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We will discuss a finite dimensionality result for the  $L^2$ - $(p, 1)$ - $\bar{\partial}$ -cohomology groups (with respect to the Fubini-Study metric) of an irreducible,  $n$ -dimensional projective variety with arbitrary singular locus ( $0 \leq p \leq n$ ). Using this we will prove a similar result for Stein neighborhoods of isolated singular points of irreducible  $n$ -dimensional subvarieties of  $\mathbb{C}^N$  when  $p = n - 1$ . This is joint work with Nils Øvrelid. (Received September 12, 2006)