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Mr Carl Pope is the Executive Director of the Sierra Club. He has been with the Sierra Club for nearly thirty years serving as Associate Conservation Director, Political Director and Conservation Director. He served on the Boards of the California League of Conservation Voters, Public Voice, National Clean Air Coalition, California Common Cause, Public Interest Economics, Inc., and Zero Population Growth.



Mr Pope is co-author of Strategic Ignorance: Why the Bush Administration is Recklessly Destroying a Century of Environmental Progress. His other books include Sahib, an American Misadventure in India (1971) and Hazardous Waste in America (1981).

Mr Pope graduated summa cum laude from Harvard College in 1967. He then spent two years as a volunteer with the Peace Corps in Barhi, Bihar, India, where he helped communities and families address the human and environmental impacts of overpopulation.