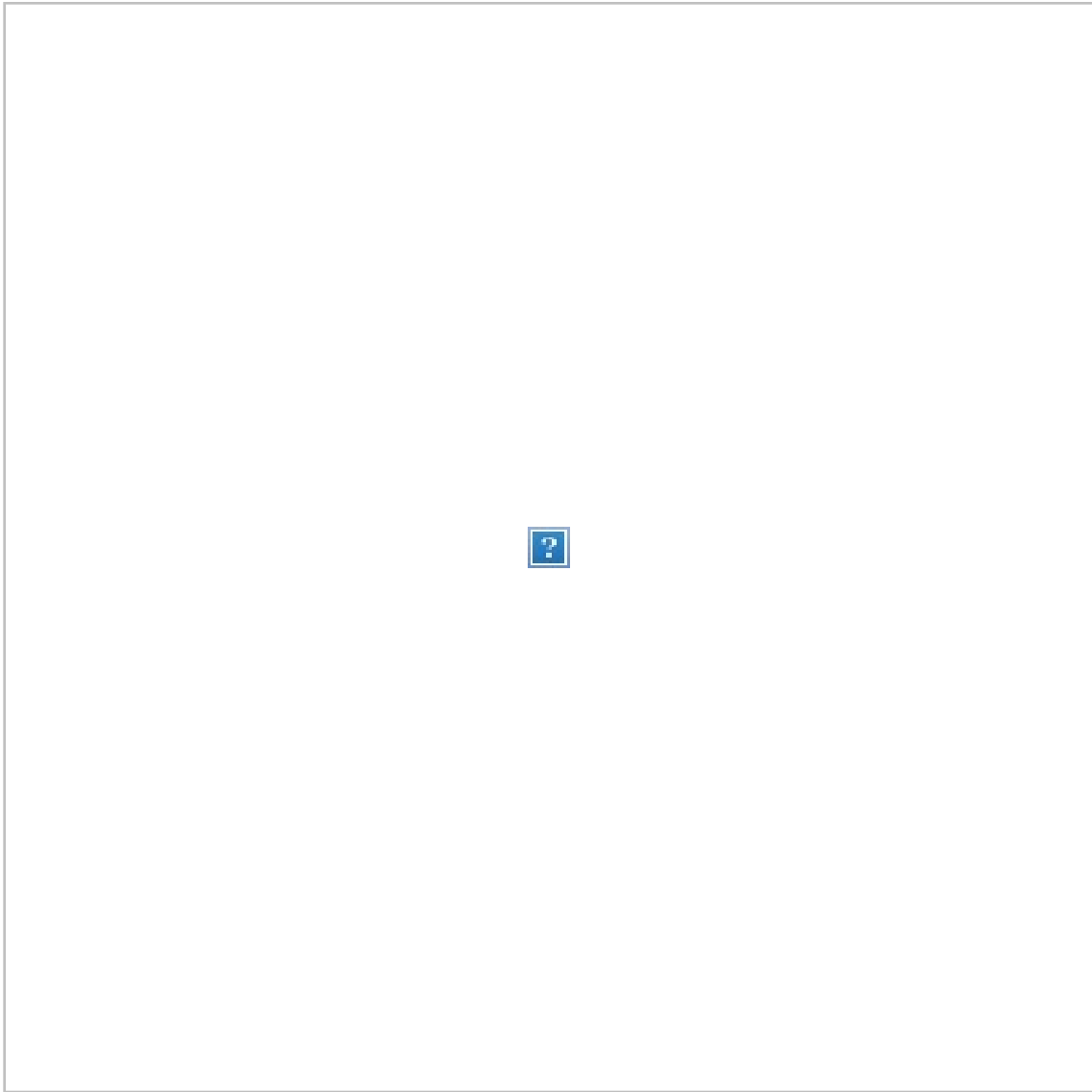


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Week of April 8, 2019



The Hawai'i FoodBank drive is underway - please help keep UH West O'ahu on a roll

Help fight hunger in our community by donating to the annual Hawai'i Foodbank drive. UH West O'ahu has a track record to keep up with: Last Spring's Hawai'i FoodBank drive was a smashing success, breaking through goals for pounds of foods (861 pounds) and monetary contributions (\$1,680).

