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THIS WEEK AT UHWO

a bulletin for UH West O'ahu faculty and staff



Week of May 2 - Finals Week

May West Winds monthly message from the chancellor

Visit the Chancellor's Office page of the [UH West O'ahu website](#) to view Interim Chancellor Doris Ching's [May message](#) where she talks about

- the upcoming spring commencement
- student achievements at the recent Pueo student leadership and service awards
- creative media student achievements in creating, producing and filming the "West is Best" trailer for the Regal Kapolei Commons Theater.
- ASUHWO representation at the public tuition meeting

Volunteers needed for spring 2016 commencement

[UH West O'ahu Spring 2016 Commencement](#) is happening on Saturday, May 7 at 9 a.m. in the UHWO Courtyard.

Volunteers are needed to assist with

- welcoming guests
- passing out programs
- crowd control

Report to Rouel Velasco in the UH West O'ahu Library foyer on Saturday, May 7 at 7 a.m. Your help is greatly appreciated! For more information, email rouel@hawaii.edu.

Greens and volunteers needed for spring 2016 commencement prep

UH West O'ahu Student Services requests donations for the commencement floral arrangements as well as volunteers to assist with assembling floral on Friday, May 6.

The following floral are requested:

- Red and green ti-leaves
- Monstera leaves (large and medium sizes)
- Laua'e (picked no earlier than Friday)
- Song of India
- Heliconia (hanging and upright)
- Ginger (dark pink, light pink and white)
- Bird of Paradise

When cutting long stem plants, please cut as close to the root as possible because they will be used in large arrangements. Place all donations in the buckets at the Library entrance near the Great Lawn, beginning Thursday May 5 until Friday morning, May 6. Volunteers are needed on Friday, May 6 from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. outside of the Library entrance near the Great Lawn to assist with:

- Prepping/cleaning/trimming floral
- Assembling floral in pots and trays after prep and cleaning

For any questions, email anahulu@hawaii.edu.

Welcome, new UHWO faculty and staff!

Welcome and congratulations to the newest members of the UH West O'ahu 'ohana and a familiar face in a new role:

- Connie Caoili, office assistant (Student Affairs)
- Joan "Umi" Jensen, assessment coordinator (Academic Affairs)
- Keith Suyat-Terauchi, fiscal specialist (Administration)

Last chance to donate to UH West O'ahu food drive

Help feed local families and donate to the UH West O'ahu food drive benefiting the Hawaii Food Bank. Drop off your non-perishable food items to the No'eau Center (B203), Chancellor's Office (D136), the Student Services Office on the second floor of the Campus Center, and Room 230 in the DHHL Building now through May 6. The most needed items are:

- Canned proteins (meat, tuna, chicken)
- Canned meals (spaghetti, stew, chili)
- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruits
- Rice

Monetary donations are accepted online at hawaiifoodbank.org. Indicate "UH West O'ahu" in parentheses in the address field.

Distance education tip of the week - Google calendar and new distance learning microsite

One of the benefits of Google@UH apps is access to Google Calendar through your UH email. Google Calendar helps keep track of your academic life by allowing you to create events and set reminders. The calendar app sends notifications about upcoming meetings through emails and even text messages. To access your calendar, type "google.hawaii.edu" into your browser the next time you're logged in. You may also download the Google Calendar app to your mobile device. For more educational tech tips, visit the UHWO Distance Education Lualaba site or email uhwode@hawaii.edu. Also, check out the new [Distance Learning microsite](#) featuring distance education information for faculty and students.

