

HAWAI'I PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

THE PATH FORWARD



THE STORY OF A SYMBOL

Hawai'i Pacific University's logo is much more than a mark on our campus flags and banners. Created by renowned designer Sig Zane, the symbol represents all that is HPU: an institution tied to our location through the shape of leaves from a native plant found in the valley behind the university, to a life-giving stream flowing from that valley past the university to the ocean; the people who are at its heart, particularly our kumu (teachers) and haumana (students); our core values of aloha (love), pono (righteousness) and kuleana (responsibility); and our mission to educate and enlighten.



The symbol illustrates Hawai'i Pacific University's location, people and mission through its uniquely contemporary Hawaiian design.



Maka

Kumu & Haumana

Auwai

Aloha, Pono, Kuleana

Lama

Enlightenment

Kumuwai

Source of Water

Kahawai

Flow of Water



To see the story of the making of the logo from the words of Sig Zane, watch this video.

LETTER FROM PRESIDENT JOHN GOTANDA



Aloha Kakou,

One of my favorite Hawaiian phrases, *pupukahi i holomua*, teaches us that we must work together to move forward. HPU was created through the vision and commitment of community leaders who saw a need for an innovative institution of higher learning at the crossroads of the Pacific and, working together and with the help of others in the community, they brought it to fruition. HPU has since grown into Hawai'i's largest private university, that offers a wide array of academic programs, but retains its ability to be nimble so that it can prepare our graduates to succeed, no matter what the future holds and to make a difference in the world.

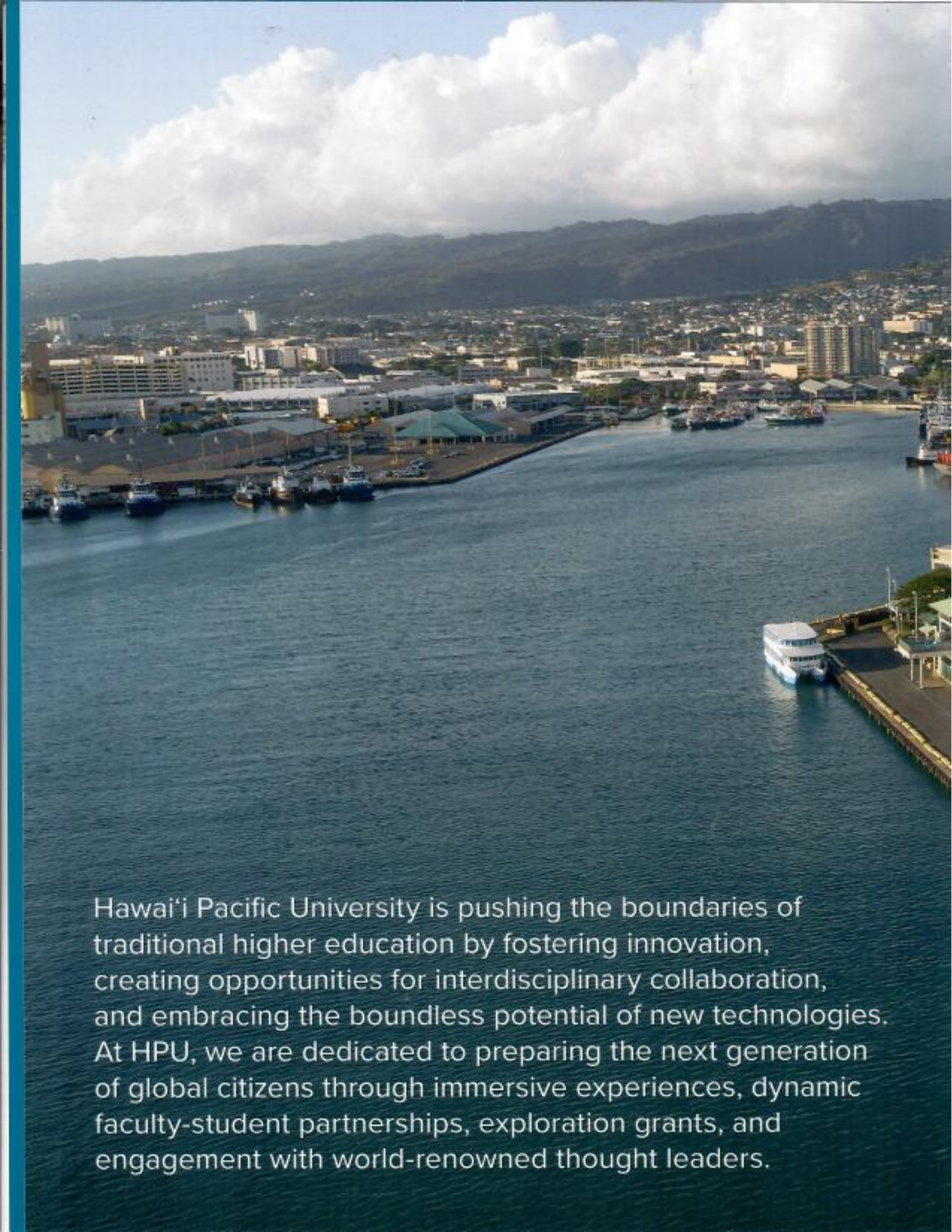
Our work together has created a one-of-a-kind campus in downtown Honolulu. Our centers and institutes have leveraged our unique location in the Pacific and built creative partnerships to make positive impacts on our world. With our private industry, public sector and educational partners, we have produced a global network of 45,000 market-ready change-makers.

