

LIS 631 Introduction to Hawai'i & Pacific Librarianship - Kapena Shim

Primary Student Learning Outcome: SLO5 Cultures (Core-eligible)

Last ran: Spring 2019

Meeting days: Mondays, 5:00-7:30pm; HL 003G

Course objectives:

- Develop an understanding of the library and archives profession in the geographical, historical, and cultural context of Hawai'i and the Pacific
- Develop an understanding of Hawai'i and Pacific Island resources
- Become familiar with Hawai'i and Pacific collection development and management issues

Required texts:

- No textbook. All readings are posted to the class Google Drive folder.

Required technology:

- Computer with a reliable internet-connection or mobile device with a high-speed connection, with at least one up-to-date modern browser, and office productivity software
- Use of Google Drive and Lulima

Teaching methods:

- Lecture, discussions of the readings, hands-on exercises, and guest speakers
- We also make use of short clips in the beginning of class to better convey a sense of place and to allow students to hear Hawaiian and Pacific Island voices directly

Research methods:

- N/A

Major assignments:

- Reading response and discussion participation
- Lead class discussion
- Reference responses
- Collection development and management project
- Final project, presentation, and reflection paper

ePortfolio-eligible assignment: Final project, presentation, and reflection paper [Individual project]