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A BULLETIN FOR UH WEST O'AHU FACULTY AND STAFF  
**This Week at UH West O'ahu**  
Week of Nov. 6

**Noted Native American Director Chris Eyre talk scheduled for Thursday**

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The acclaimed filmmaker and producer Chris Eyre will appear at an event, ["Finding Smoke Signals with Chris Eyre: Indigenous Ways of Viewing Reality,"](#) 3:30-4:50 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 9 at ['Ulu'ulu: The Henry K. Ku'ualoha Giugni Moving Image Archive of Hawai'i](#) in the James & Abigail Campbell Library. The event is open to students, faculty, and staff as well as the community.

## UHWO Creative Media Program to play role in Hawaiian-language Moana

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The Creative Media program at the University of Hawai'i-West O'ahu will manage the production of a Hawaiian-language version of the hit-movie *Moana*, collaborating with faculty from other UH System campuses for what is hoped to be a Hawaiian language education tool.

UHWO's Heather Giugni, collections specialist and producer for 'Ulu'ulu, Hawai'i's moving image archive, and Sharla Hanaoka, director of Creative Media at UHWO, are producers of the Hawaiian language-version of *Moana*, in cooperation with Rick Dempsey, SVP Creative, for Disney Character Voices International. It is anticipated the finished product will be distributed via the Hawai'i Department of Education to schools across the state. The production will feature Native Hawaiian actress Auli'i Cravalho, who will reprise her role as the titular character. News of the project was released last week, with UH West O'ahu distributing an [English-language press release](#) version, and for the first time, a [Hawaiian-language version](#). Casting runs through Nov. 17 - check out <http://acmsystem.hawaii.edu/> for more information.

## UH West O'ahu strategic planning is moving forward

UH West O'ahu's Strategic Action Planning Committee is moving from conceptualization to concrete planning, according to Chancellor Maenette Benham. She met with the committee last month to review work that had been done and assess the current status while discussing next steps. A recording of the Chancellor's presentation is available on the Long Range Planning microsite: <https://www.uhwo.hawaii.edu/longrangeplanning/> Benham notes there will be more effort by working groups this month to more definitively map key priorities around Academic Programs, Student Success and Enrollment Management, Land and Facilities

Development and for support plans to include a budget model. If you'd like to participate please contact Terri Ota, [tota@hawaii.edu](mailto:tota@hawaii.edu). If you'd like to know more check out the Strategic Planning website - the link is provided above.

### **Prof. Ric Custodio, students take to courtyard to promote UH Alert System**

Prof Ric halloween 1.jpg



Prof. Ric Custodio and students used Halloween and Fall Fest as an opportunity to conduct a public communication campaign. The group's project involves making people aware of and getting people to sign up for the [UH Alert System](#). The system is an emergency alert service that sends out information to SMS/text message or via email in the event of a natural, health, or civil emergency. Please sign up for the opt-in system to receive emergency alerts and notification!

### **Office of University General Counsel announces new contract, signing policy**

There is a new policy on contracts and signing authority, according to the Office of University General Counsel. Read the full policy at <http://go.hawaii.edu/KTj>. Executive Policy EP8.200 Policy on Contracts and Signing Authority is intended to make uniform for the University (1) standard contractual provisions, (2) approvals and signing authority required to enter written contracts which the President has delegated authority from the Board of Regents to execute, and (3) the identification of and direction for "priority" or high risk / high volume contracts that warrant additional scrutiny and Review. If you have any questions regarding this policy, please contact Trisha Kimura at [trisha.kimura@hawaii.edu](mailto:trisha.kimura@hawaii.edu).

### **Nathan Aweau coming to UH West O'ahu for Ho'okani Kulanui**

aweau 1.jpg



*image courtesy Bass Plus Music Arts*

Award-winning musician Nathan Aweau will appear at UH West O'ahu as part of Ho'okani Kulanui music series on Thursday, Nov. 9 from 2 to 4 p.m. in C225. There will be a cultural discussion about Hawaiian music and a hands on experience of the Kani Ka Pila tradition with Aweau, who has won vocalist, song, and album awards for his work, including Nā Hokū Hanohano and Hawai'i Music awards. The event is open to students, faculty and the community, who are encouraged to bring an instrument or sing along. The event is sponsored by the Piko Project and the UHWO Humanities Division Music Program.

**Alert: Campus Center Fire Sprinkler work may set off alarms on Nov. 6, water off Nov. 7**

Work on the new Wellness Facility in C135 will continue to affect Campus Center, with the contractors needing to shut down fire sprinklers for a few hours on Monday, Nov. 6, and water for four hours on Tuesday, Nov. 7. The sprinklers will be temporarily non-operable only for the Campus Center. Work will start at 6 a.m. and should be completed by 2:30 p.m. The sprinkler work may trigger a couple alarms, but they will be quickly silenced. Email updates will be sent should there be delays or when work is completed. During this work, if you should smell smoke or suspect that a real fire event is occurring, please call UHWO security immediately: 689-2911. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact UHWO EHSO at 689-2529.

