

Art in Public Places Community Forum at the State Capitol

The Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture & the Arts commissioners will hold a community forum to have a conversation about the Art in Public Places program on Friday, March 5, at 3:45pm in State Capitol Room 224. There have been many

questions from the arts community about APP history, and current and future uses of this resource for all the arts in Hawai'i. This will be a special opportunity to learn more and to participate in the future of arts and culture in Hawai'i.

You're invited to a First Friday Event at the State Capitol!

Senator Brian Taniguchi, together with Senate President Colleen Hanabusa and Speaker of the House of Representatives Calvin Say, are inviting the public to view art in the Legislative Offices at the Hawai'i State Capitol. As a gathering place for the people of Hawai'i, the Capitol serves as one of the showcases for the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts

Art in Public Places Collection- the people's art. The Capitol provides a prominent and symbolic venue to display the state's art collection increasing access to the arts, and supporting and promoting local artists. Several featured artists at the Capitol will be on hand to meet and greet visitors. This event will take place on Friday, March 5, 2010 from 5:00pm – 7:00pm.



Enlightenment, oil painting, 1965, by Isami Doi, located in Rm. 409, Senator Colleen Hanabusa



Navigator, bamboo, epoxy, ebony wood sculpture, 2008, by Robert W. Butts, located in Rm. 408, Senator Colleen Hanabusa

MARCH FREE EVENTS AT HISAM

The public is invited to these free events for March 2010 to be held at the Hawai'i State Art Museum in the No. 1 Capitol District Building at 250 South Hotel Street in downtown Honolulu. See feature stories and photos of these events in this e-newsletter. For info, call 586-0305 or visit www.hawaii.gov/sfca.

Live from the Lawn Hot Latin!

**First Friday, March 5, 2010
6-9 p.m.**

Event showcases the best in Latin music and dance and features Roland Sanchez Hawai'i Salsa Band, Aloha Brasil, Capoeira Besouro, Iluminada, George Garcia and students of Isla Tango, and Spanish guitarist Jason Nomura.

**Second Saturday
Hawai'i Handweaver's Hui
Saturday, March 13, 2010
11 a.m.-3 p.m.**

Event features members of the Hawai'i Handweaver's Hui and Liz Train.

**Art Lunch
Moana Eisele
Decorating Hawaiian Kapa Using
'Ohe Kapala and Natural Dyes
Tuesday, March 30, 2010
12-1 p.m.**

Moana Eisele will share her knowledge of kapa and demonstrate her decorating techniques.

Live from the Lawn – Hot Latin!

First Friday, March 5, 2010, 6-9 p.m., Hawai'i State Art Museum; Free

On First Friday, March 5, 2010 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm, the Friends of the Hawai'i State Art Museum (HiSAM) and the Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts presents "Hot Latin!" a showcase of the best in Latin music and dance. The event features two stages of live music, on the front lawn and the second floor lanai, and is FREE to the public. Food and drinks will be available for sale on both the lawn and courtyard lanai.

Hot Latin! will feature Rolando Sanchez Hawai'i Salsa Band, Samba music from Aloha Brasil, Capoeira Martial Arts demonstration from Capoeira Besouro, Iluminada (Latin Jazz), Tango dance performances by George Garcia and his students of Isla Tango, and Spanish Guitarist Jason Nomura.

Iluminada will play Latin Jazz

standards, and is comprised of premiere musicians Reggie Padilla on tenor saxophone, Deshannon Higa on Trumpet, Chris Roth on Bass, Josh Kaye on Piano, and Chuck James on Drums.

Capoeira is a Brazilian art form with West African roots that is a combination of martial arts movements, dance, gymnastics, music, strategy and rhythmic music. Capoeira employs musical instruments such as the atabaque (drum), pandeiro (tambourine) and a bowed instrument called the berimbau. *Capoeira Besouro Hawai'i* is under the direction and supervision of Mestre Kinha. Mestre Kinha also performs infectious Samba music on the lawn with his group, *Aloha Brasil*.

