Wednesday, August 17, 2016

8:30a-9:00a  Daily Check-in
Kuykendall 101

9:00a-9:45a  The Honest Classroom: Fostering Your Students' Best
Geoffrey Mathews, Physics & Astronomy

10:00a-10:45a  Student Perspectives: Local Identity & Higher Education Learning Environments
Moderator: Bonnyjean Manini, Student Involvement & Leadership Development
Jessica Chen, Molecular Cellular Biology & Studio Art
David Enriquez, Political Science & Philosophy
Maggie Hinshaw, Marketing

10:45a-11:00a  Break

11:00a-11:45a  Gender Matters: Supporting our students affected by gender violence
Teresa Bill, Women’s Center
Cameron Miyamoto, LGBT Student Services Office

11:45a-1:00p  Lunch (on your own)

1:00p-2:00p  Our Genealogy & Place of Knowing: How understanding the history & culture of Hawai'i can improve your teaching at UH Mānoa
Antoinette Konia Freitas, Kamakakūokalani Center for Hawaiian Studies
Maya Saffery, Kawahuelani Center for Hawaiian Language

2:00p-2:15p  A hui hou!
Teresa Hodges, CTE

2:30p-3:45p  Library in a Flash: Important Information for Your First Semester
Vicky Lebbin, Public Services Division Head
David Brier, Head of Business, Humanities & Social Sciences Reference
Sara Rutter, Head of Science & Technology Reference

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Schedule of Events
Monday, August 15 – Wednesday, August 17
Kuykendall Hall
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NOTE: Sessions for International TAs (ITA) only
Co-sponsored by the English Language Institute

12:30p-1:00p  ITA—Check-in
Kuykendall 106
Events Room

1:00p-2:15p  Greeting
Kathie Kane, Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)

Welcome
Julio Rodriguez, Center for Language & Technology

ITA—Juggling Manapua:
How to balance study, work & life in Hawai‘i
Kenton Harsch, English Language Institute

2:15p-2:30p  Break

2:30p-3:30p  ITA—Mixed Plate: Experienced International TAs
give advice & answer questions
Moderator: Kenton Harsch, English Language Institute
Jose Castillo Flores, Spanish
Irmak Yazici, Political Science
Orn Patharakorn, Second Language Studies

Tuesday, August 16, 2016

8:30a-9:00a  Daily Check-in
Kuykendall 101

9:00a-10:15a  Welcome
Teresa Hodges, CTE

On Becoming a TA: An Experienced TA Panel
Moderator: Teresa Hodges, CTE & Educational Foundations
Presley Keʻalaaluhea Ah Mook Sang, Hawaiian Language
Hannah Liebreich, Sociology
Amit Singh, Human Nutrition, Food & Animal Science
Kristina Togafau, English
Nyle Sky Kauveloa, Communications

10:15a-10:30a  Break

Tuesday Continued

10:30a-11:15a  Concurrent Sessions I: On Teaching
Kuykendall 209
Teaching Your Own Class: Advice on syllabus design,
pedagogy, selecting texts, & constructing lectures
Angela Haeusler, Second Language Studies

Kuykendall 101
Teaching a Science Lab
Raphael Ritson-Williams, Biology

Kuykendall 210
Teaching a Discussion Lab
Penny-Be Bovard, Women's Studies

Kuykendall 106
Events Room
Assisting a Professor:
Perspectives from a professor & TA team
Helen Baroni, Religion
Amanda Candens, Religion

Kuykendall 301
Teaching a Language Class
Marta Gonzalez-Lloret, Spanish

11:30a-12:30p  Meet & greet with light refreshment & pupus provided by
the Graduate Student Organization (GSO)
Kuykendall 101
Pavilion
Come learn about how to apply for GSO funding as well as advocacy
efforts for graduate students.

12:30p-1:30p  Great Expectations: How to create a welcoming
classroom environment for all students
Megan Conway, Center for Disability Studies
Ann Ito, KOKUA Program
Kenith Scott, Student Veteran Advisor, School of Nursing
Ryan Yamada, AmeriCorps VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America), &
Veteran Liaison, Office of Veteran Student Services

1:30p-1:45p  Transit

1:45p-2:30p  Concurrent Sessions II: On Teaching
Kuykendall 101
The First Weeks of Class: How to establish a successful semester in the first weeks
Elisabeth Steele Hutchison, Law School

IT Center
Training Room
Learning to Use Laulima to Supplement Your Classes
(Pre-registered seated first)
Matt Parcon@ITS, Digital Media Center

Kuykendall 209
Exploring Different Approaches to Grading
Michael Nassir, Physics & Astronomy

Kuykendall 106
Events Room
Non-verbal Communication in the Classroom
Justice Quick, Communicology

2:45p-3:30p  Case Studies in the Classroom: Rights & Responsibilities
Megan Kaptik, Office of Judicial Affairs
Dee Uwono, Title IX Office