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NEWSLETTER

SHA CONFERENCE 2000 REPORT

The thirteenth annual Society for Hawaiian Archaeology (SHA) conference was held from October 6-8 at Kilauea Military Camp in Volcano National Park. Approximately one-hundred people registered, and the event included papers by individuals associated with university research (7), museum research (5), private consulting (6), federal agencies (4), state agencies (1), and avocational research (2).

Group tours included a hike along the Old Government Road in Puna, led by Dr. Barbara Lass; a tour of the "footprints" area in Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park, led by Dr.

Jadelyn Moniz-Nakamura; and a tour of the archaeological collections at UH Hilo, led by Dr. Peter Mills.

Sir Yosihiko Sinoto, D. Sc., gave the keynote address, entitled "Huahine Island: Its Position in the Prehistory of the Society Islands"; and sessions included collections issues, general prehistory, public archaeology, historical archaeology, archaeology of Kaho'olawe, and current adze research.

Thanks to all the organizers, participants, and attendees for the interesting and refreshing weekend.

SHA CONFERENCE 2001 LOOKS LIKE MAUI

Following the Saturday sessions at the SHA conference, a general discussion was held during the board meeting, in which tentative plans were made to hold next year's conference on Maui.

Organizers are being sought! If you

are a SHA member with a special interest in Maui, and you might be able to contribute to the organization of the conference, please contact SHA president Rob Hommon (rob_hommon@nps.gov). Many hands make light work!

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Calendar of Events:

- Nov 15-19, 2000 **AAA Conference**, San Francisco, CA (www.ameranthassn.org/mtgs/mtgs.htm)
- Feb 5-9, 2001 **Australasian Archaeometry Conference** (car.ant.auckland.ac.nz/archconf)
- Apr 18-22, 2001 **SAA Conference**, New Orleans (www.saa.org/Meetings/)

THE NEWSLETTER IS BACK IN HILO

Also as of the board meeting at the SHA 2001 conference, Dr. Peter Mills, assistant professor at UH Hilo, has unofficially agreed to take over as editor of the SHA newsletter, and Laura Carter Schuster at Hawaii Volcanoes National Park has offered to assist. Thanks go to Leslie Hartzell for the wonderful job she has done on the newsletter in years past. We can only hope to live up to her standard.

The white paper that this newsletter is printed on is part of the transition process. Hilo lacks a Kinokos (the traditional printing source of this newsletter), and we are in the process of searching for better quality paper.

In terms of content, as we're now on the Big Island, you may be reading a lot more than you want to about UH Hilo, Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park, the Lyman Museum, Kaloko-Honokohau, etc... *unless* we get news from the big city (Honolulu) or elsewhere in our readership.

Please feel free to send any tidbits of news to :

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New Courses from the National Preservation Institute

Three seminars in historic preservation are being offered this spring at UH Manoa and the Bishop Museum.

Course 1— "Historic Structures Reports: A Management Tool for Historic Properties." Starts February 23, 2001 at the Bishop Museum, and is sponsored by the Anthropology Department.

Course 2—NEW! "An Introduction to Historic Building Materials." Starts February 26, 2001 at UH-Manoa, and is sponsored by the Historic Pres-

ervation Program.

Course 3— NEW! "Long-term Preservation and Cyclical Maintenance of Historic Buildings." Starts February 27, 2001 at UH-Manoa, and is sponsored by the Historic Preservation Program.

All three courses will be taught by Alfonso A. Narvaez.

For more information see <http://www.npi.org> phone (703)-765-0100, or email info@npi.org

Christmas is Coming! *SHA t-shirts are OUTSTANDING this year!!*

2000 shirts are dark blue with a canoe/person/sun petroglyph on the back, and blue and yellow text. \$15.00 each, or \$12.50 each for 2 or more.

1999 SHA t-shirts are also still available. \$13.00 each, or \$12.50 each for 2 or more.

Specify S, M, L, XL or XXL (new!) and add \$3.00 shipping per order.

SHA refrigerator magnets are also available for your stocking-stuffer needs. \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00.

Make checks payable to SOCIETY FOR HAWAIIAN ARCHAEOLOGY and mail to: Society for Hawaiian Archaeology, P.O. Box 23292, Honolulu, HI 96823

Website Resources

For those of you looking for interesting, free, digital libraries, you may want to check out the University of Michigan's "Making of America" web page at <http://moa.umdl.umich.edu>. This digital library contains 4,058 volumes published between 1800 and 1925, some of which are relatively inaccessible texts on the Pacific (e.g. Gold Rush era magazines published out of San Francisco). The web site has a number of different search options, and displays the original texts, complete with any artwork. For example, a search for the words "sandwich" and "islands" on the same page turns up 640 separate works. Be forewarned, however, that the information comes up pretty slowly, and you can only download one page of text at a time.

November Speakers' Series

A. Van Horn Diamond, Chair of the Oahu Island Burial Council, and **Keith Siu**, of Records and Information Management, State of Hawai'i, will give a presentation entitled "**Lobbying at the Leg: A Guide to the Legislative Process**"

When: Wednesday, November 8, 2000 at 7:30 pm

Where: Social Sciences Building, Room 345
UH Manoa Campus, Honolulu, Hawai'i

For more information contact: Sara L. Collins
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Coming up... NAGPRA'S EVOLVING LEGACY, University of Nevada

The Heritage Resources Management Program of the U. of Nevada will be Presenting "NAGPRA's Evolving Legacy" in Honolulu, Hawai'i, December 7-9, 2000.

This course is designed to help those affected by the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act to comply with its ongoing obligations in a timely and meaningful manner. Legislative history and regulation, consultation requirements, committee recommendations, case law and grants are reviewed. For more information contact: Crystal Metzenheim, University of Nevada, Reno,

(800) 233-8928 or crys-talm@unr.edu; or visit <http://www.dce.unr.edu/hrm/>

Course Fee: \$525

Instructors: The Honorable Shery Hutt, judge with the Maricopa County Superior Court in Phoenix, AZ

and C. Timothy McKeown, Ph.D. with the Archaeology and Ethnography Program of the USNPS.

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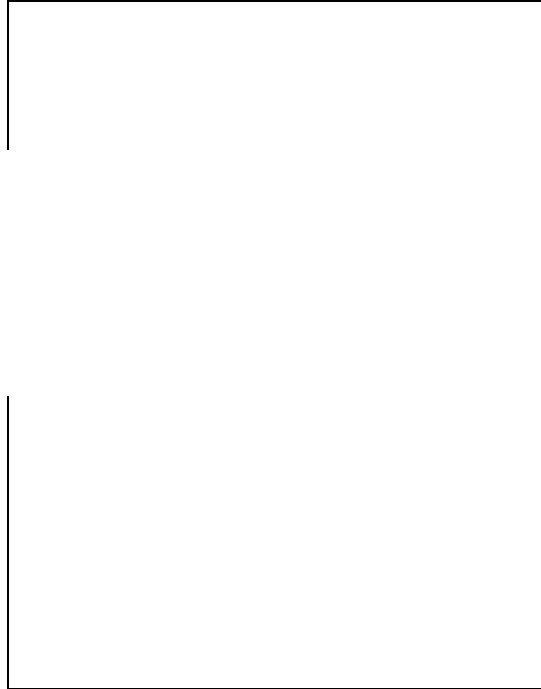
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*Please note: the next SHA Board meeting is
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