## **Oceanography Seminar**

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## "Evaluating ecosystem services through research and monitoring in the He'eia National Estuarine Research Reserve"

The He'eia National Estuarine Research Reserve (HeNERR) was designated in 2017 as one of 29 sites across the nation serving as living laboratories for the study of estuaries in response to natural and anthropogenic changes. The mission of the HeNERR is to practice and promote stewardship of coasts and estuaries through innovative research, education, and training through an integrated approach of traditional and contemporary management practices. Research within the HeNERR aims to examine the various ecosystem services provided by our natural resources as we undergo a large-scale removal of invasive mangroves to restore the He'eia wetland.

## <u>Thursday February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019 3:00p.m. MSB 100</u>