The Wellness Center construction contractor will be working on the waterline on Tuesday, and water will be shutdown for the future Wellness Center. Water will be shut down in the Campus Center (C Building) on Tuesday November 7, from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. There will be no running water in sinks and restrooms and the fire sprinklers will be affected. If there is any emergencies please notify security immediately at 689-2911. If there is

any questions or concerns, please call Facilities at 689-2545.

### ***Documenting Activism, Panel Discussion set for 'Ulu'ulu today***

Documenting Activism UHWO Screening - Digital Signage\_01.jpg



The 'Ulu'ulu Archive will present *Documenting Activism: The Early Days of the Native Hawaiian Movement* along with the panel discussion with filmmakers from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 6, at the ['Ulu'ulu Henry Ku'ualoha Giugni Moving Image Archive of Hawai'i](#) in the James & Abigail Campbell Library.

### **Submit nominations for Governor's Awards**

Nominations are now being accepted for the Governor's Awards for three categories: Employee, Manager, and Team of the Year. These awards honor employees who exemplify the highest caliber of public service and dedication to serving the people of Hawai'i. Deadline to submit a nomination is November 22, 2017. Please refer to the OHR website for more information, instructions and nominations forms:

<https://www.hawaii.edu/ohr/compensation-employee-relations/employee-performancerecognition/#university-hawaii-employeemanagerteam-year-nominations>

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

- [Crave, Nov. 1](#) (paywall\*): UHWO's Sustainable Community Food Systems program is profiled in a cover story. Chancellor Maenette Benham, Dr. Albie Miles and Student Kahiau Kauluwehi are quoted.
- [Big Island Now, Oct. 31](#): UHWO's distance learning degrees and certificates will be discussed at an hour-

long workshop on the Hawai'i Community College – Pāalamanui campus.

- [USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture](#), Nov. 2: NIFA put out a press release announcing a [\\$406,874 grant](#) made to UHWO and the Sustainable Community Food Systems program.
- [Honolulumagazine.com](#), Nov. 2: Fluent in Hawaiian? You could be cast in a translated version of Disney's Moana.
- [Hawai'i News Now](#), Nov. 2: Casting underway for 'Moana' released dubbed in Hawaiian. Also: [KHON-TV](#).
- [The Garden Island](#), Nov. 4: Hawaiian-language version of "Moana" planned.
- [True Viral News](#), Nov. 3: Casting underway for Hawaiian language version of 'Moana

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### Distance Learning tip of the week

If your teaching involves referring to websites, you may want to consider using a bookmark tool. You may already be managing your bookmarks in your browser toolbar, but there are other options. For example, Pinterest.com is an image based social network that many people use to share ideas. This system allows users to create virtual board or collections of pinned (book marked) site or ideas. As an educator you can create collections and share them with your students or even have your students collaborate on boards. 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 [uhwo.hawaii.edu/distancelearning](#) or emailing [uhwode@hawaii.edu](mailto:uhwode@hawaii.edu).

### New in E Kamakani Hou



**Ho'āla hou 'o Auli'i Cravalho, ka Hōkū o Moana:** E ho'omaka ana 'o Walt Disney Studios lāua 'o ke Kulanui o Hawai'i i ka wae 'ana i mau hāme'e hou aku no ia mana 'ōlelo Hawai'i i loko o kēia mau pule e hiki mai ana. [\[Read More\]](#)

**Auli'i Cravalho to reprise role in Hawaiian language version of Moana:** The Annie Award-winning star of Walt Disney Animation Studios Moana, Native Hawaiian Auli'i Cravalho, reprises her role as the titular character of the hit feature for the Hawaiian language version. [\[Read More\]](#)

**'Ulu'ulu presenting Documenting Activism and panel:** The 'Ulu'ulu Archive will present Documenting Activism: The Early Days of the Native Hawaiian Movement along with the panel discussion with filmmakers who helped document the rise of the movement in the 1970s. [\[Read More\]](#)

**Symposium to explore student research:** An on-campus symposium showcasing student knowledge in the art of research methodology, scientific reasoning, and giving skillful presentations is scheduled for 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 29 in the Campus Center Multipurpose Room (C208). [\[Read More\]](#)

**THIS SPRING 2018**

ONLINE COURSE  
**HIST 398B**  
 World History through Music  
 Writing Intensive (WI)  
 CRN: 66591  
 Instructor: Dr. Drew Gonrowski

