Hawaiian Studies 107: Hawaiʻi the Center of the Pacific
Spring 2022; CRN 61014
Asynchronous, Online

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WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE MISSION STATEMENT

ʻO kēia ka wā kūpono e hoʻonui ai ka ʻike me ka hoʻomaopopo i ko Hawaiʻi i mau hoʻoilina waiwai. Aia nō hoʻi ma ke Kula nui Kaiāulu o ko Koʻolau nā papahana hou o nā ʻike akeakamai a me nā hana noʻeau. Me ke kuleana koʻikoʻi e hoʻohiki ke Kula nui e kākoʻo a e hoʻokumu i ala e hiki ke kokua i ka hoʻonui ʻika a nā kānaka maoli. Na mākou nō e hoʻolako, kākoʻo a paipai i nā Koʻolau a ko Oʻahu a e me nā hana noʻeau ākea, ka hoʻonaʻauao ʻoihana a me ka hoʻonui ʻike ma ke kaiāulu – hōʻaʻano a e hoʻoulu i nā haumāna i ka poʻokela.

Windward Community College offers innovative programs in the arts and sciences and opportunities to gain knowledge and understanding of Hawaiʻi and its unique heritage. With a special commitment to support the access and educational needs of Native Hawaiians, we provide the Koʻolau region of Oʻahu and beyond with liberal arts, career and lifelong learning in a supportive and challenging environment — inspiring students to excellence.

CATALOG DESCRIPTION

An introduction to Hawaiʻi and Hawaiian culture in the context of the larger Pacific, including Hawaiian origins, settlement, language, land, history, society, religion and the arts.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

As a result of taking this course, students can expect to attain the following outcomes:

1. Compare and contrast cultures and histories of Pacific island peoples in relation to their languages, religious traditions, artistic expressions, material culture, and political and economic development.
2. Identify ways in which the environment has shaped Hawaiian and Pacific island culture.
3. Describe the integration of land in Hawaiian culture and the historic changes in the relationship between people and land through written and oral communication.
4. Describe aspects of Hawaiian relationship with other groups of people in and outside of Hawaiʻi.
5. Identify, access, and evaluate major Hawaiian studies sources.
6. Identify implications of the relationships and develop proposals for possible ways to affect positive change.

**COURSE TASKS**

COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND TASKS:
1. Assigned readings and discussions:
   There will be reading assignments from readings that will be available in our “Resources” section of the class website.
2. Keeping up with the class timeline:
   Keeping up with the class timeline is essential. An online course offers you the flexibility of arranging course material according to your life schedule. But, there are time sensitive assignments and quizzes that must be completed by deadline to attain full credit.
3. Unit and Map Quizzes, presentations, assignments
   There will be two quizzes covering the content of the class, as well as map quizzes. Each of these quizzes will be worth 20 points, although this is subject to change.
4. Final Quiz
   There will be a final quiz. It is not cumulative. It will cover the last few sections of Hawaiian history. The final quiz is worth 50 points.

**GRADING**

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(***Point total subject to change)

Grade scales:
A = 90 – 100% of total points
B = 80 – 89% of total points
C = 70 – 79% of total points
D = 60 – 69% of total points
F = less than 60% of total points

**All grades can be followed, tracked through the “Gradebook” section of our Laulima course site.

**Course Content**

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Unit II: I ka ‘Ōlelo ke Ola, I ka ‘Ōlelo ka Make
Language and Culture
Quiz: Map of Hawai‘i

Week 4
Hawaiian Language Issues

Week 5
Unit III: Ho’omana – Religion and Spirituality
Genealogy: Kumulipo
Akua and ‘Aumakua
Quiz: Map of Polynesia

Week 6
The Mo’olelo of ‘Umi
Due: Paper 1

Week 7
Quiz 1: Units I - III
Unit IV: ‘Āina and Wai
Wai, Water and Life

Week 8
Nuclear testing in Oceania
Aloha ‘Āina and Kaho‘olawe
Quiz: Map of Micronesia

Week 9
Ahupua’a, Lo‘i Kalo, and Loko I’a

Week 10
WĀ HO‘OMAHA (SPRING BREAK)