Jason Nomura is a musician currently pursuing a B.Ed. in Secondary/General Music Education at UH-Manoa. As a

classical musician, Jason has excelled in his presence at UH earning himself an honor recital and a couple scholarships. Jason graduated from Kadena High School, which is on the USAF Kadena Air Base in Okinawa, Japan.

Isla Tango is the premiere source of Argentine Tango in Hawai'i, and was recognized as the "Best of Honolulu" for Argentine Tango in the March 2009 edition of the Honolulu Magazine (page 94). *Isla Tango* was founded in 1997 by George Garcia and is now a solid tango community in the middle of the Pacific.

Rolando Sanchez Percussionist-Singer-Songwriter-Producer, leader of Hawai'i's Premiere, longest running, best selling Latin recording group from Hawai'i. *Rolando Sanchez and Salsa Hawai'i Band* is exhilarating, stimulating, energizing and intensifying!



Capoeira Besouro



Jason Nomura



Rolando Sanchez & Salsa Hawai'i Band



Aloha Brasil (samba band)



Tango!

Second Saturday – Hawai'i Handweaver's Hui

March 13, 2010, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., Hawai'i State Art Museum; Free

Spend some quality Saturday time at HiSAM with the Hawai'i Handweaver's Hui! These talented weavers, spinners, dyers, fiber artists, and educators will share the joy and passion of the fiber arts with museum visitors. Learn to weave and see Advanced Teaching Partner Liz Train demonstrate felting with a sewing machine!

This free event is presented by the Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts and the Friends of the Hawai'i State Art Museum. While you are at HiSAM, enjoy the beautiful art in our galleries. You and your keiki will love seeing the *47th Annual Hawai'i Regional Scholastic Art Awards 2010*. If you are hungry, enjoy a delicious meal at Downtown @ the HiSAM, the restaurant located on the first floor of the museum.



Weaving is fun to learn

Art Lunch Lecture

Moana Eisele – Decorating Hawaiian Kapa Using 'Ohe Kapala & Natural Dyes
Tuesday, March 30, 2010, 12-1 p.m., Hawai'i State Art Museum, Free

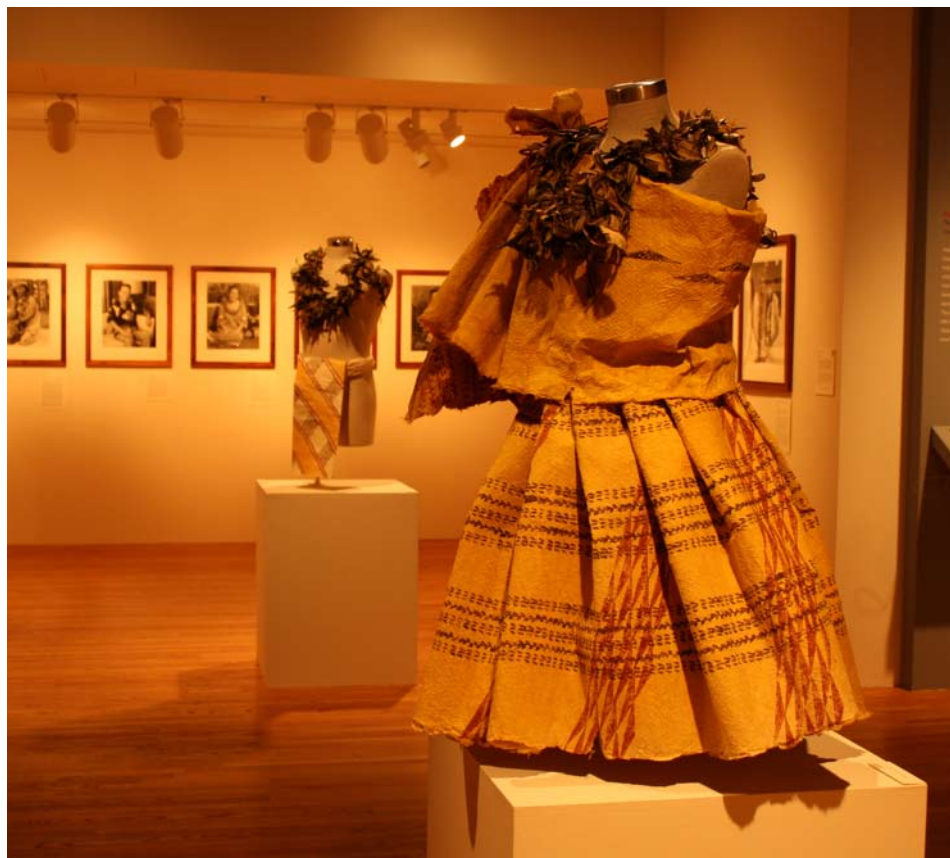
Moana Eisele will share her knowledge of kapa and demonstrate her decorating techniques. She learned to make kapa from Dennis Kana'e Keawe through a grant from the Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts and has twice served as a Master in the SFCA Folk Arts Apprenticeship Program. Through that program she has trained two apprentices in all aspects of Hawaiian kapa making.



