



UNIVERSITY  
of HAWAI'I®  
MĀNOA



**Theme-based EducationUSA Academy**  
**SUMMER PROGRAM FOR**  
**International High School Students**

July 23 – August 12, 2017



LAND

SEA

SPACE

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# Welcome to the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa!

*This unique theme-based EducationUSA Academy offers international high school students an educational summer experience unlike anywhere else in the world!*

## Program Overview

High school students from around the world can get a taste of academic life at the State of Hawai'i's largest university, while being introduced to the fields of **oceanography**, **marine biology**, **geology**, **tropical agriculture**, and **astronomy**, in the context of a beautiful campus and the spectacular Hawaiian islands.

- **Improve** your **English** with an exciting content-based curriculum focused on the themes of **land**, **sea**, and **space**
- **Meet** university **professors** that introduce the theme-related fields
- **Visit** university **research** and **community** sites
- **Interact** with university students throughout the program
- **Travel** to **Hawai'i Island** and visit the world-famous **Volcanoes National Park**
- **Tour** other universities and college campuses
- **Experience** American culture and the enchanting **culture** of Hawai'i



View from top of Diamond Head Crater

Cover: Kilauea lava lake photo courtesy of the U.S. Department of Interior, U.S. Geological Survey

## Program Features

With the magnificent natural environment of Hawai'i as its backdrop, the UH-Mānoa Academy program aims to expose international students to life at an American university while inspiring interest in specific areas of study and preparing them for future success.

### Content-Based English Classes

Highly interactive classes integrate English speaking, listening, reading, and writing with content related to the LAND, SEA, and SPACE. Focusing on one theme each week, English classes prepare students with language and background knowledge, helping to maximize comprehension and participation during lectures and field trips. Students are assigned homework and must complete a final project on a topic related to one of the program themes.



### Interchange with University Students

As a feature of the English class, UH-Mānoa students, called **interchangers**, meet with Academy students regularly for the purpose of intensive English practice and cultural exchange.

### Theme-Related Lectures

UH-Mānoa professors from departments such as Oceanography, Marine Biology, Tropical Agriculture, Geography, and Astronomy provide an inspirational overview of their fields.





## Program Features, cont'd.

### Educational Field Trips

Students visit fascinating sites related to the lectures and themes, including:

- UH Marine Research Facility at **Coconut Island**
- UH **Lyon Arboretum**
- **Bishop Museum and Planetarium**
- Trip to **Hawai'i Island**, home of the active Kilauea volcano and the famous Mauna Kea observatories. The trip includes a visit to the University of Hawai'i at Hilo, the 'Imiloa Planetarium, and Volcanoes National Park

*...and many more!*



Coconut Island



Lyon Arboretum



Bishop Museum

### University Experience Workshops and Campus Visits

Weekly workshops introduce students to various topics related to entering and studying at an American university. They also prepare students for visits to other campuses: Kapiolani Community College, Hawai'i Pacific University, and the University of Hawai'i at Hilo.

### Hawaiian Culture Workshops

Students learn the significance of Hawai'i's most beloved cultural traditions while learning to dance a basic hula, play a simple song on the ukulele, and make their own floral lei.

### Weekend Cultural and Recreational Activities

On weekends, students enjoy activities in the community with UH students and staff, including snorkeling, shopping, and hiking.

### Closing Celebration

On the last day of the program, students are honored at a closing ceremony and special lunch. Students receive certificates of completion, make speeches, and provide entertainment.

## Accommodations and Meals

EducationUSA Academy students stay in an on-campus dormitory. They share a bedroom and/or suite with classmates. UH Mānoa



students (20 years or older) live in the dorms with the students and serve as chaperones. All meals are provided, mostly in the dormitory cafeteria.

Frear Hall Dormitory

## Safety and Student Conduct

The health and safety of all students is extremely important. Students do not participate in high-risk activities, and are well chaperoned throughout the program. The University Health Services are available to students during regular business hours and nearby community medical facilities are also available day or night.

The program has strict rules regarding student conduct. Any student that does not follow the rules may be sent home, at the family's expense.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

<http://outreach.hawaii.edu/eua>

## Application

### ELIGIBILITY

Students must be non-native English speakers, 15-17 years of age, at an intermediate to advanced level of English.

### DEADLINE TO APPLY **MAY 19**

Apply early – limited spaces available!  
Application and detailed requirements are on our website.

### COST

**Application Fee:** USD \$100 (due with application, waived if application is received by April 21)

**Program Fee:** USD \$5,200 (due by May 19)

Program Fee includes all instruction and materials; all activities, excursions, tours; housing, meals, medical insurance; round-trip airfare to Hawai'i island; and all ground transportation.