None of this would have been possible without wisdom, guidance and support of others. And that help will be even more critical in the coming years as we develop the next generation of global leaders. I sincerely hope you will join us to help HPU change the landscape of higher education.

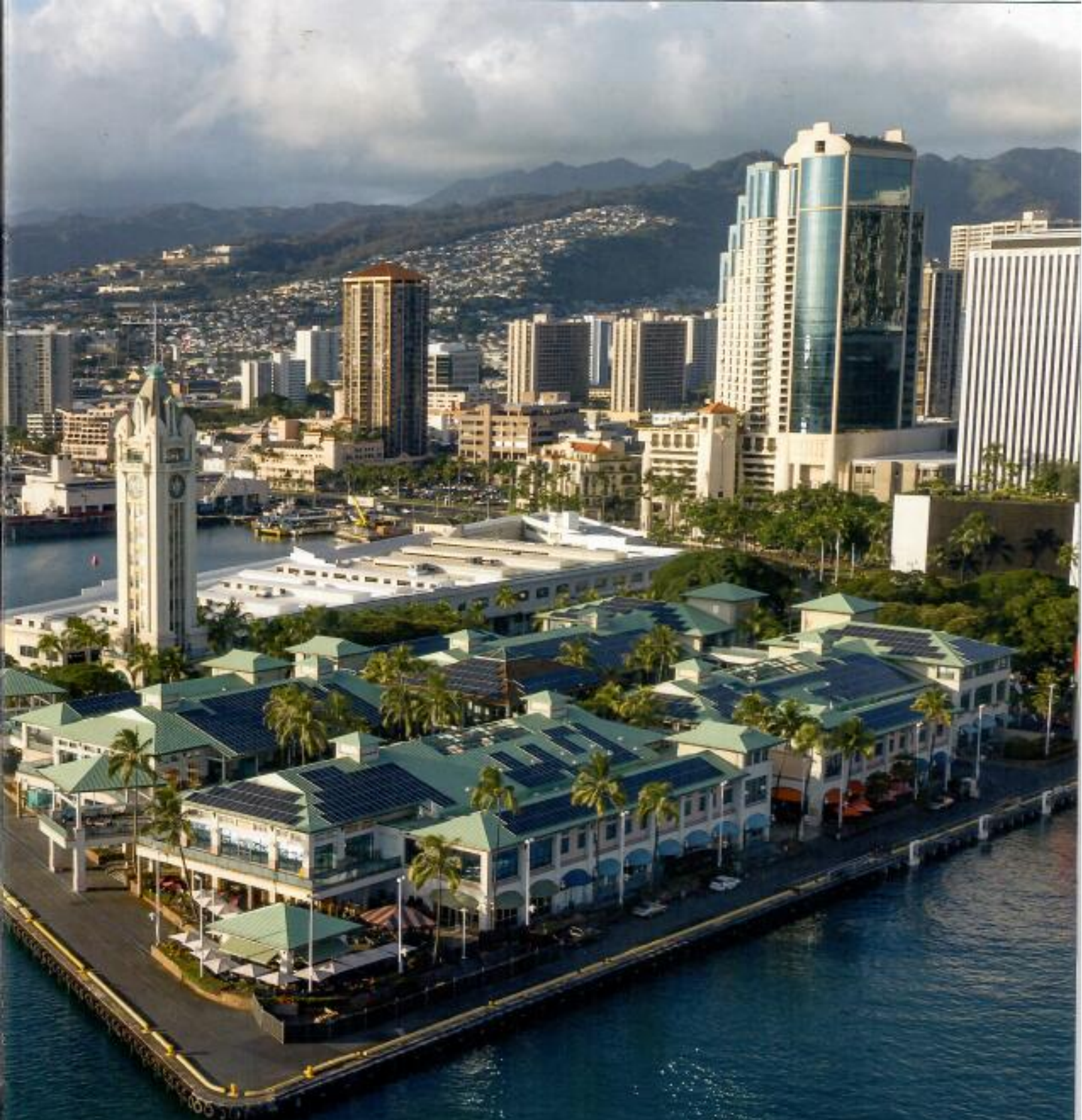
With aloha,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Gotanda". The signature is fluid and stylized, with the first and last names being more prominent.