Moana Eisele

Her work and the work of one of her apprentices, Kaiulani de Silva, can be seen in "Ho'oulu: The Inspiration of Hula", now on view in the galleries of the Hawai'i State Art Museum.

Her kapa and kapa designs can also be seen outside of the Tapa Room at the Hilton Hawaiian village and many other resort venues in Hawai'i. She is active as a lecturer in schools throughout Hawai'i.



Kapa by Moana Eisele

ARTS FIRST Summer Institutes 2010

Oahu Registration Deadline is 5/1/2010; Neighbor Island Deadline 4/1/2010

The ARTS FIRST Summer Institutes 2010 will be held in June on Oahu and Maui. Registration is only open to classroom teachers, who must pre-register to attend the workshops. Teachers may attend either or both institutes. DOE Professional Development Credits are available for both.

The Oahu Summer Institute will be held at Keoneula Elementary School at 91-970 Kaileolea Dr., Ewa Beach, on June 1-4, 2010 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. This workshop is for K-5 teachers. The deadline for Oahu registrants is May

1st. The deadline for Neighbor Island registrants is April 9th. For more information click on [Oahu Summer Institute 2010 Brochure and Registration Form](#) or call 533-2787.

The Maui Summer Institute will be held at the Maui Arts & Cultural Center in Kahului on June 21-24, 2010 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This workshop is for Gr. 1-8 teachers. The registration deadline is May 1st. For more information, click on [Maui Summer Institute 2010 Brochure and Registration Form](#) or call (808) 243-4282 or email kariana@mauiarts.org.

Poetry Out Loud Competition

Sarah Welch, a home-schooled student participating on behalf of Radford High School, repeated as the winner of the Poetry Out Loud - Hawai'i competition held at Tenney Theatre on Sunday, February 28, 2010. Carina Young, of Homeschooled Youth and Parents, was the runnerup. Sarah will represent Hawai'i at the national competition to be held in Washington, D.C. on April 26-27, 2010. The Honolulu Theatre for Youth served as project partner for the fifth consecutive year. Andi Mathis, National Endowment for the Arts State and Regional Specialist, attended the competition and was impressed with the diversity and quality of the students' recitations.



Ron Yamakawa, Carin Young, Sarah Welch, Louise Lanzilotti and Andi Mathis



Hawai'i STATE ART MUSEUM, COME SEE, IT'S YOUR ART!

Visit the Hawai'i State Art Museum in the No. 1 Capitol District Building at 250 South Hotel Street in Honolulu. Free Admission. Tuesday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For info, call 586-0900, or visit our website, www.hawaii.gov/sfca and click on Hawai'i State Art Museum.