Summer Internship Program 2011 at Ehime Prefectural International Center (EPIC)

The main objective of the internship program is to foster friendship and understanding between Ehime and Hawai‘i. The program was established to bring the two communities together following the Ehime-maru tragedy.

Timeframe: May – August, 2011 (80 to 90 days)

Summary of Work Responsibilities:
1) Assist EPIC staff in answering general inquiries both from the people of Ehime and foreigners.
2) Plan, coordinate, and execute cross-cultural seminars that include topics on Hawaiian and American cultures (including visits to schools).
3) Update and manage website and publications for EPIC.
4) Participate in an English Camp.
5) Work hours and holidays: Tuesdays and Fridays from 9 am to 5 pm. Work on Mondays and Saturdays is alternated every two weeks.

Internship includes: Roundtrip ticket, living stipend, housing

The selected candidate must have a valid passport and pay for his/her own passport/visa fees.

For Eligibility and Application: See links below.
Deadline: March 9, 2011 (Wednesday)
Finalists will be interviewed on March 14, 2011 (Monday) at 4:30 pm in Moore Hall 319.

Please see the following websites for more information:
Center for Japanese Studies  www.hawaii.edu/cjs (click on “Jobs & Internships)
Japan America Society of Hawai‘i  www.jashawaii.org (click on “Ehime Maru Memorial Association”)
Ehime Prefectural International Center (EPIC)  www.epic.or.jp/english/index.html
Please contact Dr. Gay Satsuma at the Center for Japanese Studies if you have any questions regarding the program and/or application process, gay@hawaii.edu, 956-2664.