This year there are several ways to donate, including a Can-petition on April 24 in which four UH West O'ahu departments will compete to build "structures" out of donated cans in the James & Abigail Campbell Library. Each department has a Foodbank coordinator who will collect donations and update you on events happening throughout the season. Department coordinators are:

- Chancellor's Office - Chris Neves (cabralch@hawaii.edu)
- Academic Affairs - Michiko Joseph (msjoseph@hawaii.edu)
- Student Affairs - Ryan Perreira (rperreir@hawaii.edu)
- Administration - Gary Nakamura (garyn@hawaii.edu)

Both food and monetary donations are welcomed. The top five food donations requested are canned proteins such as tuna and chicken; canned meal such as stew or chili; canned vegetables; canned fruits; and, rice. A \$10 donation will help the Foodbank provide food for 25 meals!



Aloha 'Āina, 'Āina Aloha Mele Workshop scheduled for this Wednesday

Kumu Hinaleimoana Wong will speak about how Hawaiian perspectives impact the mele that we sing, dance and chant in honor of our beloved land. The workshop is scheduled from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 10, in C208. The workshop is presented by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and hosted by the UH West O'ahu Compliance Hui.

James & Abigail Campbell kicks off National Library Week; stop by for coffee and treats

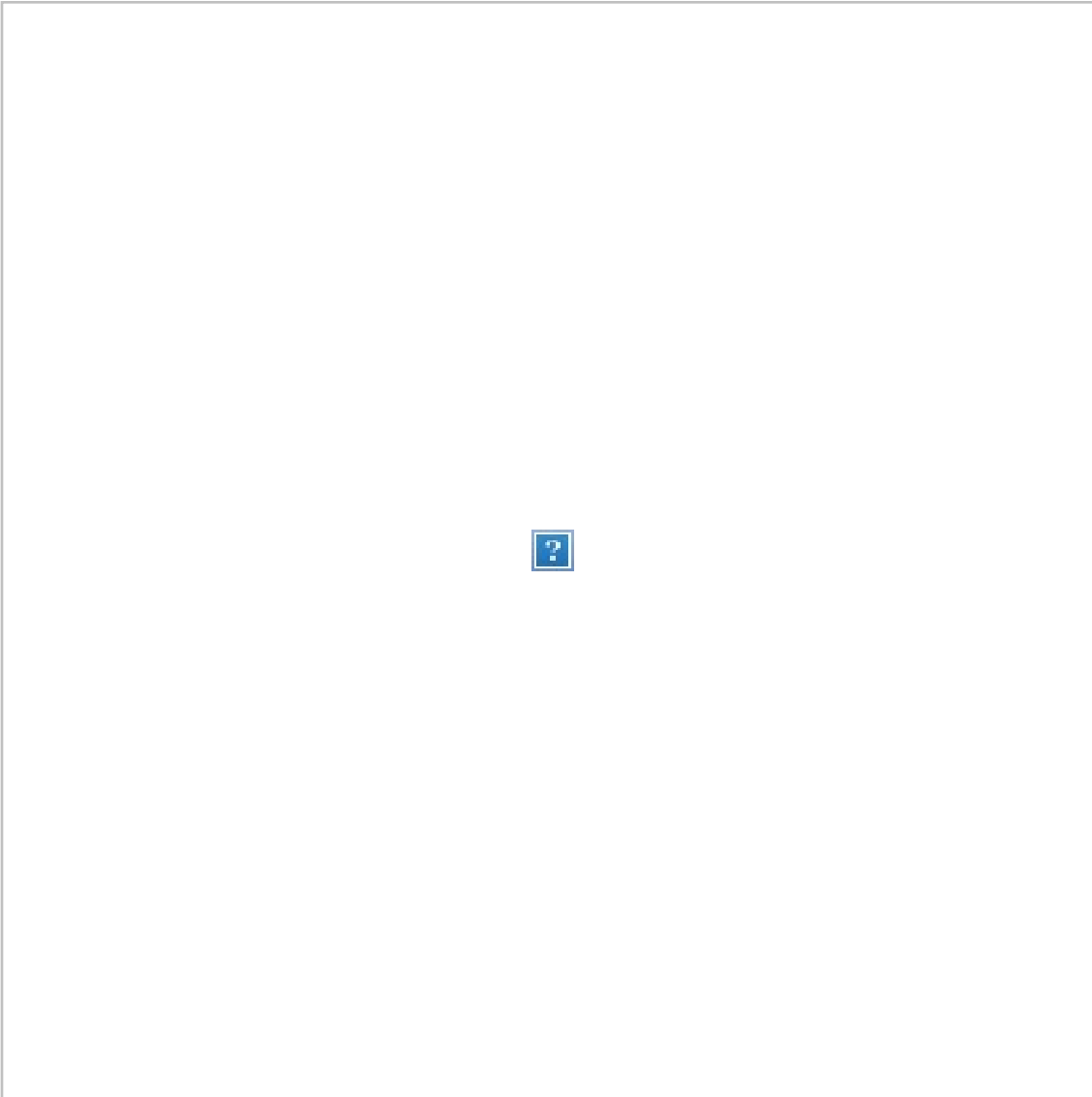
The [James & Abigail Campbell Library](#) will be celebrate National Library Week beginning today, April 8, with a series of events intended to celebrate the library and recognize its contributions to the campus community. Events planned included free coffee and snacks with librarians, a poetry reading of material from the [Bamboo Ridge literary journal](#), a performance by the [Honolulu Brass Quintet](#), and more. See [E Kamakani Hou article](#).

