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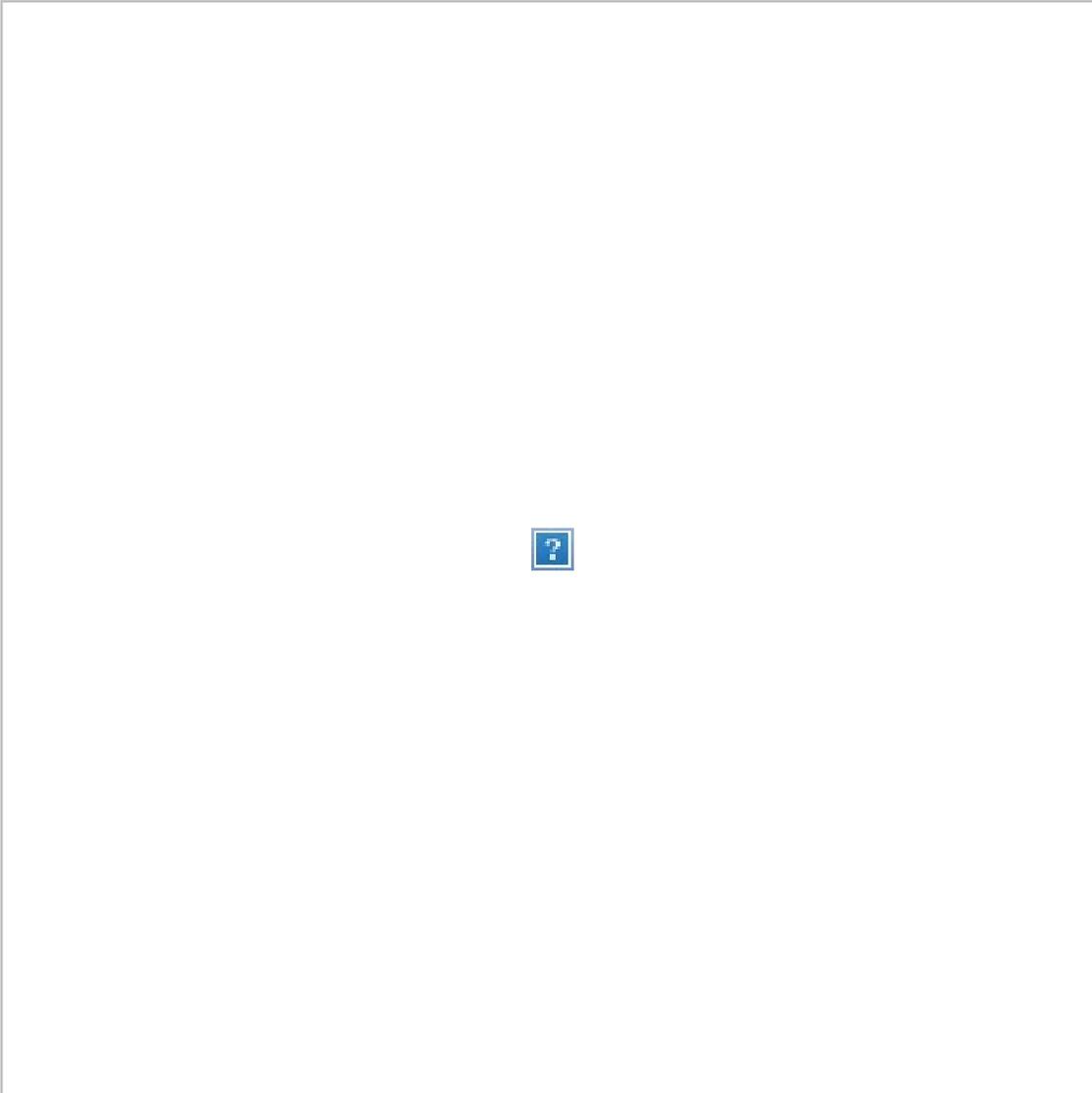
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A BULLETIN FOR UH WEST O'AHU FACULTY AND STAFF  
**This Week at UH West O'ahu**