New in *E Kamakani Hou*



UHWO archaeology students get hands-on experience with ancient technologies UH West O'ahu Distinguished Visiting Scholar Jonathan Mark Kenoyer conducted a workshop on ancient technologies for students in Dr. William Belcher's ANTH 382 Archaeology Laboratory Techniques class. [\[Read more\]](#)

Dr. Kamuela Yong publishes paper on using math to predict ebola UH West O'ahu Assistant Professor of Mathematics Kamuela Yong, together with colleagues at the National Science Foundation's [Mathematical and Theoretical Biology Institute \(MTBI\)](#), published the paper "[Modeling Ebola at the Mathematical and Theoretical Biology Institute](#)" in the *Notices of the American Mathematical Society*. [\[Read more\]](#)

Dr. Albie Miles and colleagues publish study on western grape leafhopper paratoids UH West O'ahu Assistant Professor of Sustainable Community Food Systems Albie Miles and colleagues published the article "[Host Plant Associations of *Anagrus* spp. \(Hymenoptera: Mymaridae\) and *Erythroneura elegantula* \(Hemiptera: Cicadellidae\) in Northern California](#)" in Oxford University Press' *Environmental Entomology*. [\[Read more\]](#)

Encourage your students to take the UHWO food security survey All UH West O'ahu students (18 years and older) are encouraged to take the UH West O'ahu Food Security Survey. The purpose of the study is to understand student perceptions and experiences around diet choices and food security. [\[Read more\]](#)

Ua lohe 'oe? (Have you heard?) O ka 'Ōlelo No'eau o ka pule 'o (the Hawaiian proverb of the week is) E kanu i ka huli 'oi hā'ūle ka ua [\[Read more\]](#)

Events this week

Start your week with **oli, mele, and ho'okupu** today, May 2 at 10 a.m. at the UH West O'ahu Hale Kuahuokalā in the UHWO Student Organic Garden. [\[Read more\]](#)

Encourage your students to enter the **40th Anniversary Finals Prize Pack giveaway** Instagram Contest for a chance to win a personally delivered prize pack during finals week, May 2-5. [\[Read more\]](#)

Buy local produce at the **Da Spot Farmers' Market** on Thursday, May 5 and every Thursday from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Dining Hall. [\[Read more and see photos\]](#)

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The **UH West O'ahu Spring 2016 Commencement** is on Saturday, May 7 at 9 a.m. in the Courtyard. [\[Read more\]](#)

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 or [E Kamakani Hou](#)? Submit a [Communications Request Form](#) to the UH West O'ahu Communications Department.

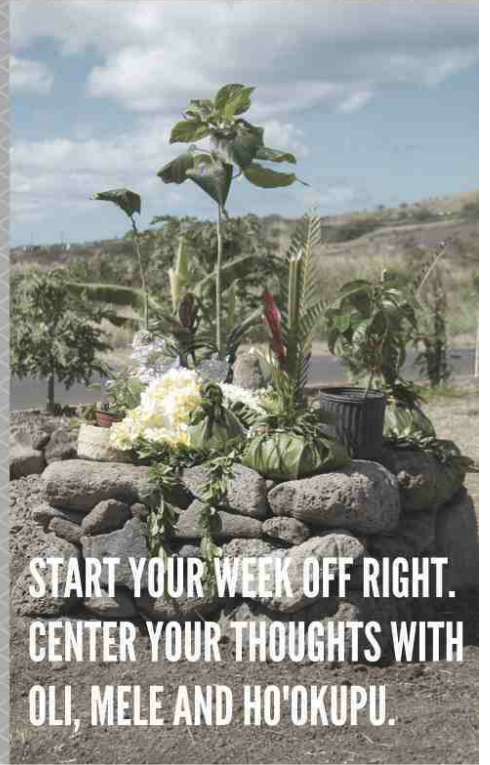


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CENTER YOUR THOUGHTS WITH
OLI, MELE AND HO'OKUPU.

@ HALE KUAHUOKALĀ



Give a Hoot... Bring some Loot!

(or canned goods)



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A white elephant and bake sale will be held on campus April 27 and 28 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. in the UH West O'ahu Courtyard. All proceeds benefit the Hawaii Food Bank. Drop off your donated white elephant and bake sale items to Ryan Perreira or Sione Thompson in E237 by April 26.



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40th Anniversary Finals Giveaway

May 2-5

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