BIT Bites - A monthly primer about UH West O'ahu's Behavior Intervention Team

What is the Behavior Intervention Team? UH West O'ahu's Behavior Intervention Team (BIT) is a multi-disciplinary group of trained campus professionals who support a positive learning and working environment. It provides a central point of contact to collect, assess, refer and intervene when necessary to address individuals with disruptive or concerning behavior, whether the person be a student, faculty, staff or community member on campus. The team meets frequently throughout the year to review reports and discuss what actions, if any, are needed to keep the individual and campus safe.

The team's goal is to promote a safe and effective learning and working environment and to take a proactive

role in addressing concerning behaviors. The team responds to a multitude of concerns about students, faculty, and staff including distress, unusual or threatening behaviors and suicide risk. The team was formed in 2017 and has met regularly for training and to review cases ranging from unusual behavior to violent outbursts. For more on BIT: <https://westoahu.hawaii.edu/compliance/behavior-intervention-team/>



Rendering of the Keone'ae (UH West O'ahu) rail station courtesy of Nan, Inc.

Rail station work to affect traffic on Kualaka'i Parkway near campus

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:

- The east side (guideway side) sidewalk from Farrington Highway to UH West O'ahu Station site will be closed from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Pedestrians will be re-routed to the west side (campus side) sidewalk of Kualaka'i Parkway.
- One northbound lane may be closed between Keahumoa Parkway and Farrington Highway from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 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.

Celebrating 10 years with the UH System in April 2019

Among the employees celebrating 10 years with the UH System in April is Kay Nagata, an operations coordinator in Student Affairs.



Honolulu Brass Quintet performs tonight in the James & Abigail Campbell Library

The Honolulu Brass Quintet will perform at UH West O'ahu tonight with a wide-ranging program covering works from influential 16th and 17th century composers to 20th century American artists to works by Emmy- and Juno-award winning composers. The performance is free for UH West O'ahu students. The performance presented by [Chamber Music Hawai'i](#) is scheduled for 7 p.m., tonight, in the James & Abigail Campbell Library.

Hungry? Dine Around Campus helps folks gather for a meal and get to know each other

Dine Around Campus gives folks a chance to meet over lunch and to get to know each other. It is designed to encourage people from different parts of the campus to meet in small lunch groups. By signing up you commit to have lunch with three different colleagues from campus. Dine Around Campus is a voluntary program from the Office of Professional Development & Academic Support. You can sign up by going to <http://go.hawaii.edu/GRm>. Questions? Email machosky@hawaii.edu.