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Week of Sept. 17, 2018

**Bring your young ones to KIDS FIRST! showing of The Boxcar Children - Surprise Island**



Chancellor Benham and the Kaiāulu Task Force (building community on campus) are extending an invitation to you and your family to join us at our first (in partnership with UH Mānoa Outreach College) [KIDS FIRST! Film Festival featuring the newly released The Box Car Kids movie, Surprise Island](#). Free popcorn, toppings and ice cold water will be provided by ASUHWO. Boxcar Children prizes, books, school supplies will also be distributed to the keiki. Bring your blankets and pillows -- there will be a lot of floor space and several rows of chairs for seating! [Please RSVP via this EventBrite link!](#) See you there!

## Show your charitable side - UH Aloha United Way campaign is underway



Help the University of Hawaii touch lives, restore hope and build a healthier and stronger community. The university's 2018 Oahu Aloha United Way campaign runs through October 12, 2018 and helps raise funds for Oahu's non-profit organizations. Donations help critical community service organizations assist more than 500,000 individuals in Hawaii, in areas from education to poverty prevention. Ken Inouye ([dkinouye@hawaii.edu](mailto:dkinouye@hawaii.edu)) is the UH West O'ahu campus coordinator. Please contact him for information or to request a paper pledge form.

UH has been a strong partner to AUW for many years, and we hope to continue this tradition with a 2018 goal of \$275,000. Please help us reach it. To show your support of AUW, visit:

<https://auw.unitedwaypledge.org/epledge/UH> You may also obtain paper pledge forms from campus coordinators. Help in using the pledge website, if needed:

[https://www.hawaii.edu/govrel/docs/auw/2018/2018\\_epledge\\_instructions.pdf](https://www.hawaii.edu/govrel/docs/auw/2018/2018_epledge_instructions.pdf) for instructions on how to donate.

Questions? Visit: [https://www.hawaii.edu/govrel/docs/auw/2018/2018\\_epledge\\_faq.pdf](https://www.hawaii.edu/govrel/docs/auw/2018/2018_epledge_faq.pdf)

**Do you have 5 minutes of class time for an SAFB announcement? Help requested**



Each semester, SAFB (Student Activity Fee Board) create events to encourage participation and enhance students' college experience here on campus. SAFB is proud to present our 5th Annual Splash Bash event that is scheduled for Friday, Sept. 21 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. on the Great Lawn.

SAFB is requesting permission for members of its team for a quick 5-minute presentation to students either before or after class. This presentation will allow SAFB will be providing students details of Splash Bash and to remind them to get their UH West O'ahu Student ID validated for the current fall semester. This event is free for UH West Oahu students and they may invite up to 3 non-UWHO students to attend (guests must be 18 years old and older).

Please email [safbwo@hawaii.edu](mailto:safbwo@hawaii.edu) if you are willing to give it permission to do the presentation in front of your class through Sept. 20 .

### **Dining room back to normal hours after last week's change**

The UH West O'ahu's Dining Hall hours are returning to their normal 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. hours after closing early last week.

### **About those Budget Status Reports: Come talk story with the Business/Fiscal Office**

The format of the monthly Budget Status Reports has been revised for all accounts receiving an allocation of tuition/fee funds. UH West O'ahu's Business/Fiscal Office would like to invite you to a "talk-story" session to discuss the new format of the revised Budget Status Reports and go over any questions (especially questions specifically about the financial activity in your account).

Since the Budget Status Report is only a snapshot of account activity at month-end, the Business/Fiscal Office will also be discussing and showing you how you may utilize KFS to determine "real-time" your current available balance. As applicable, we will also discuss Business Status Reports for "revenue generating" accounts (i.e.,

certain special fund and revolving fund accounts). These Business Status Reports are prepared in a different format due to the functionality of these accounts.