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**New online class this Spring: World History through Music:** A new class at UH West O’ahu for Spring 2018 will use music as a jumping-off point to examine topics such as cross-cultural encounters, diasporas, resistance and globalization and how Music from around the world has been influenced by and has impacted these global processes. [[Read More](#)]

**UHWO faculty present papers at Geological Society of America Meeting:** The University of Hawai’i-West O’ahu was well represented at the Geological Society of America’s Annual Meeting & Exposition in Seattle late last month as two members of UHWO’s Natural Science faculty presented papers at the conference. [[Read More](#)]

**Dept. of Urban and Regional Planning graduate school opportunities** to be discussed Nov. 9: UH West O’ahu’s [Sustainable Community Food Systems](#) program will host [Dr. Dolores Foley](#) of the University of Hawai’i at Mānoa Department of Urban and Regional Planning for a talk about her department’s graduate school opportunities. [[Read More](#)]

### **UH West O’ahu Calendar**

**Nov. 6:** [Pre-registration](#) for Spring 2018 continuing classified seniors begins.

**Nov. 6:** [Piko](#). Center your thoughts with Oli, Mele, and Ho’okupu at Hale Kuahuokalā. 9 a.m.

**Nov. 6:** [Nohona Hawai’i](#), The Hawaiian Way, class by kumu Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30 - 11 a.m., Hale Kuahuokalā. Self-Care: La’au Lapa’au

**Nov. 6:** [“Documenting Activism: The Early Days of the Native Hawaiian Movement,”](#) 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., [‘Ulu’ulu: The Henry Ku’ualoha Giugni Moving Image Archive of Hawai’i](#)

**Nov. 6:** [Zumba Fitness Class](#), The Loft (2nd floor Campus Center) 4:45-5:45 p.m.

**Nov. 7:** [Pre-registration](#) for Spring 2018 continuing classified juniors begins.

**Nov. 7:** [Māla](#) (UH West O’ahu student organic garden) weekly harvest day. 9-11 a.m.

**Nov. 7:** [General Meeting](#) Associated Students of the University of Hawai’i West O’ahu, 1:30-3:30 p.m., E109.

**Nov. 7:** [National Alliance on Mental Illness](#) Recovery Support Group, 7 -8:30 p.m., D150. Refreshments provided. Contact Facilitator Natasha Hanson for more information [nkhanson@hawaii.edu](mailto:nkhanson@hawaii.edu).

**Nov. 7-9:** Monthly Munchies. Coffee stations and more. 10 a.m.-2 p.m., courtyard.

**Nov. 8:** [Pre-registration](#) for Spring 2018 continuing classified sophomores begins 8 a.m..

**Nov. 8:** [All Level Yoga](#) at Hale Kuahuokalā, 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. with Emily Yamamoto. Email [tasiay@hawaii.edu](mailto:tasiay@hawaii.edu) with inquiries.

**Nov. 8:** HR on Campus Day. 1-4:30 p.m., E127. Email [uhwohr@hawaii.edu](mailto:uhwohr@hawaii.edu) for appointment.

**Nov. 9:** [Pre-registration](#) for Spring 2018 continuing classified freshman begins.



- Nov. 9:** [Ho'okani Kulanui](#). Featuring Nathan Aweau, 2-4 p.m., C225.
- Nov. 9:** [Dr. Dolores Foley talk](#) on graduate offerings of UH Mānoa's Department of Urban and Regional Planning. 2-3 p.m., D254.
- Nov. 9:** [All Level Yoga](#) at Hale Kuahuokalā, 12:30-1:30 p.m. with Tasia Yamamoto. Email [tasiay@hawaii.edu](mailto:tasiay@hawaii.edu) with inquiries.
- Nov. 9:** [Free Play Thursdays](#), Intramural Sports, 3-6 p.m., Great Lawn.
- Nov. 9:** [Finding Smoke Signals with Chris Eyre](#): Indigenous Ways of Viewing Reality, by Native American filmmaker Chris Eyre. 3:30 p.m., 'Ulu'ulu Archive space in the Campbell Library.
- Nov. 10:** Veteran's Day holiday. Campus closed.
- Nov. 13:** [Registration](#) for Spring 2018 new classified (degree-seeking) neighbor island transfer students begins 8 a.m.
- Nov. 13:** [Piko](#), Center your thoughts with Oli, Mele, and Ho'okupu at Hale Kuahuokalā. 9 a.m.
- Nov. 13:** [Nohona Hawai'i](#), The Hawaiian Way, class by kumu Lynette Paglinawan. 9:30 - 11 a.m., Hale Kuahuokalā. Mo'olelo presentations, turn papers in.
- Nov. 13:** [Zumba Fitness Class](#), The Loft (2nd floor Campus Center) 4:45-5:45 p.m.

*For the latest UHWO event information, view and submit listings to the [UHWO calendar](#).  
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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