Open Enrollment begins. It's an opportunity to change your medical/drug/vision plans

The EUTF Open Enrollment is from April 1 - 30, 2019. This is your opportunity to change medical/drug/vision/dental plans, or add/delete family members to/from your existing plan. Plan change will be effective July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. The deadline to submit your forms to the UHWO HR Office is April 30, 2019 at 4:30 pm. UH West O'ahu will be hosting an Open Enrollment Informational Session on Friday, April 12, at 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 3 p.m., in C-208. For more information on changing plans, go to: <https://eutf.hawaii.gov/>

AC Outage scheduled for 1st Floor of AHS Building's Science Wing on April 12

There will be an AC outage on the first floor of the Administration and Health Science Building on Friday, April 12 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The building's administration wing and the second floor of the health sciences wing will not be affected. The outage is to support balancing the new HVAC equipment in the building. IT servers will not be affected. Once completed, the AC system will resume to its normal schedule. Please discuss with professors for class relocation for classes normally held on the first floor of AHS building. If you have any questions, please contact Planning and Facilities at 689-2545.

Give your input on Distance Learning - join one of the focus groups April 15 and 16

The Office of Distance Learning is conducting a series of Distance Learning Focus groups for staff and faculty between April 15 and 16. This is an opportunity to participate in strategically planning for the future of distance education at UH West O'ahu. An analysis of the outcomes of the focus groups will be incorporated into the tactical plan for the Office of Distance Learning that will be aligned with the 2018 - 2028 UHWO Strategic Action Plan. Specific dates and times for the focus groups are available on the [sign-up tab](#) on the UH West O'ahu Online DE Lualima site.

The Office of Distance Learning is also asking students to give their input and is inviting them to attend focus groups also. More information and sign up here: <http://bit.ly/DLFocus>

Pre-retirement presentation by Social Security Administration on April 18

The Social Security Administration will be making a presentation on Social Security benefits to help employees plan for retirement. The session is scheduled from 10 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Thursday, April 18. The deadline to register is Thursday, April 11. For more information and to register for this session, view the announcement "Social Security Administration: Pre-Retirement Presentation" at <http://go.hawaii.edu/Gis>.

Distance Learning Tip of the Week 2019 – A.nnotate

A.nnotate is an online service that allows you to attach notes to documents or images via web browser. You can use this tool to communicate with group members and share comments across documents. You can learn more about this tool at a.nnotate.com. If you are interested in learning more about using other online tools, consider attending one of our weekly workshops. You can find more information about workshops and read other tech tips by visiting <https://westoahu.hawaii.edu/distancelearning/> or emailing uhwode@hawaii.edu.

UH West O'ahu in the News

- [College Xpress](#): UH West O'ahu makes College Xpress' list of Great Small/Medium-Size Colleges, [No. 1 on list](#) of Colleges with the Highest Percentage of Pacific Islander Students; [No. 1 on list](#) of Colleges with the Highest Percentage of Asian Students.
- [Civil Beat](#), April 4: Dr. Lawrence Boyd is quoted in an article about Hawai'i's population decline.
- [UH System News](#), April 2: Assistant Professor Dr. Albie Miles is among the individuals appearing in a five-minute video on UH System's sustainability and resilience initiative.
- [Frolic Hawai'i](#): Da Spot/UH West O'ahu Culinary Program will be among the chefs offering dishes at the 14th Annual East Honolulu Food Festival on April 27.

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News from [E Kamakani Hou](#)



Dr. William Puette pens article for National Association of Parliamentarians' journal

Dr. William Puette, director of the [Center for Labor Education & Research](#) at UH West O'ahu, has authored an article for [National Parliamentarian](#) journal on the proper and improper uses of "calling the question" and "rising to points of order and information" under parliamentary procedure. [\[Read More\]](#)

Math + Science + X seminar to present UH West O'ahu student Joseph Ferguson

UH West O'ahu Information Security and Assurance student Joseph Ferguson will give a Math + Science + X Friday seminar presentation titled: "Catching Bad Guys and Rescuing People: Applying Math and Science in Coast Guard Aviation." Ferguson's talk is scheduled for 10 to 11 a.m., Friday, April 5, in room E135. Ferguson will describe some of the tactics and techniques used in search and rescue and law enforcement operations and how math and science played a giant role in the success of the missions. Much of this will be told through actual pictures and footage of missions flown during his career. [\[Read More\]](#)

Attending school this summer or in the fall? Come to the Spring into Registration fair

A pre-registration fair providing help to students with questions about what classes to take during the Summer sessions and Fall 2019 semester is set for tomorrow in the UH West O'ahu Courtyard and the D Building "tunnel." [\[Read More\]](#)

Who doesn't like the library? Come celebrate National Library Week

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series of events intended to celebrate the library and recognize its contributions to the campus community.