The following are the “talk-story sessions” that have been scheduled:

- Friday, Oct. 5, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. in D-151 (please RSVP by Sept. 28)
- Friday, Oct. 12, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. in D-151 (please RSVP by Oct. 5)
- Friday, Nov. 2, 2:00 – 3:00 pm in D-151 (please RSVP by Oct. 26)

The Business/Fiscal Office hopes you and/or your administrative staff are able to join us at one of the sessions above! Please send RSVP to Sheri Ching ([sheric@hawaii.edu](mailto:sheric@hawaii.edu)) by dates indicated above.

### **Nationwide test of Emergency Alert System, Wireless Emergency Alert set for Sept. 20**

The Federal Emergency Management Agency in coordination with the Federal Communications Commission will conduct a nationwide test of the Emergency Alert System (EAS) and Wireless Emergency Alert (WEA) on Sept. 20, 2018 (primary date) or Oct. 3, 2018 (secondary date).

The WEA portion of the test commences at 8:18 a.m. HST and the EAS portion follows at 8:20 a.m. HST. The test will assess the operational readiness of the infrastructure for distribution of a national message and determine whether technological improvements are needed. Cell phones within range of an active cell tower and whose wireless carrier participates in WEAs should receive the national test message, and will receive the same special tone and vibration as with all WEA messages (i.e. Tornado Warning, AMBER Alert).

The WEA test message will read “This is a test of the National Wireless Emergency Alert system. No action is needed.” The WEA system is used to warn the public about dangerous weather, missing children, and other critical situations through alerts on cell phones. It allows customers whose wireless provider participates in WEA and who own a WEA compatible wireless phone to receive geotargeted alerts of imminent threats to safety in their area through unique tones and vibration. The national WEA test will use the same special tone and vibration.

The EAS test is scheduled to last approximately one minute and is made available to EAS participants including radio and television broadcasters, cable systems, satellite radio and television providers, and wireline video providers. The test message will be similar to regular monthly EAS test messages with which the public is familiar.

### **SEED IDEAS applications being accepted**



The Office of Student Equity Excellence and Diversity (SEED) is now accepting applications for SEED IDEAS. IDEAS stands for Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, Access and Success. The IDEAS grant can provide funding for initiatives that support a diverse and inclusive environment at the University of Hawai'i. Any of the UH campuses are eligible to apply. Deadline for IDEAS applications: Friday, Oct. 5, 2018, 4:30 p.m. in room 413, Queen Liliuokalani Center for Student Services.

Awards can help pay for speaker honorarium, transportation for interisland travel, supply fees and administrative support to carry out the project. Sheri Ching, UH West O'ahu fiscal manager, recommends applicants submit the completed application, narrative and draft budget to her at [sheric@hawaii.edu](mailto:sheric@hawaii.edu) by Wednesday, Sept. 26 for review and comment. She also has the following hints for preparing your budget:

- Honorarium may be provided to non-University employees.
- For student help, include a fringe rate of 0.9%.
- Travel fees to bring out of state speakers to Hawai'i may be supported by this initiative.
- Unallowable costs per SEED guidelines: food, faculty overload, leis, travel outside of state for students, faculty or staff.

Include the following information on the "Budget Page":

o Fiscal Officer: Sheri Ching, FO Address: [91-1001 Farrington Hwy., Kapolei, HI 96707](https://www.google.com/maps/place/91-1001+Farrington+Hwy.,+Kapolei,+HI+96707), Email: [sheric@hawaii.edu](mailto:sheric@hawaii.edu), FO Phone: 808-689-2512, FO Fax: 808-689-2501, and Blank line under "Fax" include: UOH 701.

The application form should be signed by the application and both your Division Chair/Director and respective

Vice Chancellor under “Signatures” section on the application. Application, narrative and budget must be emailed to [paw@hawaii.edu](mailto:paw@hawaii.edu) no later than Friday, October 5, 2018. Additionally five (5) copies of the application, narrative and budget must be either mailed, faxed or dropped off to:

SEED IDEAS Application: SEED

Attn: Pua Auyong-White

UH Manoa – QLCSS Rm. 413

[2600 Campus Road](#)

[Honolulu, HI 96822](#)

Fax: 808-956-9240

To review the guidelines and get the application at [www.hawaii.edu/diversity/seedideas](http://www.hawaii.edu/diversity/seedideas) For more information contact Pua Auyong at [paw@hawaii.edu](mailto:paw@hawaii.edu).