Week 11
Unit V: Mea No‘eau
Mo’olelo, Mele, and Mo‘okū‘auhau

Week 12
Quiz 2: Units IV - V
Unit VI: Colonialism, Nation Building,
The Hawaiian Kingdom

Week 13
Kamehameha Pai‘ea Kauikeaouli: Kingdom of Literacy
The Māhele: Land Tenure

Week 14
The Bayonet Constitution
Overthrow and Annexation

Week 15
Hawaiian Resistance
Due: Paper 2

Week 16
Final Quiz

LEARNING RESOURCES
Hawaiian Studies readings on Laulima; under “Resources” section.
**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Make-up Policy:**
Quizzes: There are no make-ups for quizzes unless you let me know ahead of time that you will be missing the quiz for a valid reason, or unless you bring in a valid doctor’s note or some other official’s letter stating that there was no way you could carry out the task online.

**Netiquette:** The best possible experience in discussion forums and in e-mail exchanges occurs when respect is shown to all participants. When addressing other people on the discussion forums, think about the impact of your words and remember that unlike face-to-face communication, those you communicate with cannot see the expression on your face or hear the intonation in your voice.

Try to be brief and to the point. Answer questions but do not be drawn into arguments. The discussion forum is not the place for political arguments or for discussion of inappropriate topics.

If you cite someone else’s ideas, make sure to give them credit.

**DISABILITIES ACCOMMODATIONS**

If you have a physical, sensory, health, cognitive, or mental health disability that could limit your ability to fully participate in this class, you are encouraged to contact the Accessibility Counselor to discuss reasonable accommodations that will help you succeed in this class. Roy Inouye can be reached at (808) 235-7448, royinouy@hawaii.edu, or you may stop by Hale Kākoʻo 106 for more information.

**SEX DISCRIMINATION AND GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE RESOURCES (TITLE IX)**

Windward Community College is committed to providing a learning, working, and living environment that promotes personal integrity, civility, and mutual respect and is free of all forms of sex discrimination and gender-based violence, including sexual assault, sexual harassment, gender-based harassment, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking.

If you or someone you know is experiencing any of these, WCC has staff and resources to support and assist you. To report an incident of sex discrimination or gender-based violence, as well as receive information and support, please contact one of the following:

Kaahu Alo, Student Life Counselor & Designated Confidential* Advocate for Students  
Phone: (808) 235-7354  
Email: kaahualo@hawaii.edu  
Office: Hale ʻĀkoakoa 232  
*confidentiality is limited

Desrae Kahale, Mental Health Counselor & Confidential Resource  
Phone: (808) 235-7393  
Email: dkahale3@hawaii.edu  
Office: Hale Kākoʻo 101

Karla K. Silva-Park, Title IX Coordinator  
Phone: (808) 235-7468  
Email: karlas@hawaii.edu  
Office: Hale ʻĀkoakoa 220

*Windward Community College is an equal opportunity, affirmative action institution.*
As a member of the University faculty, I am required to immediately report any incident of sex discrimination or gender-based violence to the campus Title IX Coordinator. Although the Title IX Coordinator and I cannot guarantee confidentiality, you will still have options about how your case will be handled. My goal is to make sure you are aware of the range of options available to you and have access to the resources and support you need.

For more information regarding sex discrimination and gender-based violence, the University’s Title IX resources and the University’s Policy, Interim EP 1.204, go to manoa.hawaii.edu/titleix/

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

Academic Honesty:
Students are expected to act with personal integrity, to respect other students’ opinions and property, and to help create an academic environment in which discussion is encouraged. Students are expected not to engage or tolerate acts of plagiarism, cheating, copying, fabrication of citations, or other acts of academic dishonesty. Students charged with academic dishonesty face serious consequences that range from an F grade for the assignment to a Fail grade for the course.

ALTERNATE CONTACT INFORMATION

If you are unable to contact the instructor, have questions that your instructor cannot answer, or for any other issues, please contact the Academic Affairs Office:

- Location: Alakaʻi 121
- Phone: (808) 235-7422