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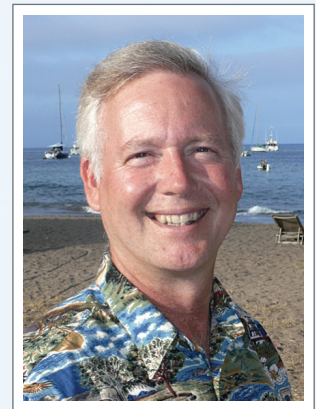
### Education:

Ph.D., Biology, University of California, Santa Cruz

M.S., Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Arizona

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Dr. Anthony Michaels (Tony) is co-Founder and Managing Director of Proteus Environmental Technologies and chief scientist at Pegasus Capital Advisors. Proteus creates economic value through novel connections between business opportunities and universities. In partnership with Pegasus Capital Advisors, it has a hybrid private equity-venture capital investment strategy to find and commercialize transformative environmental technologies that solve major environmental challenges in large markets. Pegasus is a private equity investor with a very successful record for building profitable companies that are leaders in sustainability. Dr. Michaels also advises large and small companies on corporate sustainability and access to new environmental markets. Proteus creates and manages a portfolio of companies with environmental technologies in renewable energy, sustainable seafood and clean water.



Before entering business in 2008, Dr. Michaels had an academic career in environmental and ocean sciences. In 1996 he was the founding Director of the University of Southern California Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies. The Wrigley Institute is an interdisciplinary home for environmental scholarship across USC and works to make that research relevant, usable and understandable to decision-makers in society, business and governments. Among his many board positions, Dr. Michaels has been Chair of the Council of Environmental Deans and Directors, the Catalina Island Conservancy and the NSF Advisory Committee on Environmental Research and Education. He is on the board for the National Council for Science and the Environment and the Global Institute on Sustainability at Arizona State University. Dr. Michaels was educated at the University of California, San Diego, the University of Arizona (BS, MS) and the University of California, Santa Cruz (Ph.D.). In the past 20 years he has published 100 scholarly papers.