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Teaching Assistant Training

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Schedule of Events

**Tuesday, January 3 – Thursday, January 5
Kuykendall Hall**

Tues, Jan

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**NOTE: Sessions for International TAs (ITA) only
Co-sponsored by the English Language Institute**

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

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

Welcome
Hui-Ya Chuang, Center for Language and Technology

**ITA—Juggling Manapua: How to Balance
Study, Work and Life in Hawai'i**
Priscilla Faucette, English Language Institute

2:15 p–2:30 p **Break**

2:30 p–3:00 p **ITA—Mixed Plate: Experienced International
TAs Give Advice and Answer Questions**
Moderator: Priscilla Faucette, English Language Institute
Silvia Beurmann, Microbiology
Riddhi Shah, Political Science

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9:00 a–9:30 a **TA Check In** **Kuykendall 106
Events Room**

9:30 a–10:30 a **Welcome**
Candi Steiner, CTE and Music

TA Panel: On Becoming a TA
Moderator: Candi Steiner, CTE and Music
Ashiyan Rahmani-Shirazi, Communications
Ke'alaanuhea Presley Ah Mook Sang, Hawaiian Language
Amit Singh, Human Nutrition, Food and Animal Science
Pavica Srsen, Oceanography
Kristina Togafau, English

10:30 a–10:45 a **Break**

10:45 a–11:30 a **Concurrent Sessions I: On Teaching**

Assisting a Professor **Kuykendall 106
Events Room**
Miguel Felipe, Music

Teaching Your Own Class **Kuykendall 303**
Angela Haeusler, Second Language Studies

Teaching a Discussion Lab **Kuykendall 304**
Penny-Bee Bovard, Women's Studies and Sociology

Teaching a Language Class **Kuykendall 305**
Reed Riggs, East Asian Languages and Literatures

Teaching a Science Lab **Kuykendall 306**
Raphael Ritson-Williams, Biology

11:30 a–12:30 p **Lunch on Your Own**

12:30 p–1:15 p **Great Expectations:
How to Create a Welcoming
Environment for All Students** **Kuykendall 106
Events Room**

Ann Ito, KOKUA
Nadine Shigezawa, Veterans in Transition to Academic
Leadership (VITAL)

1:15 p–1:30 p **Break**

1:30 p–2:15 p **Case Studies in the Classroom:
Rights & Responsibilities**
Leslie Mitchell, Office of Judicial Affairs
Stephantie Lee, Title IX Office

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9:00 a–9:30 a **TA Check In** **Kuykendall 106
Events Room**

9:30 a–10:15 a **The First Weeks of Class: How to Establish a
Successful Semester in the First Weeks**
Elisabeth Steele Hutchison, Law School

10:30 a–11:15 a **Concurrent Sessions II: On Teaching**

**Learning to Use LauLima
to Supplement your Classes** **IT Center
Training Room**
Matt Parcon, ITS Digital Media Center

**Exploring Different
Approaches to Grading** **Kuykendall 106
Events Room**
Anna Mendoza, Second Language Studies

**Non-verbal Communication
in the Classroom** **Kuykendall 303**
Justice Quick, Communicology

11:15 a–12:30 p **Lunch on Your Own**

12:30 p–1:15 p **Gender Matters: Supporting
Our Students Affected by
Gender Violence** **Kuykendall 101**
Teresa Bill, Women's Center

1:15 p–2:00 p **Our Genealogy and Place of Knowing:
How Understanding the History and
Culture of Hawai'i Can Improve Your
Teaching at UH Mānoa**
Antoinette Konia Freitas, Kamakakūokalani Center for
Hawaiian Studies
Maya Saffery, Kawaihuelani Center for Hawaiian Language

2:00 p–2:15 p **A Hui Hou**
Candi Steiner, CTE and Music

2:15 p–2:30 p **Transit**

2:30 p–3:45 p **Library in a Flash:
Important Information
for Your First Semester** **Hamilton Lib.
Room 306**
Vickery (Vicky) Lebbin, Public Services Division Head