saving valuable time and effort. Users will have better access to what material is already in the collection, and what has been already done, again saving time and avoiding duplicate work.  This project requires a qualified librarian to design an image library incorporating professional standards and the needs of the Channel Islands National Park into an existing software program. The librarian will also travel to the Park to train the Park staff to scan and catalog Park slides. Operating procedures and training guides will be created.
<b>Outcomes with completion dates (reports, publications, workshops, videos, etc.):</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Operating procedures for ongoing maintenance of the digital image library at Channel Islands National Park.</li><li>2) Training materials and instruction for using and adding to the digital library.</li><li>3) Report on how the system is compatible with other NPS digital image library efforts.</li></ol>
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