### Distance Learning Tip of the Week - Captioning in YouTube

Adding subtitles or closed captions to videos you have created for your students, such as tutorials or recorded lectures can be a helpful way to meet the needs of your learners. It can be time intensive to add captions to a class lecture, but YouTube has a tool to make the process a little easier. YouTube can use its own speech recognition software to create captions for your videos. The captions are not always accurate and often need proofreading and correction, but it can be a good start. If you are interested in using YouTube’s automatic captioning system, visit: [goo.gl/isDCPi](http://goo.gl/isDCPi). Our YouTube workshop will elaborate on this feature as well. You can find more information about workshops and read other tech tips by visiting [westoahu.hawaii.edu/distancelearning](http://westoahu.hawaii.edu/distancelearning) or emailing [uhwode@hawaii.edu](mailto:uhwode@hawaii.edu).

### UH West O’ahu in the news

[Long Island Business, Sept. 10:](#) UH West O’ahu is mentioned as the fastest-growing public college in the nation in a report on Farmingdale State College.

[Midweek West O’ahu Voice, Sept. 12:](#) UH West O’ahu’s Director of Compliance Beverly Baligad is profiled in a front-page article.

[Midweek West O’ahu Voice, Sept. 12:](#) UH West O’ahu has added degree concentrations and a new music certificate.

[Midweek West O’ahu Voice, Sept. 12:](#) Auditions underway for UH West O’ahu Strings ensemble.

[U.S. News & World Report, Sept. 11:](#) UH West O’ahu is ranked #21 in Regional Colleges West.

[Pacific Business News, Sept. 13](#) (paywall): UH West O’ahu is mentioned as receiving funding from the U.S. Navy’s Asia Pacific Technology and Education Partnership as part of an article on the Elemental Excelerator.

[Maui Now, Sept. 13:](#) UH System campuses, including UH West O’ahu, did well in the latest U.S. News & World Report ranking.

[KITV, Sept. 13:](#) Some of University of Hawaii’s four-year institutions are jumping up spots on this years US news and world report rankings of the top schools in the nation.

[BBC.com, Sept. 17:](#) Aunty Lynette Paglinawan is quoted and UH West O’ahu is mentioned in an article about ho’oponopono.

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### News from [E Kamakani Hou](#)



### **UH West O'ahu rises in U.S. News & World Report college rankings**

UH West O'ahu moved up in the U.S. News & World Report's much-referenced Best Colleges rankings that were published Monday. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **UH West O'ahu top online Health Care Administration degree in state**

