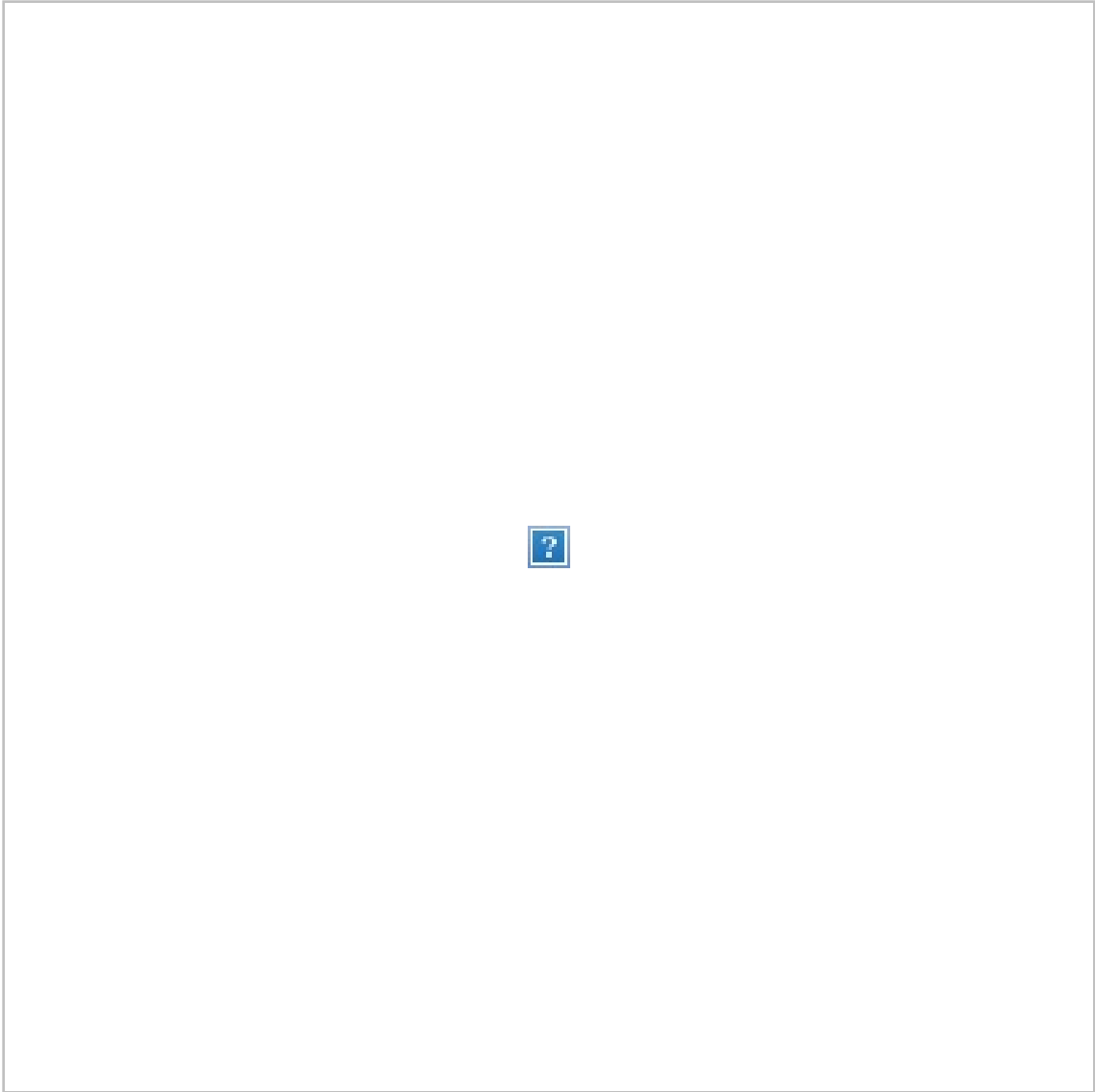


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**Air conditioning summer schedule for Classroom, Laboratory, and Campus Center**

Planning and Facilities will be modifying the normal Air Conditioning schedule during the summer in the Classroom, Laboratory, and Campus Center buildings. If there are events requiring AC in these spaces, please [submit request to FSE](#). Modifications are being made to match occupant usage, and to minimize utility costs. Changes are effective June 19, 2019 to Aug. 20, 2019. If you have any questions or comments, please email Malachi at [mmaglaya@hawaii.edu](mailto:mmaglaya@hawaii.edu).