John Gotanda
President, Hawai'i Pacific University



Hawai'i Pacific University is pushing the boundaries of traditional higher education by fostering innovation, creating opportunities for interdisciplinary collaboration, and embracing the boundless potential of new technologies. At HPU, we are dedicated to preparing the next generation of global citizens through immersive experiences, dynamic faculty-student partnerships, exploration grants, and engagement with world-renowned thought leaders.



Our distinctive green-roofed Aloha Tower Marketplace is the hub of student activity. Waterfront Loft dorms, multipurpose classrooms, a student dining facility featuring cuisine by James Beard award-winning Chef Sam Choy, Hawai'i's first collegiate esports arena, and complementary retail establishments set HPU apart from other universities.

E KOMO MAI

At Hawai'i Pacific University, E Komo Mai is much more than a warm welcome. From the moment students step onto campus, they become part of our 'ohana, our family. Here, we provide students with a personalized, multidisciplinary, hands-on education that enables them to obtain skills, knowledge and values to succeed no matter what the future holds. Our six colleges and schools – College of Business, the College of Liberal Arts, the College of Natural and Computational Sciences, College of Professional Studies, School of Nursing and Graduate College of Health Sciences – offer a broad array of associate's, bachelor's, master's, and doctoral programs that provide graduates with relevant, marketable degrees through courses that draw from our unique location, history and culture.

OUR COMMITMENT TO INNOVATION

We are a nimble university committed to innovation. Are there new programs we can implement to better serve our students and communities? Are there new ways of teaching and learning that will advance their education? Are there new services or facilities that will improve the student experience? We try to answer these questions every day.

OUR VALUES

HPU infuses the Hawaiian values of aloha (love), pono (righteousness) and kuleana (responsibility) into all that we do.