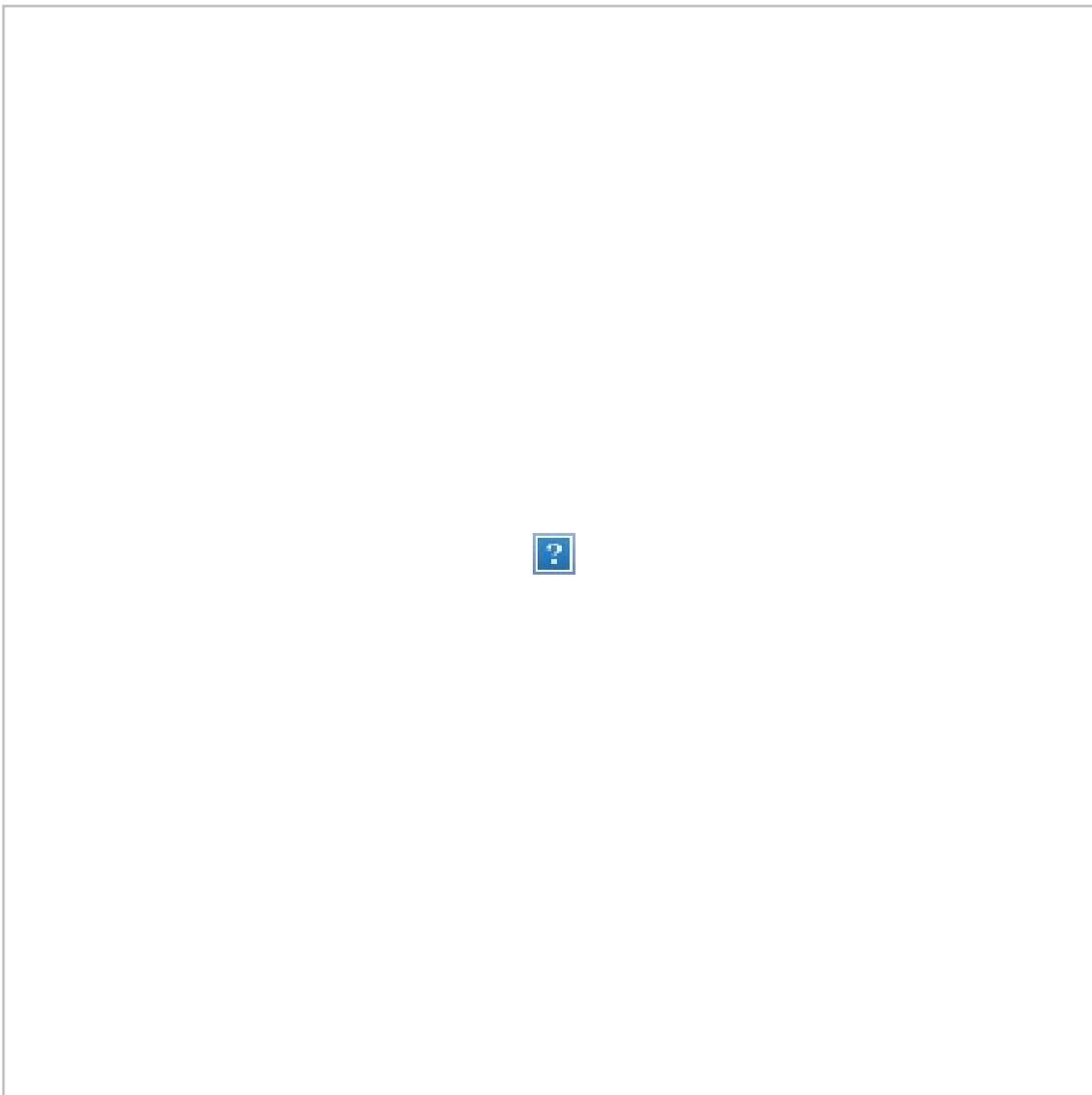
UH West O'ahu's [Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration with Health Care Administration Concentration](#) has been named Hawai'i's top online bachelor's degree in Healthcare Administration for 2018-19 by [HealthcareAdministrationEDU.org](#).[\[Read More\]](#)

### **Miles receives Kamehameha Schools grant to support faculty and course development**

Dr. Albie Miles, a UH West O'ahu assistant professor of Sustainable Community Food Systems, has received a \$151,576 grant from Kamehameha Schools to support faculty and course development in the areas of Indigenous Natural Resources Management, Traditional Food and Farming Systems of Hawaii and Traditional Ecological Knowledge. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Sign contest begins as Compliance Hui ramps up for Healing Soles event**

The [UH West O'ahu Compliance Hui](#) is holding a sign contest as part of its [Healing Soles: Step Up Against Violence event](#) scheduled for later this month. [\[Read More\]](#)



### **UH West O'ahu scholarship celebration honors donors, scholarship recipients**

About a hundred UH West O'ahu students receiving scholarships through the University of Hawai'i Foundation were honored and given a chance to meet with donors who funded their awards at a luncheon Friday. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Nā Kaulana Mahina workshop scheduled for Monday, Sept. 24**

A Nā Kaulana Mahina workshop is scheduled for the UH West O'ahu campus that promises to delve into our relationship with time and place and discuss the significance of environmental time versus human time. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Mid-Autumn Festival to feature mooncake sampling, Chinese scholars, culture**