[\[Read More\]](#)

UH West O'ahu Calendar of Events

Monday, April 8

- [Online voting begins in the ASUHWO General Election](#). Continues through April 11.
- [Continuing seniors](#) can begin pre-registration for Summer 2019, Fall 2018 classes.
- Nohona Hawai'i. A class on living the Hawaiian Way with Aunty Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30-11:30. Mondays, Hale Kuahuokalā
- [Coffee & Treats with Library Peeps](#). Grab a cup of coffee and socialize with library staff. Sponsored by the Student Activity Fee Board. 10 a.m.-noon, James & Abigail Campbell Library. .
- [Brass in Song, Madrigals and Hymns](#). Concert by Hawai'i Chamber Music's Honolulu Brass Quintet. 7 p.m., James & Abigail Campbell Library.

Tuesday, April 9

- ASUHWO Senate Elections voting in the courtyard. Stop by, vote, and get a malasada. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- [Continuing juniors](#) can begin pre-registration for Summer 2019, Fall 2018 classes.
- [Weekly Māla Harvest Day](#). 9:00 to 11 a.m., Student Organic Garden. Questions? tasiay@hawaii.edu.
- [Coffee & Treats with Library Peeps](#). Grab a cup of coffee and socialize with library staff. Sponsored by the Student Activity Fee Board. 10 a.m.-noon, James & Abigail Campbell Library.
- [All Level Yoga](#) with Emily Yamamoto. 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Hale Kuahuokalā. Questions: tasiay@hawaii.edu
- [UH West O'ahu Intramurals Free Play](#). 3 p.m. to 7 p.m., Great Lawn. Questions: imwest@hawaii.edu
- [Distance Learning Online Teaching Professional Development Workshop](#): Advanced Lulima Tools, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.. Register: <http://go.hawaii.edu/GAW>
- Zumba, with instructor Pearlana Stone. 4:30 p.m., the Loft area of Campus Center
- Deadline for James & Abigail Campbell Library Photo Contest. Midnight. See details at bit.ly/nlw19-uhwo

Wednesday, April 10

- [Continuing sophomores](#) can begin pre-registration Summer 2019, Fall 2018 classes
- [Hui Kama`ilio](#). Practice conversational Hawaiian. 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Nāulu Center.
- [UH West O'ahu Intramurals - Basketball League Aiea District Gym, Halawa District Gym](#). 6:00-9:00 p.m. Questions: imwest@hawaii.edu
- [What We must Remember](#), a poetry reading from an issue of Bamboo Ridge featuring 28 linked poems. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., James & Abigail Campbell second-floor exhibition space.
- ['Āina-to-Ōpu Workshop](#): Palusami and Fa'alifu Talo. Learn to make these Samoan dishes from Hawaiian-Pacific Studies' Niko Patu. 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Nāulu Center Kitchen. Questions or to RSVP (Encouraged): tasiay@hawaii.edu.
- Aloha 'Āina, 'Āina Aloha Mele Workshop. Kumu Hinaleimoana Wong to lead workshop presented by OHA and hosted by UH West O'ahu Compliance Hui. 5:30-7:30 p.m., C208

Thursday, April 11

- [Continuing freshmen](#) can begin pre-registration Summer 2019, Fall 2018 classes.
- [UH West O'ahu Intramurals - Basketball League Aiea District Gym, Halawa District Gym](#). 6:00-9:00 p.m. Questions: imwest@hawaii.edu
- [Hao Wela screening](#). Screening of Hao Wela: The Untold Story of Hot Rodding in Hawai'i presented by the Sociology Club. 3:30 p.m., C-208
- Deadline to register for Pre-retirement presentation on April 18. Got to <http://go.hawaii.edu/Gis>.

