

JAN TENBRUGGENCATE

Island Strategy LLC

**SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

Veteran author, journalist and public relations professional with deep ties to the Kaua'i community and extensive experience in community outreach and issue resolution. Works with government, development, private industry and non-profit clients.

**PROFESSIONAL, EDUCATIONAL SUMMARY**

Formed Island Strategy LLC, communications consulting firm, in 2007.

Retired in 2007 from The Honolulu Advertiser as its Kaua'i Bureau Chief and science writer after 37 years.

Received B.A.in English/Journalism, University of Hawai'i at Manoa in [REDACTED]

**ISLAND STRATEGY LLC**

Operates a communications consultancy that provides contract writing, strategic public relations advice, community outreach and other services to clients statewide.

**PUBLICATIONS: Books**

- 2014 *Grove Farm, 150 Years of Stewardship and Innovation*, Watermark Publishing
- 2011 *Lihue Mill: Grinding Cane and Building Community*, PAHIO Development
- 2009 *The Legacy of EHW Broadbent; A History*, A Pratt Published Book
- 2004 *Hawai'i's Pineapple Century*, with Jan K. TenBruggencate, Mutual Publishing

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES, AWARDS**

- 2012 Historic Hawai'i Foundation Preservation Media Award
- 2007,2008 Excellence in Journalism Awards, Society of Professional Journalists Hawai'i Chapter
- 2003 Hawaii Publishing Association Pa'i Award.
- 2005 First recipient, The Nature Conservancy of Hawai'i's Kāko'o 'Āina Award
- 2001 Conservation Council for Hawai'i Koa Award
- 2000 Hawaii Audubon Society Environmental Education Award.

**OTHER INTERESTS, COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

- 2010-present Member, Apollo Kauai energy sustainability group
- 2011-present Steering committee, Niumalu Mangrove clearing project
- 2010-present Elected board member, Kauai Island Utility Cooperative (vice-chair
- 2012,2013)
- 2010-present Member, Kauai County Charter Review Commission (chair 2013)
- 2009-present Board member, Lihue Business Association
- 2007-present Member, Public Relations Society of America
- through 2012 Canoe construction, paddling, sailing; Shotokan karate; beekeeping