STATE OF HAWAII UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII VICE PRESIDENT FOR UNIVERSITY RELATIONS

MAJOR FUNCTIONS

This office serves to establish an appropriate interface and strategy for significant activities involving the media, legislature, alumni and the public-at-large. Internally, this office will promote understanding and mutual respect.

Public Affairs

- . Exercises general direction and control over media relations, public relations, alumni affairs, and legislative coordination.
- . Establishes and maintains effective lines of communication with a variety of external University constituencies, e.g. the media, legislators, foundations, state and federal agencies, etc.
- . Coordinates the legislative program of the University to insure appropriate submission of legislative proposals; preparation of appropriate testimony and responses to bills and resolution.
- . Apprises executive team members, Regents, and other administrators of hearing, meetings and other legislative activities.
- Plans, prepares, coordinates and provides administrative support to Manoa Campus Events, e.g. commencements, convocations, etc.
- Designs, coordinates, and monitors dissemination within the University of information relating to programs and activities.
- . Administers and directs the University's public and media relations programs.

Alumni Affairs

- . Designs, plans, develops, organizes and coordinates the Universitywide alumni programs and activities.
- . Monitor the operations and provides administrative support to alumni groups and organizations.

- Reviews and evaluates program operations and develops, revises or drafts revisions of applicable policies, procedures and rules and regulations.
- Advises University executions on alumni programs, policies, and activities.
- . Coordinates with the UH Foundation the design and development of an on-going alumni and general fundraising program and activities.
- . Direct and compilation and evaluation of alumni data for the purpose of program development and enhancing alumni participation of programs and support activities.

Media Relations and Publication

- . Administers and directs the University's public and media relations and information dissemination programs.
- Prepares media releases, speeches, scripts and other written and verbal information releases for distribution to the electronic and print media or for presentation by University Executives.
- . Advises University executives on public and media relations.
- . Reviews public and media relations programs for the purpose of developing or revising policies, procedures, and program goals and objectives.
- Develops and maintains effective working relations within and outside the University with a variety of individual and groups, formal and informal, interested in or associated with the University.
- Directs staff in the preparation, editing and production of a variety of publications for distribution within and outside the University.