Air Conditioning Hours		
Location	Monday-Friday Hours	Saturday Hours

Classroom Building	6:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Laboratory Building Faculty Rooms	6:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Laboratory Building Classrooms	Not Affected	Not Affected
Campus Center Student Services Offices	6:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Campus Center - other locations	Not Affected	Not Affected

### **Bookstore to close for inventory on Thursday, Friday, June 27 and 28**

The UH West O‘ahu bookstore will be open Monday to Wednesday this week. On Thursday and Friday it will be closed for inventory.



*Left to right: Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Jeffrey Moniz, Chris Conybeare, Former Gov. John Waihe‘e III, Dr. William Puette, Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Alan Rosenfeld, and Dr. Leslie Lopez.*

### **Former Gov. John Waihe‘e visits Center for Labor Education and Research**

Former Gov. John Waihe‘e III visited The Center for Labor Education and Research last Tuesday, meeting with Dr. William Puette, Dr. Leslie Lopez, and Chris Conybeare of the center. Waihe‘e, who served as Hawai‘i’s governor from 1986 to 1994, received a tour of the center located in the James & Abigail Campbell Library as

well as its collection of materials.

During the visit, center staff and Waihe'e discussed the labor leaders, workers, and organizers who were responsible for the Hawai'i Democratic Revolution of 1954 and gain collective bargaining for public workers. Lopez said Waihe'e credited labor education as a central and historically significant component of democracy in Hawai'i and recalled labor leaders and union members taking classes on labor law, organizing, labor history, and other subjects at Ala Moana park.

### **UH West O'ahu ranks ninth best online bachelor's in respiratory therapy program**

The University of Hawai'i--West O'ahu's Bachelor of Applied Science with a concentration in Respiratory Care program [ranked ninth nationally, according to a list compiled by BestColleges.com](#). The website notes the classes are offered both on-site and through distance learning and that the program is specifically structure for graduates with an Associate in Science degree in Respiratory Care from Kapi'olani Community College. UH West O'ahu does not have an online degree in respiratory therapy, but it appears the program meets the criteria for the ranking. UH West O'ahu does not offer fully online-only degree programs--lower division coursework needs to be completed via in-person and online classes at UH West O'ahu and/or a partnering University of Hawai'i Community College.

### **Windows to be measured for blinds in Buildings A, D and E on June 28**

Planning and Facilities would like to inform you that in preparation for installation of window blinds in all private offices in Buildings A, D and E, the vendor, Window World, will be on-site on Friday, June 28, between 8 a.m. and noon to take measurements. In Building A, the vendor will be measuring the interior office windows and in Buildings D and E, they will be measuring the upper portion of the office doors. They will not enter the individual offices but in Building A, the vendor will be in the Administration and Faculty suites in order to access the interior windows.

The installation of the blinds will occur at a later date and advanced notification of the work will be provided at that time. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Fenita Long at 689-2546 or [fenital@hawaii.edu](mailto:fenital@hawaii.edu).



### **Join Chancellor Benham, Alumni 'Ohana, to welcome newly admitted transfer students**

Come share Aloha Spirit, and Pueo Pride during a Transfer and Alumni Reception that's scheduled from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 10. Light refreshments will be served as Chancellor Maenette Benham and the UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana welcome the campus' newly admitted transfer students. Please [register online by Monday, July 8](#).

### **Alumni Group's Spring/Summer 2019 Newsletter available**

The UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana is out with its Spring/Summer newsletter, complete with a message from Chancellor Maenette Benham, and articles about the renaming of the group, alumni events, and other news. A copy of the newsletter is attached below.

### **First Summer Session ends Friday; Second Summer Session begins on Monday, July 1**

UH West O'ahu is approaching the mid-point of its summer, at least as measured by summer sessions. This Friday, June 28, will mark the end of instruction for the first Summer Session; on Monday, July 1, the second Summer Session begins.

Other upcoming dates: The 2019 Fall Semester begins Aug. 26; that's nine weeks from today. UH West O'ahu's PD Day for the new semester is scheduled for Wednesday, Aug. 21.

### **Rail station work continues; to affect traffic on Kualaka'i Parkway near campus this week**

Work on the Keone'ae (UH West O'ahu) rail station will affect traffic near the campus this week, according to

station contractor Nan, Inc. This includes:

- One northbound lane may be closed between Keahumoa Parkway and Farrington Highway from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. One through lane is to remain open.
- One or two southbound lanes may be closed between Farrington Highway and Keahumoa Parkway from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. At least one through lane is to remain open.

### **Thousands expected on campus this Saturday for Hire Leeward Job & Career Fair**

UH West O'ahu will once again play host to the Hire Leeward Job & Career Fair, which happens from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, June 29, on the Great Lawn. The 7th annual event is expected to attract thousands of job-seekers to talk with more than 60 employers. The fair bills itself as "connecting Leeward residents with Leeward jobs." It is free and open to the public.

