Description  **ITE 564 (2-credits): Working with Micronesian Parents [PDERI Event ID# 962]**

The purpose of this course is to bridge the gaps between educators and Micronesian parents. Because of the gaps in mutual understanding, there is a growing need for our teachers to work effectively with Micronesian parents, by acquiring more knowledge about these parents (see Page 2).

**Dates & Time**  December 4 & 11, 2004, January 15 & 29, and February 12, 2005  8:30 AM – 3:00 PM

**Location**  McKinley Community School for Adults, Room 201

**Enrollment**  SUBMIT A COMPLETED INTENT TO REGISTER FORM (below) by November 12, 2004 via either:

1) Fax to 956-3374;  2) Online at www.hawaii.edu/wccc (see the Courses/Workshops section); or  
3) Mail to WCCC, College of Education, 1776 University Avenue, UA2-7, Honolulu, HI 96822;  
No phone-in registrations will be accepted.

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO THOSE WHO SUBMIT AN INTENT TO REGISTER FORM.**

*Space is limited, so declare your intent and register early!* 

Priority will be given in order listed to participants from Project METALS (McKinley Complex) and Project Waipuna (Waipahu Complex). All others will be wait listed in order received.

**Payment***  Resident tuition = $386;  non-resident tuition = $904.  
All registrants must pay the tuition and any other fees as required in the registration process.  

*  Projects METALS and Waipuna will reimburse $386 of the tuition costs to project participants who successfully complete the course. Registrants are responsible for any remaining balance.  
Non-project participants are wholly responsible for the full cost of their tuition and fees.

**Inquiries**  Contact Melinda at (808) 956-3366 or melindaf@hawaii.edu.

**INTENT TO REGISTER FORM – ITE 564 (2 credits): Working with Micronesian Parents (PDERI Event ID #962)**

☐ Yes, I am interested in registering for ITE 564. Please send me more information.

Name: ___________________________________________ Job Title: _____________________________

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School: ___________________________________________ Number of ESL credits I currently have: __________

I am a participant in Project (✓one): ☐ METALS (McKinley Complex) ☐ Waipuna (Waipahu Complex) ☐ neither

Home Address: ________________________________________________________________

Street: __________________________________ City: __________________________ State: ______ Zip Code: ______

Phone: _________________________ Work: ______________________________________

Home: _________________________ Email: ________________________________

Important: We use email as the primary mode for confirmation & other information.

For University of Hawaii tuition purposes, I am a (✓one): ☐ Resident ☐ Non-resident

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**ABOUT THE COURSE**

**Instructional Objectives** – Participants will: identify the range of Micronesian Islands varieties; explore the range of educational experiences of Micronesian parents; study parents’ rights and responsibilities in Micronesia and find ways to orient parents to the western education system; identify effective communication strategies for working with Micronesian parents; develop a portfolio of evidence related to the objectives; and reflect on what was learned and how it contributes to ongoing development as professional educators.

**MAP TO THE COURSE SITE**

McKinley Community School for Adults  
634 Pensacola Street, Room 201  
Phone: 594-0540

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**ABOUT THE PRESENTER**

After obtaining a BA in Counseling and Guidance (1952) from Chico State College, I continued my studies in California at California State University and received a Master’s in Psychology (1993). I received my M.A. in Pacific Island Studies from the University of Hawaii at Manoa. I worked with Micronesians in Chuuk (FM), Rota (CNMI), Kwajalein, Ebeye, Majuro (RMI). Also, traveled to other Pacific entities and U.S. states. I enjoy learning about people in their own environments. Languages I have learned include Chamorro, Chuukese, and Marshallese.