A Mid-Autumn Festival is scheduled for the UH West O'ahu campus that will include Chinese scholars promoting cultural awareness, sampling of food and other activities. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Fifth Annual Splash Bash set for Sept. 21**

UH West O'ahu's fifth-annual Splash Bash will feature three giant water slides, free food, a live DJ and photo booth as well as the opportunity for students to start the new semester by playing interactive games and win prizes. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Profile: Bev Baligad's knack for translating legalese for us to understand**

Bev Baligad may have what is the ultimate competitive edge. [\[Read More\]](#)

### **Compliance Hui sets course with slate of events for Fall 2018 Semester**

The UH West O'ahu Compliance Hui will help sponsor Constitution Day activities on Sept. 17 and 18, some of the many activities scheduled by the group during the Fall 2018 Semester. [\[Read More\]](#)

## **UH West O'ahu Calendar of Events**

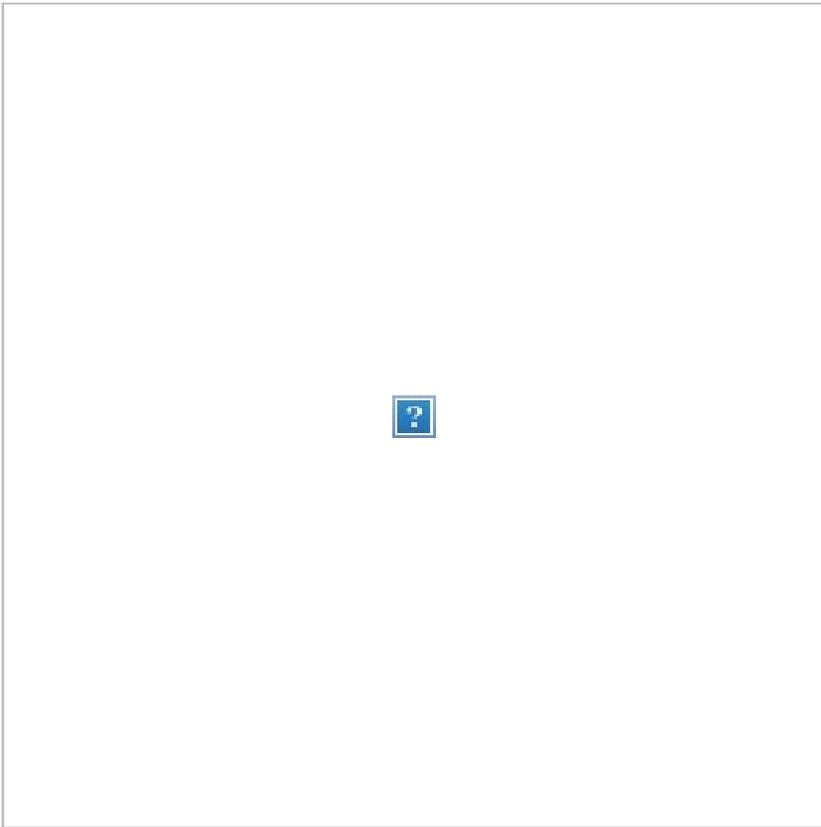
### **Monday, Sept. 17**

- [Nohona Hawai'i](#) - Living a Hawaiian Way with aunty Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30-11 a.m., Hale Kūahuokalā. Subject: "Hawaiian Worldviews"
- [Constitution Day Activities](#). Voter registration, showing of RBG, discussion on Equal Rights Doctrine, the importance of an independent judiciary, a showing of RBG, hosted by the Law Society. Noon to 3:30 p.m., Nāulu Center. (Kaiāulu Point Event)
- Monthly Munchies. Popcorn mixes, coffee and tea. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Hosted by Office of Student Life.
- Ice Cream Day. Ice cream cones and sandwiches, crunch bars, fruit bars. 11 a.m.-2 p.m., D Building Breezeway.

