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## The biggest gaps in knowledge of natural history in SE Alaska?

The relative timing of glacial advance/retreat along the entire Cordillera +4

Access to fossil data for genetic species IDs and isotopic dating

If black and brown bears didn't survive in a SEAK refugium, is there evidence for the source population that corresponds to the right time period?

What was the vegetation on the continental shelf anyone want to count pollen in MD02-2496 - I have the fine sediment (ILH) +2

There is limited paleoenvironmental data (other that Tom Ager's pollen) to calibrate conditions in different bedrock conditions. This applies to sites currently on land as well as those submerged. +1

sedaDNA data on algal groups to support the hard microfossil group record of lacustrine to marine transition offhshore.

Timing of human arrival to SEAK and the Pacific coast more broadly +1

Jason B wants to see offshore cores taken from shelf lakes during sea level low stand +2

Ice sheet advance history (not just retreat) +1 Sea level history off present coast (particularly during early deglaciation?) the timing of pre-LGM glacial advances -- and if they are slightly offset from central AK and BC +1 (or other ice sheets like the Laurentide?? -alia)

A massive

terrestrial

dates on

volcanism +3

lack of

How do atmospheric / ocean / ecosystem dynamics of the **North Pacific** interact over long time-scales?

Understanding ice-ocean interaction better (incorporate ice sheet modelling?), + **RSL** histories via "coupling" with solid earth/GIA modeling.

More terrestrial stratigraphy: river/stream/road cuts, coast bluffs, caves, man-made quarries, landslides scars, etc. Much of this was done decades ago with some preliminary work but not much since then.

1. Connectivity of in the eastern Pacific. 2. **Island Populations**\* in western N. America. +2

> Fully resolve the volcanological history of the Mt. Edgecumbe Volcanic Field +1

Core more fjords! Some of them appear to have pre-deglacial sediments (like EW0408-11JC)

Pre-MIS 2 -- to understand glacial history AND biological history? [Yes!] +2

marine populations Connectivity of "Sky

Relationship

and dynamic

post-glacial

between human

settlement patterns

sea-level change +2

## What is the biggest gap in knowledge in the natural history of SE Alaska?

Chronology of volcanism at Mount Edgecumbe / well-dated tephra records

Refugia under water? Where? +1

How long did hypothesized now-submerged refugia exist? +1 Lack of long-term climate records +1

longer term
comparisons of
central Cordilleran
ice sheet behavior
to northern and
southern--e.g.
source to sink
processes at MPT
and PPT

plant genome work +1

We didn't talk about it much at this workshop, but there's not much known about the sea ice history and specifically how sea ice and glacial ice interact in the region. +1!!

Changes in climate related to diversity in diamicton cores

Causes of the Siku events +1

When did the LGM ice advance over SEAK? +2

timing and affects of forebulge collapse

> finer scaled coupling of climate and biotic change through late Pleistocene/Holocene +1

> > Climate variability throughout the LGM +1

Incomplete fossil record +1

Comparison of different volcanic fields in Southeast Alaska

related to
Edgecumbe/volcanics
--mantle to surface
connections along
transform faults +1

Volcanic hazards posed by Edgecumbe Changes in marine ecosystem composition

## Approaches and goals to fill those gaps in knowledge?

Core lakes and bogs in a variety of bedrock types with a full range of proxies to establish a basis to better understand the lacustrine sequences in offshore sites. Boots on the ground for some of the terrestrial work some is off the road networks or relatively accessible by boat and doesn't necessarily involve an enormous amount of money Ingrid (ihendy@umich.edu) will organize a group to write a site survey proposal for IODP+2 There are international collaborative funding opportunities through NERC (UK) and NSERC (Canada), some are dependent on existing funded grants but might be other opportunities.

Jason B: infrastructure for offshore work, on continental shelf, too Leveraging field logistics, team up with USFS, USGS, Academia, Institutes

create (or is there one?) an interactive GIS-based database of parameters that constrain/affect/track ice location/advance/retre at. Needs an assigned database manager.

Expanded taxonomic sampling and sequencing across islands to construct gene-flow networks Pre-MIS 2 glaciations: dating volcanics that bracket older tills, multi-isotope cosmogenic isotope dating and/or rock cores, marine sediment coring with IODP

Collaborations to collect DNA/eDNA samples of marine species to monitor northward migrations as climate warms as well as reconstruct population patterns from glacial times.

Combine
efforts--could be
appealing for
interdisciplinary
projects/funding too

Coordination of researchers to leverage each other's resources (re: Jason and Sue's idea)

Boots on the ground on ecologically productive YD/BA paleoshorelines for archaeology. Collaborations
coordinating
Tlingit/Haida
interests with those
of the scientific
community +1

To keep people in contact: focused topical sessions at GSA, ESA, AGU, etc. on a regular basis to keep people connected and to draw in more interest in workshops like this.

### Approaches and goals to fill those gaps?

Targeting the hinge areas to look for early archaeological sites

Marine cores in submerged basins on shelf +3 yes, plus imaging!

Sampling of submerged glacial and volcanic features +2

Ice sheet and GIA modeling to simulate glacier loading/unloading and impacts on crustal stress fields

more genomes of subfossils! +1

speleothems

More interdisciplinary conversations to ID things of interest to other groups. Ex:
Jason Briner wants to know basal ages of sed. cores to get at timing of glacial retreat...this might not be imp. part of paleo study...

eDNA coupled with later field reconnaissance in places where interesting eDNA is found +2

> MinION for genome sequencing in the field

sedaDNA to infer the paleoenvironment +1

site survey and ocean drilling from shallow to deep water transect for longer term records

# Challenges to meet those goals?

**Energy** 

More time: Can the biologists figure out immortality yet?

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Communication (Sue Karl's message board idea!) Chris: Could get better at answering questions from multiple angles within single project/grant

(e.g. onshore + offshore for glacial; lots of people for refugia). Can be very attractive for some funders

### Challenges to meet those goals?

No proximal ice sheets (no terrestrial climate records from ice cores other than Mt. Logan)

glacial sediments make finding other things in the sediments very difficult/glacial overprint on landscape +1 Funding +2

Access to suitable field sites

SEAK transportation accessibility

SEAK weather :(