OUR LOCATION

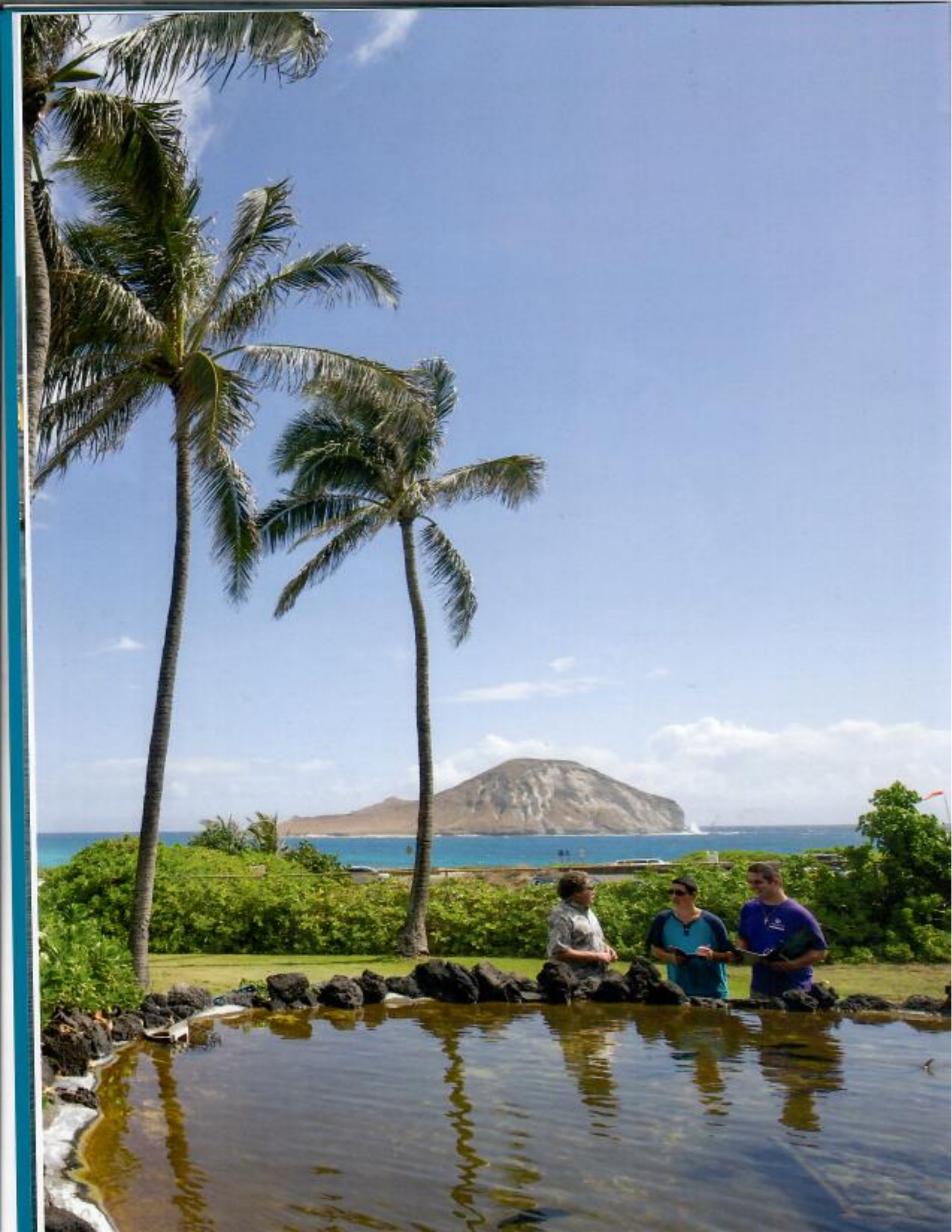
Our unique location provides opportunities that cannot be found anywhere else in the world. We invest in our facilities to create a learning environment in which students can thrive.

OUR PEOPLE

HPU consists of a diverse community of learners: students from all across the 50 United States and more than four dozen countries, a world-class faculty and a dedicated staff that together form a unique community where learning happens everywhere and from everyone.







OUR ACADEMIC PROGRAMMING

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

With a strong emphasis on internships, professional industry certifications and alumni connections, students are equipped with the skills and knowledge needed to succeed in both local and international business environments. This innovative approach promotes practical, skills-based business education, and provides undergraduate and graduate programs that are tailored to the needs of today's marketplace.

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Undergraduate and graduate programs in the College of Liberal Arts prepare students to work in fields that require an understanding of the human experience and that enrich and improve society. From social work and clinical psychology, to international studies and communication, to performing arts and English, liberal arts programs provide a broad perspective and a wide range of skills that promote career flexibility.

COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCES

With unparalleled opportunity in the middle of the Hawaiian archipelago, diverse program offerings in the natural sciences, mathematics and computer sciences are taught by experts in the field, and our marine laboratories at the Makapu'u Campus provide unmatched hands-on training and research opportunities.

COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Offering a number of associate's, bachelor's and master's programs, the CPS supports its students in preparing them for a career in public service, non-profit organizations or the private sector. CPS is also home to Military Campus Programs, ranked #1 in Hawai'i (and top tier nationally) in supporting military-affiliated students.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

In Honolulu, we offer a BSN program for those wishing to become Registered Nurses and a master's level Family Nurse Practitioner program. We also offer online graduate programs: MSN to prepare students to become Family Nurse Practitioners, Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners or Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners, as well as a Doctor of Nursing Practice program.