### **Tuesday, Sept. 18**

- [Student Organic Māla \(Garden\) Harvest Day](#). 9 to 11 a.m., student organic garden. Contact [tasiay@hawai'i.edu](mailto:tasiay@hawai'i.edu) to RSVP or with questions.
- [All Level Yoga](#) with Emily Yamamoto. 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m., Hale Kūahuokalā. Contact [tasiay@hawai'i.edu](mailto:tasiay@hawai'i.edu) with questions.
- [Constitution Day Activities](#). Voter registration, Talk by UHWO graduate and writer Albert Lanier about "Fake News and the First Amendment," roundtable discussion, hosted by the Law Society. Noon to 3:30 p.m., Nāulu Center. (schedule subject to change)
- Monthly Munchies. Popcorn mixes, coffee and tea. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Hosted by Office of Student Life.
- ASUHWO Senate General Meeting, Noon-2 p.m., open to all students. C158 conference room.
- [Intramural Sports Flag Football League](#). Play begins and runs through Oct. 30 at Moanalua Park.

### **Wednesday, Sept. 19**



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- [Herbal Medicine/DIY Workshop](#): Golden Milk aka 'Ōlena Lattes. Learn about tumeric's health benefits and make this warming "kinda-like-a-chai-latte-but-not" drink. 1:30-2:30 p.m., Nāulu Center Kitchen. Contact [tasiay@hawai'i.edu](mailto:tasiay@hawai'i.edu) to RSVP or with questions.
- Monthly Munchies. Popcorn mixes, coffee and tea. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Hosted by Office of Student Life.
- [Intramurals FreePlay](#) 3-6 p.m., Great Lawn, hosted by UHWO Sports



- [RaW Skills Online Workshop](#). Research and Writing Workshop by No'eau Center and the Library. The Research Process. 5 p.m. Register at [bit.ly/uworaw](http://bit.ly/uworaw)
- [UH West O'ahu University Band Rehearsal](#). 6:30-8:30 p.m., Pearl City High School.

#### **Thursday, Sept. 20**

- Deadline to file for ASUHWO special elections. 4:30 p.m., C236.
- Monthly Munchies. Popcorn mixes, coffee and tea. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Hosted by Office of Student Life.
- [Laulima Workshop](#) for faculty by the Office of Distance Learning. How to install and use popular tools in Laulima. 10 a.m., B222. Questions: [uhwode@hawaii.edu](mailto:uhwode@hawaii.edu)



- [Governmental Internship Program](#) speaker event with U.S. Congresswoman Colleen Hanabusa, Ken Inouye, and Dr. Masahide Kato. Noon-1 p.m., 'Ulu'ulu Theater Space.
- [Mid-Autumn Festival](#), Chinese cultural awareness, mooncake sampling, other activities. Free. 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Nāulu Center's Ho'onanea lounge.
- [Intramurals FreePlay](#), 3-6 p.m., Great Lawn, hosted by UHWO Sports.
- Zumba, 4:30 p.m. Hosted by UHWO Sports
- [Meet and talk story with representatives](#) from local archives. Presentation by James & Abigail Campbell staff and Nānākuli Library. 6 to 8 p.m., Nanakuli Public Library.

#### **Friday, Sept. 21**

- [Last day for students](#) to submit graduation application for Fall 2018
- [Splash Bash](#), Photo booth, slip and slides, outdoor volleyball, water slides, 5-9 p.m. hosted by the Student Activity Fee Board