*NOT INCLUDED: Round trip airfare to Honolulu, visa costs, and personal incidentals.*

## Contact Us

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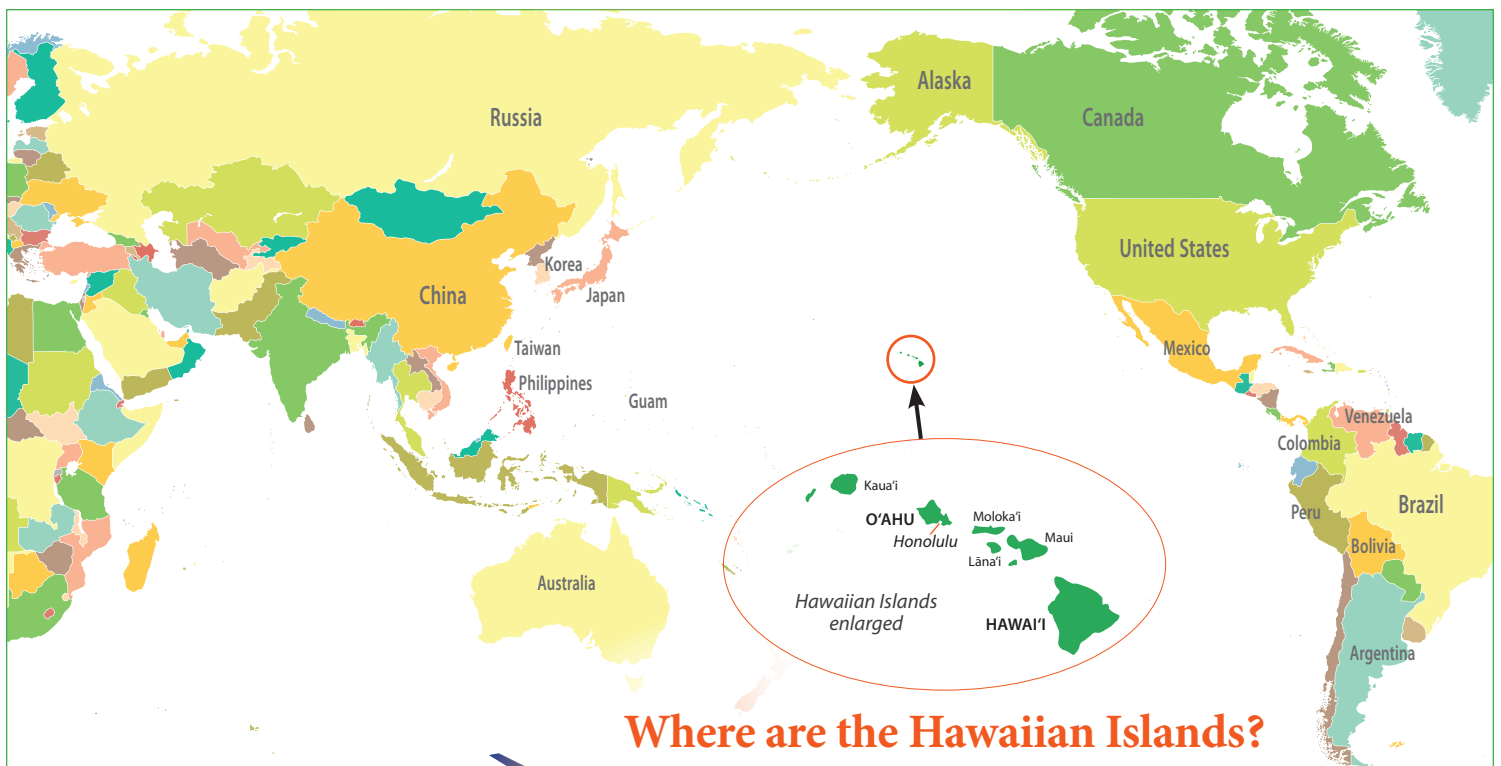
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### See Our Website for More Information

- Complete details about the program content
- Detailed tentative 3-week schedule
- Eligibility and visa requirements
- Application and payment information and forms
- Program policies
- UH campus information

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## Where are the Hawaiian Islands?



Direct flights to Honolulu are available from:

**Japan** – Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Fukuoka, Sendai, Sapporo

**China** – Beijing, Shanghai, Hong Kong

**Korea** – Seoul • **Taiwan** – Taipei • **Philippines** – Manila • **Guam**

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