GRADUATE COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Through hands-on learning in applied practice settings, students have the opportunity to enhance the communities around them while becoming the next generation of healthcare leaders.



INSPIRING FUTURE INNOVATORS

BIOMEDICAL SOLUTIONS FOR CANCER AND STROKE PATIENTS

Dr. David Horgen leads research to identify molecules that can advance new therapies for a wide range of diseases, especially cancer. His discovery of the soft coral compound walexenicin A, which shuts down a protein involved in cancer and stroke, has led to collaborations with organizations worldwide to better understand its potential, as well as even more research opportunities for HPU students. Students in Dr. Horgen's organic chemistry courses participate in the critical stages of early drug discovery, assisting with growing cells, measuring effects on

protein, isolating compounds, collecting organisms, determining molecule structures and more. Students working directly with Dr. Horgen and using the university's high-tech equipment, have published co-authored papers, an uncommon opportunity for undergraduates at most universities. They describe their experiential learning opportunities as transformative, often life-changing, and feel confident in their ability to launch directly into remarkable biomedical careers, where they can contribute with competence and compassion.





BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN ARTS AND MARKETS

HPU offers a unique, multidisciplinary and multicultural approach that prepares students for careers in music, theatre or visual arts. Secondary areas are possible in writing or multimedia. Graduates will develop practical skill sets to work for educational organizations, businesses, nonprofit organizations and government agencies that deal in, represent or interact with artists and the arts – perhaps in addition to managing a freelance artistic career.

Located amid Honolulu's Business and Arts Districts (numerous galleries, theatres, trendy street art and museums), HPU is the perfect location for artists, musicians and thespians who are interested in the business of the arts. Opportunities for internships abound, and many arts events offer student discounts. An added bonus is the incredible diversity of cultural events, representing an international array of concerts, theatrical productions and art exhibits from around the world.



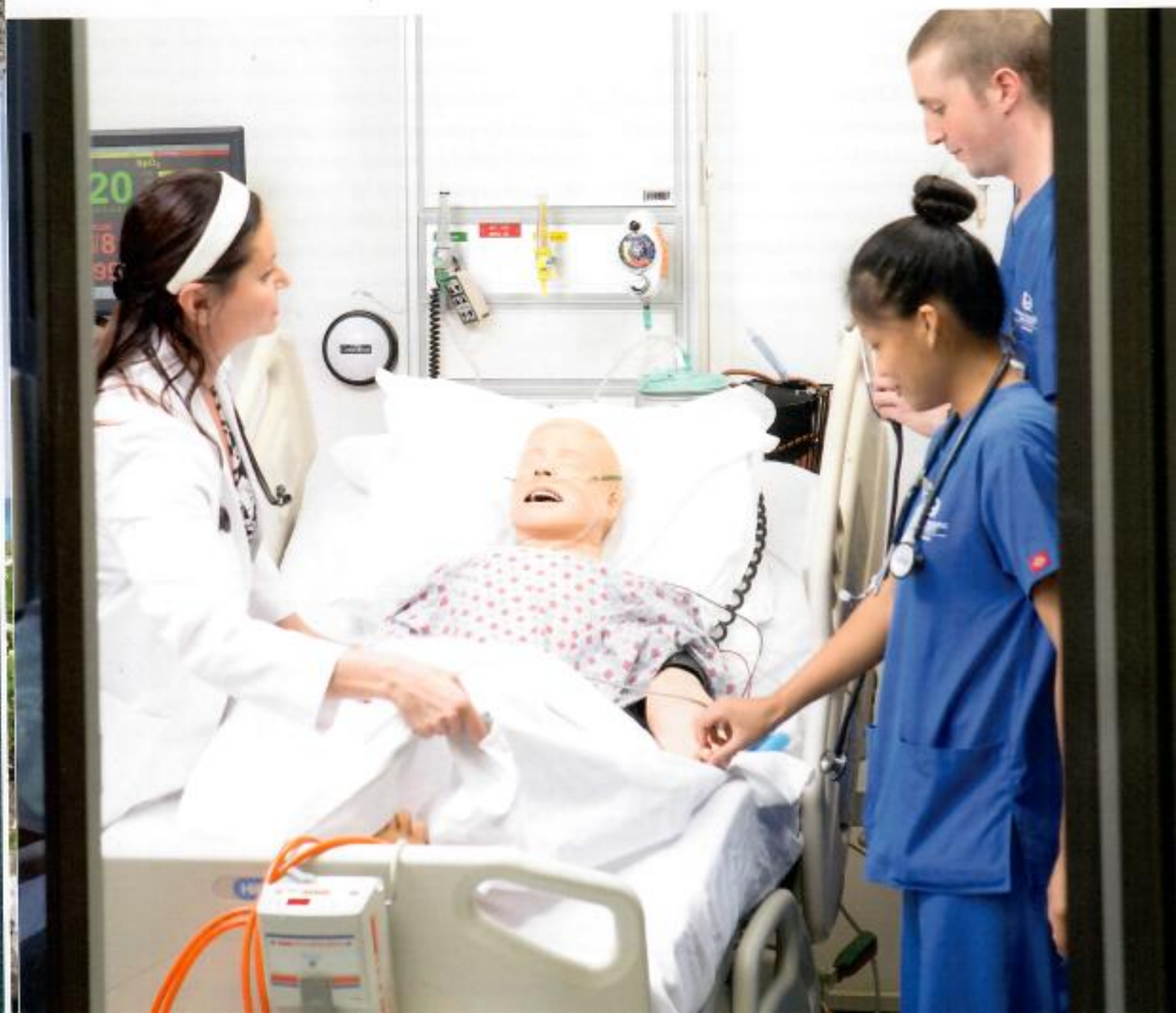
BACHELOR AND MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CYBERSECURITY