#### **Sunday, Sept. 23**

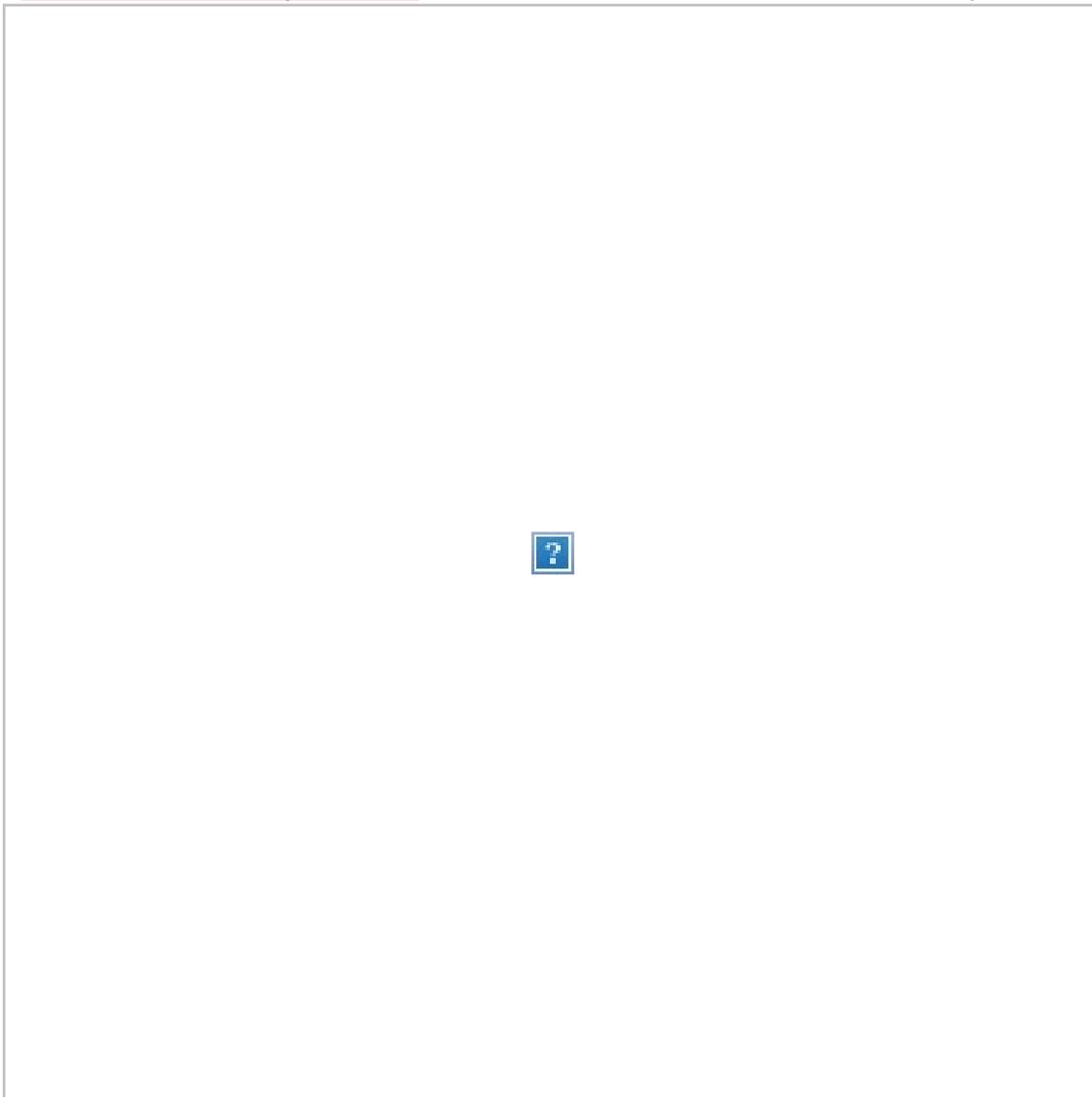
- Kids First Film Festival hosted by UH West Oahu

#### **Monday, Sept. 24**

- [Nohona Hawai'i](#) - Living a Hawaiian Way with aunty Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30-11 a.m., Hale Kūahuokalā. Subject: "Hawaiian Spirituality in healing and health"
- Na Kaulana Mahina Workshop, 5-6:30 p.m., Hale Kūahuokalā.

- [UH West O'ahu University Chorus Rehearsal](#). No experience necessary. 6:30-8:30 p.m., C225.

Want to include your story in the *This Week at UHWO News Bulletin* or *E Kamakani Hou*? Submit a [Communications Request Form](#) to the UH West O'ahu Communications Department.



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