International Programs

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Testimony

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Committee on International Affairs
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Commitment to Excellence

• *To our students:* Access & the best education possible

• *To our island, state & region:* Strong communities, thriving economy & professional workforce
UH Hilo delivers on its commitment: 38.8% enrollment increase in past decade
Academic Programs

37 Baccalaureate
6 Master
2 Doctorate
Master’s Programs

• China-US Relations
• Hawaiian Language & Literature
• Indigenous Language & Cultural Education
• Counseling Psychology
• Education
• Tropical Conservation Biology
College of Pharmacy
Inaugural Class of 2011

Future College of Pharmacy Building
Hawai‘i Island: A Living Laboratory

- Conservation Biology
- Environmental Studies
- Marine Science

- Hawaiian Studies
- Language Revitalization

- Aquaculture
- Tropical Agriculture

- Arts
- Performing Arts

- Business & Tourism
- Cross Cultural Communication

- Astronomy
- Anthropology
- Geography
- Geology

- Cross Cultural Health Care
- Transcultural Nursing
- Teacher Education
Building a diverse professional workforce for state and Pacific region
UH Hilo: Most diverse public liberal arts university in the nation

- Hawaiian/Pac Islander: 24.18%
- Asian/Pac Islander: 24.17%
- Caucasian: 33.02%
- Other: 1.94%
- African American: 1.36%
- Hispanic: 3.33%
- Am Indian/Native Alaskan: 0.94%
- Mix: 11.06%
International Students

Asia
- Japan
- Korea
- China
- Taiwan
- Others

Americas
- Canada
- Central/South America

Europe

Oceania
- Micronesia
- Marshall Island
- Palau
- Others
Office of Student Services: counseling, support & activities
Mission:
To promote international education and internationalize UH Hilo
UH Hilo Exchange Agreements
Peer Advising
Study Abroad Program

• Application guidance
• Information seminars
• Personalized guidance on living in a host culture
Language and culture courses in China and Peru
United Nations Day at UH Hilo
UH Hilo International Nights
Doctorate in Hawaiian and Indigenous Language and Culture Revitalization: Inaugural Class
UH Hilo’s Pacific Aquaculture and Coastal Resources Center at Hilo Bay: Research & teaching for local, regional and international benefit
UH Hilo’s international programs benefit EVERYONE!
Mahalo & Aloha!