2019 Maritime Archaeology Surveying Techniques (MAST)
O'ahu, Hawai'i

July 1-12, 2019

University of Hawai'i Marine Option Program in partnership with NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries will hold a maritime archaeology field school July 1 – 12, 2019 in Honolulu, Hawai'i. During this two week field experience, students will learn basic underwater archaeological survey and historical research techniques from instructors, Col. Don Froning (USMC) and Dr. Hans Van Tilburg (NOAA Sanctuaries). Our sites of interest may include various WWII era vessels which will be mapped. All interested individuals should be fully authorized UH Scientific Divers with a 40’ depth authorization before the start of the field school current through the end of MAST. This course has openings for 8 qualified students. For off island students, on-campus housing is available through East-West Center Housing at a reasonable rate, go to https://www.eastwestcenter.org/about-ewc/housing/visitor-housing - for information and reservations.

Costs to include:

1. 2 credits UH Mānoa Summer School, Biol 400 (CR# 91082). Registration approval required from Dr. Cynthia Hunter (cindyh@hawaii.edu) for 2 cr.
2. Airfare for off island students
3. Housing for off island students
4. $130 course fee to cover air fills, vehicle rentals, etc. (subject to change)

Prerequisites:

1. Fully UH Scientific Diver authorized to 40’ (or AAUS)
2. Ability to work well as part of a group
3. A good attitude

To apply, email Jeff Kuwabara, UH Mānoa MOP Coordinator (manoamop@hawaii.edu) with the following information by Friday APRIL 2, 2019:

1. Your name and MOP affiliation (which campus)
2. Contact information: cell phone, email, postal address
3. AAUS/UH scientific dive authorization depth rating (or when you plan to finish it)
4. Short statement about your interest in this field school

Since there are only 8 spaces available, please do not delay. Emails with our decisions on acceptance or wait listing will be sent out by April 10.

Questions or concerns should be directed to Jeff Kuwabara, manoamop@hawaii.edu or (808)956-8433.