Today, businesses, governments and individuals across the globe are increasingly threatened by unprecedented cybersecurity challenges. In response, HPU has launched new degree programs at the associate's, bachelor's and master's levels, each with embedded industry-certifications to ensure that graduates are equipped with the knowledge and technological skills to effectively protect the safety of our communities, companies and nation. Program offerings are in-person and online, allowing us to prepare learners no matter where they reside.

OUR VALUES

INSPIRED SERVICE

HPU's Hawaiian values of aloha (love), pono (righteousness) and kuleana (responsibility) are infused throughout the university's curricula. There are no stronger examples than within the Graduate College of Health Sciences. Comprising the critical disciplines of occupational therapy, physician assistant and Hawai'i's first doctor of physical therapy program, the Graduate College of Health Sciences focuses on comprehensive, inclusive educational programs and producing effective, compassionate healthcare professionals. The School of Nursing offers bachelor's, master's and doctorate nursing degrees in a critically important field.



CONTRIBUTING TO COMMUNITY

HPU rose to the challenges of the pandemic and provided several community services that contributed to invaluable practical student experiences. Faculty and students from the Graduate College of Health Sciences and School of Nursing established a cross-disciplinary healthcare service for area seniors. They created and produced, with a grant from Pfizer, a series of educational webinars, in four languages, that address COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy in the Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander community, and they opened a student research center specifically for undergraduates. Students and faculty members provided hands-on care and managerial leadership at Honolulu's Aloha Free Clinic, which was created to serve Honolulu's newly unemployed and uninsured.



HAWAII'S FIRST DPT

Hawaii's first and only Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program provides students the opportunity to complete their clinical education on an accelerated timetable — without leaving home. Based in the Graduate College of Health Sciences, this two-year program gets graduates work-ready almost a year earlier than students in a traditional DPT program. This innovative hybrid online/on-site program enables students to take courses virtually, complete their in-person immersive laboratory experience in Hawai'i and perform their in-person clinical experience anywhere. This program is designed to train physical therapists to meet the growing demand not only in Hawai'i but nationwide, to address the severe shortage of skilled physical therapists.



