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a bulletin for UH West O'ahu faculty and staff



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Nominate an outstanding faculty member for the Laulima Technology Award

Know a faculty member that demonstrates excellent use of technology in the online or hybrid classroom? Nominate her for the Laulima Technology Award. The winner of the Laulima Technology Award will receive a monetary prize, a certificate of accomplishment, and present the course while demonstrating the use of technology at a Brown Bag lunch session sponsored by the UHWO Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence.

Eligibility

- Any faculty or instructor who uses online instructional tools in an innovative way
- The course can be online or hybrid
- The course uses at least three Laulima tools
- The course is offered at UH West O'ahu
- Faculty or instructor has not been recipient of the Laulima Technology Award within the last five years.

UH West O'ahu faculty, staff and students may nominate an instructor via a 250-word written statement explaining why and how the course makes excellent use of technology. Faculty may self-nominate. The deadline to apply is March 28 by 4:30 p.m. Submit a 250-word (minimum) nomination statement to Dr. Paula Mathis at pmathis@hawaii.edu To view the nomination process and criteria for selection, visit the Faculty Senate Laulima page, click on "Faculty Handbook," SEE #4 Distance Education [D.E. Documentations, Forms and Links].

Take a Mental Health Moment

Starting this week, UHWO Counseling Services will share a weekly "Mental Health Moment" email with UH West O'ahu students, faculty and staff that offers information and resources to help our university community live healthier and more meaningful lives. UH West O'ahu Counseling Services offers free and confidential mental health services for all enrolled students, as well as faculty and staff student-related consultations. Services are provided by a qualified mental health professional and include individual and group therapy, couples counseling, and psychological assessment. For more information, contact Dr. Steve Taketa at taketas@hawaii.edu or [\(808\) 689-2675](tel:(808)689-2675).

What's happening in your neck of the woods?

Publicize your event via the [UH West O'ahu website calendar!](#) It's a great way to find out what's happening on campus and to share what's going on in your department. Anyone with a UH user ID is encouraged to submit calendar information. Don't forget to check back again and again for new event information!

Familiar faces

View [photos](#) from last week's [Internship and Career Prep Workshop](#) and congratulatory get-together for our [2013 UH President's Award for Excellence in Building and Grounds Maintenance winner James "Kimo" Yamaguchi](#). Congratulations, Kimo!

Upcoming Events

Hawaiian Grown Kitchen weekly specials

- Monday, Feb. 24 - HGK Grilled Clubhouse Sandwich with fries, Crispy Cod Fish and Chips with onion rings and organic greens
- Tuesday, Feb. 25 - Grilled Ahi Milanese with Santoreggia Tapenade and Pasta, Bombucha Hamburger Katsu Loco Moco
- Wednesday, Feb. 26 - HGK Big Fish Tacos with fries, Thanksgiving Fried Chicken with gravy, stuffing and mash
- Thursday, Feb. 27 - Chicken Parmesan with pasta and organic greens, Chinese Style Island Shutome with lup cheong and vegetables
- Friday, Feb. 28 - Open specials day

Hawaiian Grown Kitchen is open Monday - Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Friday, 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

The **No'eau Center** presents the **Academic Survival Kit: A Workshop series** this week. Get information on the American Psychological Association style for documenting sources, in-text citations, and preparing references in the **APA Citation Style workshop** on Tuesday, Feb. 25 from 11a.m.-noon and Wednesday, Feb. 26 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. Learn calming math strategies in the **Math Anxiety workshop** Tuesday, Feb. 25 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. and Wednesday, Feb. 26 from 11 a.m.-noon. All workshops take place in the No'eau Center B203 (library second floor). For more information, contact 689-2750 or uhwowc@hawaii.edu.

UHWO Library presents "**Images of War**" **Photo Exhibit** on display in the library from Feb. 24-March 8. Featuring rare National Archives images taken by U.S. Army and Navy signal corps photographers during the last months of World War II. The photo exhibit comes to the UH West O'ahu Library from the USS Battleship Missouri in collaboration with Kapolei High School.

Learn strength maintaining and muscle stretching activities that require minimal space and equipment at the **Being Body-Active at Home, at Work and at Play workshop** by Kapi'olani Community College Exercise Science Instructor Dr. Will Jonen Friday, Feb. 28 from 12:15-1:15 p.m. via the UHWO HITS room B157. Sponsored by the University of Hawai'i Commission on the Status of Women.

Leeward coast middle and high school students will learn probability and statistics skills while playing Black Jack, craps and roulette in a casino-like environment at **UHWO Monte Carlo Night** Friday, Feb. 28 from 6-8 p.m. in the UHWO Campus Center Multipurpose Room C208. Event sponsored by the UH West O'ahu Math faculty in collaboration with UH Manoa's Super M program and support from the UH Diversity and Equity Initiative.

Encourage your students to run for the **Associated Students of UH West O'ahu (student government) positions**. All seats are open. [Election packets](#) for interested students may be picked up in C236 or [online](#). Applications due March 10.

For the latest **UH West O'ahu event information**, view and submit listings to the UHWO [website calendar](#).

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



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