

Scientific Consultant Services, Inc. (SCS) is an archaeological consulting company that provides professional services in all aspects of cultural resource management. The company was founded in 1992, and it is locally owned and operated with offices located on Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and Hawai'i Island. SCS is a licensed and authorized service provider by the State of Hawai'i to conduct archaeological services for both private and public clients. This authorization has made SCS a trusted and reliable archaeological consulting company. The company has built a well-respected reputation for itself over the past three decades, evidenced by hundreds of technical reports and professional journal articles produced by its staff members. The company has completed more than 2,000 historical preservation and research projects of varying sizes throughout Hawai'i and the greater Pacific region.

SCS offers a broad range of cultural resources management services, including archaeological assessments and field inspections, archaeological inventory survey, data recovery, burial treatment, cultural impact assessments, traditional cultural properties studies, historical studies, archival research, oral history, and Geographic Information Systems (GIS) studies. The team of archaeologists meets the Secretary of Interior's Qualifications Standards in all the services provided. Their work experience includes archaeological monitoring, inventory surveys of various types, mitigation through data recovery, burial treatment plans, cultural impact assessment, archaeological excavations including block excavations, test excavations, and data recovery excavations. They specialize in performing background literature searches, assessments that include historical and archival research, preparation of mitigation plans, cultural resource management plans, and cultural resource assessments for Section 106 documentation, Environmental Assessments, and Environmental Impact Statements. SCS staff is also experienced in preparing cultural impact assessments and interpretive planning projects for public education.

SCS employs experienced and highly qualified personnel and has the capacity to conduct multiple simultaneous projects involving a wide range of research, fieldwork, and writing skills. Many senior staff members have long histories of work experience in Pacific Island archaeology. This depth of experience accompanies a sensitivity and awareness of traditional values derived not only from formal research and investigations, but also from relationships with people and organizations in the community. The company's main objective is the stewardship of cultural resources for future generations. The main office is located in Honolulu near Ala Moana Center, and the company has a full range of field equipment, laboratory, and a large reference library.