INCREASED ACCESS TO NURSING EDUCATION

HPU produces more nursing graduates than any other college or university in the state. Through a partnership with Boundless Learning, a leader in online education, we continue to expand access through new online nursing programs. Remote learning options have become critical since the advent of the pandemic, and health care professionals are in greater demand than ever. School of Nursing offers graduate education in nursing, leading to a master's degree that allows students to sit for exams to be licensed as a family nurse practitioner (FNP), an adult-gerontology acute care nurse practitioner (AGACNP), or a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner (PMHNP) as well as Post-Master Certificate Programs. Also offered is a Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree online. With graduate nursing education, our students will be positioned to impact society's health, in Hawai'i, throughout the United States and globally. These programs enhance HPU's global orientation and reach by offering training to students everywhere and preparing healthcare professionals to work anywhere.



OUR LOCATION

THE URBAN UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE

THE INVESTMENT IN OUR URBAN CAMPUS IS EXCEEDING EXPECTATIONS.

Record enrollment growth, following strategic recruitment, makes clear that the HPU experience is much more attractive to students at all levels.

The key development was the move to a campus that is integrated into Downtown Honolulu.

Our Aloha Tower Marketplace facility has been transformed into the hub of student life, with housing for over 370 students, multipurpose classrooms, our student dining facility, Pier 9 by Sam Choy, the Indru and Gulab Watumull Learning Commons, Hawaii's first collegiate esports arena, and a gorgeous new student union, appropriately named Sharky's Cove.





Virtual reality and other state-of-the-art gaming features in HPU's Esports Arena advance students' capabilities in technologies that will shape their futures.



Steps away are our new facilities at Waterfront Plaza, home to our College of Liberal Arts, School of Nursing, Graduate College of Health Sciences and the Allen and Nobuko Zecha Engineering Program, as well as over 20 new classrooms, a new library, and student services center.

Located a few blocks away in the heart of the city's financial district is Pioneer Plaza. It is home to our College of Business and College of Professional Studies, as well as a host of administrative offices.

Our downtown location is home to the new 21,500 square foot, four-story science lab building, with more than a dozen teaching and research labs to support students in biology, chemistry, physics and environmental science. Our convenient location also affords students a wide array of opportunities to learn from community leaders, who regularly serve as adjunct faculty members and as mentors.

Downtown energy also fuels innovation at HPU. We launched new interdisciplinary programs, including an honors program in which courses are team-taught by cross-discipline professors. We developed a new dual-credit program that enables students to earn college credits, and even associate's degrees, while in high school. That program now has over 1,000 students participating, and we offer an innovative program that will reduce the time and cost for those students to then complete bachelor's degrees.







OUR PEOPLE

A STUDENT BODY LIKE NO OTHER



WHERE DO HAWAI'I PACIFIC UNIVERSITY STUDENTS COME FROM? — THE ANSWER IS EVERYWHERE.

Our students come from more than four dozen countries and locations around the world — from San Francisco, Stockholm, Singapore and Sydney.

HPU is also recognized as having one of the most diverse student bodies. Women make up more than 70 percent of our entering class, and we have been designated by the federal government as a minority-serving institution.

HPU is also the largest Hawai'i-based educator of our island military community. We have satellite campuses on six military bases in Hawai'i and provide opportunities for our members serving in our armed services to obtain associate's, bachelor's and master's degrees.

WHERE ARE HAWAI'I PACIFIC UNIVERSITY STUDENTS GOING? — THE ANSWER, AGAIN, IS EVERYWHERE.

HPU has a network of more than 45,000 alumni across the globe. They are leaders who make a difference. They are influencers who shape the future.

WE LIVE ALOHA

We Live Aloha.

**That's Hawai'i's great reciprocity agreement.
We give more than we take, and we make things
better than when we arrived.**



Aloha Tower reminds us every day of our commitment to aloha (love), and we also embrace our additional core values of pono (righteousness) and kuleana (responsibility), as we work together to instill these three ideals within the thousands of futures taking shape each day in our classrooms, laboratories and study halls.

Our success already made Hawai'i Pacific University the top university in the state, based on students' return on investment, and has placed us in an era of unprecedented growth.

There is no other university like ours. Our special relationship towards the city and the islands provides an unmatched experience of hands-on, world-ready preparation drawn from our unique urban-oasis setting.

And we will continue to explore ways to improve and to be a leader in innovative higher education.

There may never be a better moment to join us in our mission.



