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"Effective philanthropy requires a lot of time and creativity - the same kind of focus and skills that building a business requires."
~ Bill Gates

Did You Know?

More than half of nonprofits believe major gifts are essential, but 59% don't have a major gift strategy.

Courtesy of: [Bloomerang](#)

Kauai AFP Education Session!

Create Your Communications Plan for Fundraising



Call Kauai fundraisers! Learn about how to create a communications plan for fundraising. Experts in fundraising and public relations will explain communicating your case for support, and will provide one-on-one coaching to create individual communication plans

Nominations Now Open for Recognition of our Hawaii Leaders in Philanthropy



The Association of Fundraising Professionals Aloha Chapter (AFP) announces the 2017 nomination period for the annual National Philanthropy Day Awards. These awards provide an opportunity to reflect on the meaning of giving and what has been made possible by leaders in philanthropy throughout our community. The awardees will be recognized at a luncheon in their honor on November 1, 2017 at [National Philanthropy Day](#).

The Association of Fundraising Professionals' annual awards program recognizes outstanding achievement by individual, foundation and corporate philanthropists, fundraising volunteers and fundraising professionals. In philanthropy, such individuals and organizations form a vital partnership with charities and the nonprofit sector to ensure that the needs of all citizens are met. It is right and proper, therefore, that AFP honors those who hold high ethical standards and best exemplify commitment and dedication toward helping society.

Help us find and honor these deserving

on personal laptops.

May 19, 2017
8 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Kauai Memorial Convention
Center

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AFP Membership and General Assistance



Ever get frustrated trying to contact our AFP International headquarter staff to ask a membership question? Ever wish you could just call someone in your own time zone to ask an AFP question? I can help you! I have online access. Or if I can't find the answer, I know who to ask.

Please feel free to contact me:
Susan Oshiro
Chapter Administrator
Email: admin@afphawaii.org
Direct Phone: 808-626-6755

Post your job with AFP

The Aloha Chapter has an easy-to-use online process to post job announcements for Hawaii's nonprofit organizations! Post a job now and ensure your post is seen by nearly 1000 of our contacts, friends and associates.

[Post now...](#)

On the job hunt? Check out the latest fundraising jobs available in Hawaii such as this:

[Major Gift Officer](#) - *Kauai Habitat for Humanity*

[Executive Director](#) - *Family Promise of Hawaii*

[Manager, Major Gifts](#) - *Aloha United Way*

[Apply for a job...](#)

individuals and organizations by nominating someone today. Nominations are now being accepted for the following nine award categories:

Outstanding Philanthropist

**Paulette Maehara Award for Outstanding
Community Leadership**

Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser

Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy

Outstanding Foundation

Outstanding Corporation

Outstanding Small Business

Outstanding Fundraising Professional

Outstanding Philanthropist (In Memoriam)

To nominate a deserving person, foundation or company, go to afphawaii.org for the online forms to download and complete. Closing date for nomination submittals is **Friday, June 16, 2017 by 11:59pm** via email to admin@afphawaii.org. All awards recipients are chosen by the AFP Aloha Chapter Awards Committee. The committee reviews each application received by the stated deadline that satisfies all criteria.

Any questions on the nomination process or on the forms, please call Cathy Alsup at 258-0110 or contact via email at cathy.alsup@cancer.org.

[Nominate Today](#)

PBS Tour for Aloha Chapter Members



AFP Changes Lives

Join AFP and become a part of the world's largest community of charitable fundraisers. With countless benefits and development opportunities, an AFP membership opens many doors for your career!

[Learn more...](#)

HANO Town Hall with Tim Delaney



HANO is presenting a conversation with Tim Delaney of the National Council of Nonprofits, to discuss the latest in federal budget changes and how the nonprofit sector and our partners will fare in this new paradigm.


Thursday, May 11, 2017
9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
(Registration at 8:30 a.m.)

Pomaika'i Ballroom
735 Iwilei Road

Registration:
\$15 HANO members
\$25 Non-members
Registration closes on 5/8

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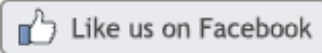
AFP Aloha Chapter, Professional Development Committee, offered a tour of PBS Hawai'i for members and their guests, given by President and CEO Leslie Wilcox on April 26th.
Mahalo, PBS Hawaii!

Our Diversity Committee is looking for diverse new members!



Did you know that the AFP Aloha Chapter has an official definition of diversity and inclusion in fundraising? It states that "diversity and inclusion will be achieved with a broad representation of its membership with regard to experiences, perspectives and cultures. In order to ensure that the best possible thinking, opportunities and solutions are considered in its management and its intention to create a respectful and welcoming environment that is open to all, this chapter will seek to include individuals and groups from Hawaii's diverse cultural, generational, religious and other identified groups."

For this reason, we are actively looking for fabulous fun-loving friendly faces to join our committee that represent the wonderful wide range of members we have in Hawaii. This committee touches base one time per month, in person or phone or email to work on and move forward six Strategic Plan Diversity Tactics and organize one event in the calendar year. If you are curious to learn more about the diversity committee or its work to promote diversity and inclusion in fundraising in Hawaii, please contact co-chairs Angie Mercado or Jennifer Dotson by email admin@afphawaii.org.



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We'd like to welcome and share Aloha to our newest Aloha Chapter members!

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