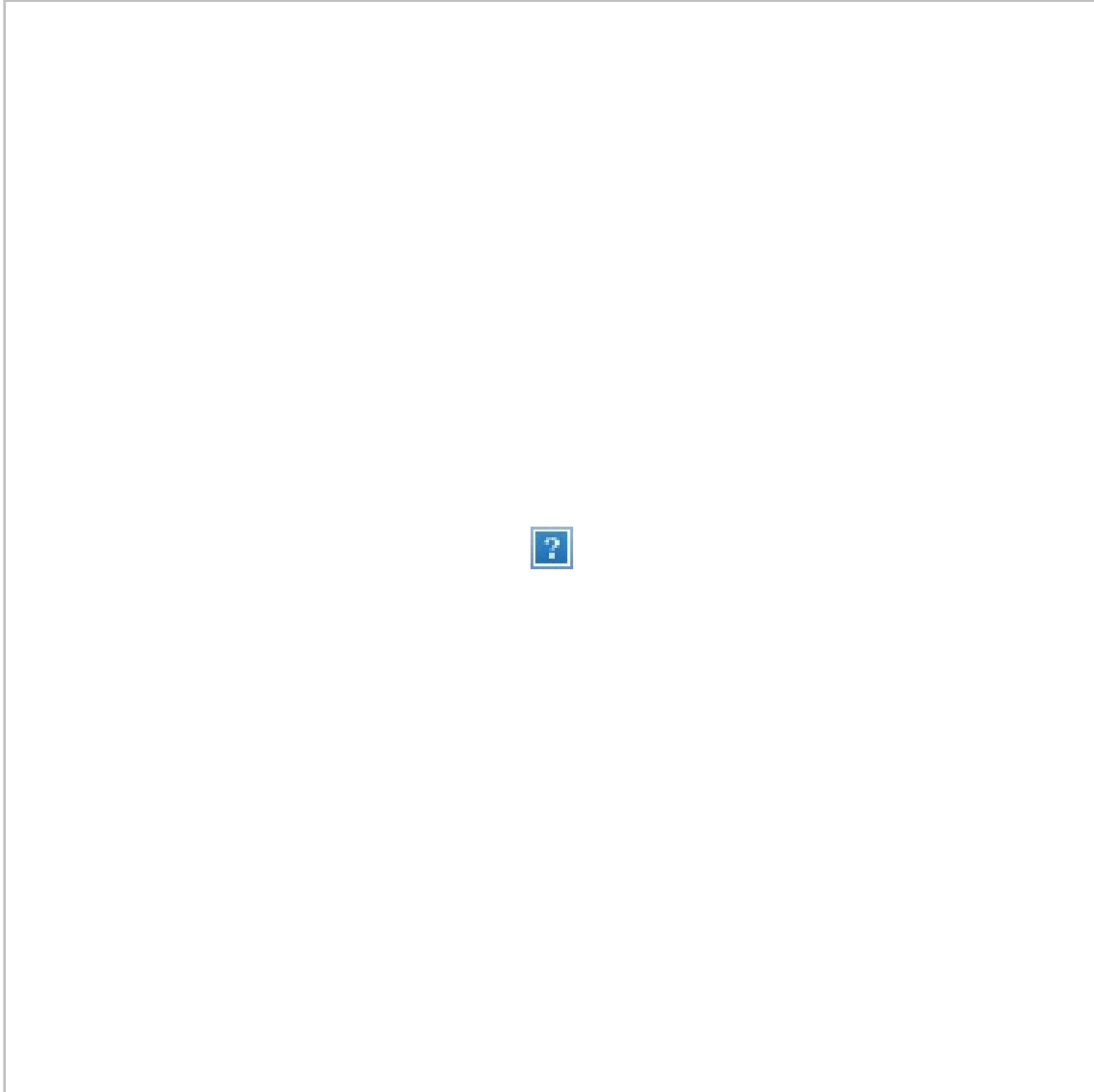
Friday, April 12

- [ASUHWO General Meeting](#), 1:30-3:30 p.m., C-216, Student Lounge
- EUTF Open Enrollment Information Sessions. 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 3 p.m., C-208.
- NSLS Induction Ceremony hosted by Rouel Velasco and Katrina Abes. 6-9 p.m., C-208.

Monday, April 15

- Nohona Hawai'i. A class on living the Hawaiian Way with Aunty Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30-11:30. Mondays, Hale Kuahuokalā

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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