

Daniel K. Inouye Institute Fund established *James Campbell Company donates \$100,000*



Kapolei and its more than 100,000 residents owe an enormous debt of gratitude to the late U.S. Senator Daniel K. Inouye. His influence as Hawai'i's senior senator is seen in nearly every aspect of Kapolei's development, which parallels his more than 50 years of service in Washington D.C. for his beloved home state.

Over the decades, he has guided Kapolei's future with uncanny

foresight — from his vision of a vibrant commercial harbor to serve the region, to the network of highways and a rail transit system to connect the City of Kapolei to the rest of O'ahu, and the centers of government, business and higher education to serve the new city and its surrounding communities.

These are concrete testaments to his legacy. But there is an equally impressive one that can

only be described in the abstract — honor, integrity, bravery, compassion, and a deep-rooted sense of fairness. These qualities informed every aspect of his life and his many accomplishments, whether on the battlefield, in the halls of Congress, or here among his constituents — the people of Hawai'i.

The Daniel K. Inouye Institute Fund has been established by his family at the Hawai'i Community Foundation to honor this legacy. The Fund will raise monies "to provide future generations with an opportunity to learn about an American hero and statesman, and one of the greatest political leaders Hawai'i will ever know. The Institute will ensure an enduring tribute and legacy."

The Fund's goals are

- Preservation of Senator Inouye's congressional papers and the telling of his story by the University of Hawai'i, in collaboration with the Library of Congress.

- Support for Education — STEM / International Educational-Cultural Exchanges / Civics

- Support a Smithsonian presence, in concert with the Bishop Museum in Hawai'i, as a repository and interpreter of the Asian American/Pacific experience, as well as to share its work in astronomy, oceans and natural sciences.

"The senator was a giant of a man who touched our lives in more ways than we will ever fully appreciate," said Richard Dahl, president and CEO of the James Campbell Company. "Nowhere has this been more evident than in Kapolei. We will forever be indebted to him. That is why we have contributed \$100,000 to the Daniel K. Inouye Institute Fund so that future generations will learn how much we — and they — owe the Senator."

Of course, in his typical humble fashion, Dan Inouye only wanted to be remembered this way:

"I represented the people of Hawai'i and this nation honestly and to the best of my ability. I think I did okay."

Indeed, you did, Senator. Indeed, you did.

Please join us in carrying his legacy forward. Contributions are tax deductible and may be sent to the Daniel K. Inouye Institute Fund at the Hawai'i Community Foundation, 827 Fort Street Mall, Honolulu, HI 96813 or online at www.hawaiicommunityfoundation.org.

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Class of 2013 Graduates: *Many going to UH West O'ahu*

With the flurry and excitement of graduation subsiding, a good number of graduates from Campbell, Kapolei, Nānākuli, and Wai'anae high schools are already preparing for the next step in their lives — going to college.

Together, the four schools graduated more than 1,600 students. At last count, 95 of the college-bound graduates have enrolled for University of Hawai'i West O'ahu's fall semester.

But this number is expected to grow.

"We expect this number will increase, as the deadline for applications is August 1," said Julie Funasaki Yuen, UHWO's public information officer.

Yuen said that the new campus was built to address the need for higher education in the

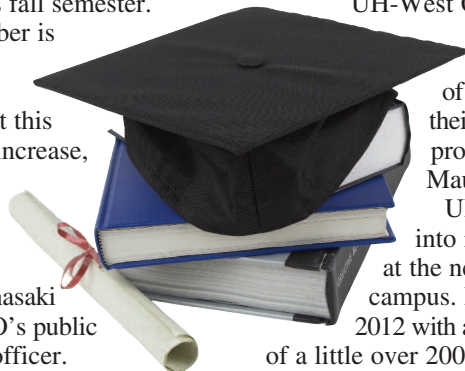
Leeward area and increase college-going rates for Leeward students. To this end, the university's admissions team actively targeted the four high schools.

One student, Wai'anae High School valedictorian Maybel Mauai, heeded the call and will attend UHWO to pursue a major in elementary education.

"Many teachers I know and trust have continuously recommended UH-West O'ahu and I

got to meet a number of people in their teaching program," Mauai said.

UHWO is going into its second year at the new Kapolei campus. It opened in 2012 with an enrollment of a little over 2000 students, and expects that number to grow to nearly 3,500 in 2016.



For more admissions information, go to www.westoahu.hawaii.edu/systemapp

Graduation statistics

School	No. of graduates	Valedictorians
James Campbell High School	648	17
Kapolei High School	465	12
Nānākuli High School	143	1
Wai'anae High School	366	2

Kudos to Wai'anae High School's Gates Millennium Scholars

Nationwide, 1000 Gates Millennium Scholarships were awarded to 2013 high school graduates. Ten of these went to Hawai'i graduates. But most impressive — two went to Wai'anae High School's Jaime-Lee Evangelista and Tashawna Wright. They will receive a good-through-graduation scholarship to use at any college or university of their choice. The scholarship program is funded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to support talented low-income students.