### **Distance Learning tip of the Week - Compress a PDF**

Adobe Acrobat DC allows users to view, print, and annotate PDFs. Adobe Acrobat Pro DC. [The ITS Site License Office](#) is now providing licenses for Adobe Acrobat Pro DC to all University of Hawaii faculty and staff. A file that is large in size can be difficult to share with others. Adobe Acrobat DC provides a way to compress large PDFs. Using the Optimize PDF tool will help you create smaller and more manageable files. You can find step-by-step instructions on the [Adobe Acrobat DC site](#). You can find more tech tips on the [Office of Distance Learning's microsite](#).

### **UH West O'ahu in the news**

- [Trans Justice Funding Project](#), June 12: Cathy Kapua, Community Grantmaking Fellowship Coordinator, is mentioned as a member of the project's 2019 Grantmaking Coordination Team.
- [Interstatepassport.wiche.edu](#), May 31: UH West O'ahu has awarded its first Interstate Passports.

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

#### **Thursday, June 27**

- UH West O'ahu Bookstore closed for inventory

#### **Friday, June 28**

- [First Summer Session](#) last day of instruction
- UH West O'ahu Bookstore closed for inventory
- [Kumu Ola](#) summer bridge program concludes. For incoming O'ahu freshman interested in pursuing a health-related degree. Began June 3.

#### **Saturday, June 29**

- [7th Annual Hire Leeward Job and Career Fair](#). 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., Great Lawn.

#### **Sunday, June 30**

- [FAFSA Application](#) period for 2019-2020 year closes at 7 p.m. online.
- [Deadline to purchase Student U-Pass](#) for summer 2019

#### **Monday, July 1**

- [Second Summer Session](#) first day of instruction
- [Second Summer Session](#) final application deadline.

- [2019 Fall Semester final application deadline](#). Late applications may be accepted after final deadline as non-degree unclassified applicants.
- [‘Ike Ola Pathways to Health Careers](#) program break until July 7th.

#### **Tuesday, July 2**

- [First Summer Session](#) deadline for instructors to submit grades

#### **Wednesday, July 3**

- [First Summer Session](#) grades available on STAR by noon
- [Second Summer Session last day](#) to add or register and change grading option
- [Second Summer Session last day](#) to drop with 100% refund, no “W” grade
- Pueo Fitness Center closed
- Last day Summer Session 2 textbook refunds

#### **Thursday, July 4**

- [Independence Day holiday](#)

#### **Friday, July 5**

- Pueo Fitness Center closed

*The deadline to include your item in the next This Week is Thursday night. Please submit your item using the Communication Department’s [Communications Request Form](#).*



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### Message from Chancellor Maenette Benham Spring/Summer 2019

Aloha mai kākou UH West O'ahu Alumni!

Alumni are integral members of our 'ohana. Through your noteworthy achievements as well as the contributions that you make to support our students and our university, you increase the value of a UH West O'ahu degree. [Read full message »](#)



### Alumni news

#### Welcome to the UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana!

The newly re-named UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana strives to make alumni feel that they are part of the campus family.



### Event recap

#### Pueo Pride & Promise

Alumni and friends came together on March 7, 2019 to celebrate their shared identity, to tour the new Administration & Health Science Building, and to discuss the future of their alma mater.





#### Upcoming event

### **Transfer & Alumni Reception** **Wednesday, July 10, 2019**

Please join Chancellor Maenette Benham and the UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana as we welcome the newly admitted transfer students.



#### Alumni news

### **UH West O'ahu Alumni 'Ohana provides Veteran Honor Cords**

The Alumni 'Ohana honored military service by picking up the cost of Veteran Honor Cords for graduating veterans, military students and ROTC cadets.



#### Get involved

### **Join us on UH Connect**

Keep in touch with fellow UH West O'ahu alumni, seek career advice, join a group and more via UH Connect—our new networking platform exclusively for UH alumni.



#### Update your contact information

### **Don't miss out on alumni happenings!**

Have you moved since graduating? Got a new email address? Update your contact information to ensure you receive the most relevant alumni event invitations, news, discounts and more.



#### Get involved

### **Alumni volunteer at the spring 2019 commencement ceremony**

A handful of alumni were on hand helping to usher commencement guests and welcome new graduates to the alumni 'ohana.



#### Career resources

### **Hire West O'ahu Students and Alumni**

The Office of Career Services is here to support you even after you've graduated. Learn more about the resources available to you.



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