
CURRENT POSITION: October 2015 to Present

**Director, Ka Hikina O Ka La
Coordinator, Hawai'i Papa O Ke Ao
University of Hawai'i Maui College
310 Ka'ahumanu Ave.
Kahului, HI 96732**

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Cultural Programs Director, Maui Arts & Cultural Center

August 2001 — 10/1/2015

Kahului, Hawai'i

- Develop programs that integrate Hawaiian and Local culture into the MACC
- Integrate the Hawaiian point of view internally and externally to the MACC
- Attend meetings at the MACC and in the community to bring a Hawaiian cultural view
- Review marketing material for appropriate Hawaiian thought and Hawaiian language use
- Work with Grants development for programs and position funding
- Help to position Hawaiian culture and arts in the National and International arena

Lecturer, University of Hawaii Maui College

January 1992 — Present

Kahului, Hawai'i

- Instruct college students in Hawaiian language and culture
- Provide consult with other staff and instructors as part of Lau'ulu advisory group
- Cooperate with UHMC staff and instructors for student success

Kumu Hula, Pā'ū O Hi'iaka

July 1976 — Present

Wailuku, Hawai'i

- Instruct in traditional and contemporary hula
- Instruct in Hawaiian history, culture, and language
- Provide learning experiences in Hawaiian cultural practices
- Collaborate with other Kumu Hula and community groups on Hawaiian concerns
- Create performances that feature Hawaiian cultural arts

**Culture and Education Manager, Kaho'olawe Island Reserve
Commission**

April 1997 — July 2001

HŌKŪLANI HOLT-PADILLA

Wailuku, Hawai'i

- Provided training and instruction in cultural practices for Kaho'olawe Island clean-up project
- Provided consult for Navy, contractor, and Commission on Hawaiian culture and practices
- Provided community education and outreach for the Commission
- Provided training and instruction for Staff and Commission members

Site Coordinator, Nā Pua No'ēau Center for Gifted and Talented Native Hawaiian Children

November 1993 — April 1997

Kahului, Hawai'i

- Coordinated all summer and weekend enrichment classes for students and families
- Coordinated with State-wide offices for State-wide summer and weekend activities
- Community outreach to Hawaiian families and students
- Designed and executed enrichment classes and activities for K-12 students and families

Director, Pūnana Leo O Maui Hawaiian Language Preschool

September 1990 – October 1993

Wailuku, Hawai'i

- Directed Hawaiian language immersion preschool for 3-5 year olds
- Organized and coordinated parent activities and language classes
- Supervised all teachers and volunteers

**Administrative Assistant and Cultural Specialist,
Maui Historical Society and Bailey House Museum**

September 1985 – September 1990

Wailuku, Hawai'i

- Assisted Museum Director in all aspects of museum management
- Maintained research library
- Assisted with collections management
- Assisted researchers with library and collections research

EDUCATION

BACHELOR | █████ | UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

- Major: Liberal Studies, Human Relations in Organizations
- Minor: Organizational Structures

HIGH SCHOOL | █████ | KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS

ASSOCIATIONS

- President, Kauahea Inc., 501 (c)(3) non-profit corporation
- Vice-President, Lālākea Foundation, 501 (c)(3) non-profit corporation
- Community Advisory Board, Kamehameha Schools Bishop Estate
- Hawaiian Community Advisory Group, Maui Trustee Hulu Lindsey, Office of Hawaiian Affairs
- Hawaiian Culture Advisory Committee, Hawaii Visitor and Convention Bureau
- Commissioner, Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission
- Member, Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement