46TH ANNUAL PRESERVATION HONOR AWARDS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 2020
LIVESTREAM EVENT
Aloha kākou,

As the current public health crisis from COVID-19 unfolds, all of us are working to ensure the health and safety of our communities. To do our part to slow the spread of the novel coronavirus, Historic Hawai‘i Foundation cancelled or postponed public programs and in-person gatherings and reimagined the Preservation Honor Awards ceremony.

What started as an emergency measure to prevent the spread of illness has transitioned into new opportunities for a different kind of community engagement. We are excited by the benefits made possible by virtual gatherings, especially the ability to include new audiences and participants from a distance. Throughout the planning for the virtual celebration of the Awards, we were impressed by the creativity and enthusiasm for new ways to tell these stories of places saved and people engaged in heritage efforts.

The work of the honorees and the broader preservation community will ripple outward for generations, providing value to many future generations. These efforts provide places of recovery and resilience, healing and connection. Touchstones of place, connection, heritage and beauty will help people rebuild beyond these difficult times. We find inspiration from places that endure and from examples from the past of triumph over adversity.

We are appreciative of the many people represented through these preservation awards. Collectively, the Awards highlight the strength of the preservation movement in the Hawaiian Islands.

We thank and congratulate all of the honorees.

With aloha,

Kiersten Faulkner
Executive Director
ABOUT HISTORIC HAWAI'I FOUNDATION

Over 45 years ago, Historic Hawai‘i Foundation’s founders committed to an idea: that people working together can preserve, protect and celebrate historic places that tell the many stories of Hawai‘i. Today, utilizing strategic advocacy, education, assistance and partnership programs, Historic Hawai‘i Foundation protects places of history and culture that are essential to the quality of life in the Hawaiian Islands.

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ABOUT THE PRESERVATION HONOR AWARDS

Historic Hawai‘i Foundation’s Historic Preservation Honor Awards are Hawai‘i’s highest recognition of projects, organizations, or individuals active in preservation, rehabilitation, restoration, or interpretation of the State’s archaeological, architectural, and cultural heritage. The Preservation Honor Awards are designed to recognize achievements in interpreting, preserving or restoring Hawai‘i’s historic and cultural resources.

Award honorees are selected by a committee of professionals in architecture, history, planning, landscape design, architectural history and engineering. Each nomination is considered on its own merit and not in competition with others.

HONORS CATEGORIES

ACHIEVEMENT IN INTERPRETIVE MEDIA honors publically-available printed publication or visual presentation that interprets the history, preservation or physical characteristics of a historic property.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT recognizes a leader in the preservation field who has made achievements in preserving places significant to the history of Hawaii. Either site-specific or broad-based efforts may be identified.

ACHIEVEMENT IN NEW CONSTRUCTION distinguishes new infill in a historic district or additions to a historic property that protect and enhance the character of the historic resource.

PROGRAMMATIC AWARD honors an organization or government agency that engages in advocacy, education, programs or other activity supporting preservation efforts, either for a specific historic property or through a broad-based program.

PROJECT AWARD recognizes a specific project that preserved, rehabilitated or restored a historic property.

ANNIVERSARY RECOGNITIONS celebrate the rich history of kamaʻaina companies, organizations and institutions that are an important and integral part of the singular culture of the Hawaiian Islands.

THE FRANK HAINES AWARD, established in 2009 and named for master architect Frank Haines, FAIA, is presented to individuals who have demonstrated sustained and outstanding achievements in the areas of preserving the significant historic and cultural places of Hawai‘i.
ACHIEVEMENT IN INTERPRETIVE MEDIA

Ford Island Interpretive Trail
Ford Island, O‘ahu

The purpose of the trail is to educate and communicate an appreciation for both Hawaiian and military history, and the importance of protecting cultural resources while providing an amenity for the island residents, employees and visitors. 30 interpretive panels with photos and text are placed along a new walking and running trail that encircles the island. Some of the panels provide information about the area’s geology and pre-contact Hawaiian history, and others are dedicated to the island’s Navy history, defense development, and role in World War II.

- Mason Architects, Inc.
- Commanders, Navy Region Hawai‘i
- Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command

Francis Haar: Disappearing Honolulu Exhibit
A‘ala & Chinatown, O‘ahu

The exhibit documents the once vibrant Japanese community of A‘ala plus parts of Chinatown that were ultimately demolished in the 1960s to make way for urban renewal. Francis Haar taught photography at UH Mānoa between 1965 and 1985. The exhibit was installed at the John Young Museum of Art in the fall of 2019 and consisted of original black-and-white photographs by Haar and the film, ‘A‘ala – Life and Death of a Community.’

- Gaye Chan
- Tom Haar
- Don Hibbard
- Ian Lind
- Maika Pollack
- Malia Van Heukelem
- Minatoishi Architects

Rearview Mirror newspaper column by Bob Sigall
Honolulu Star Advertiser

With Bob Sigall’s weekly Rearview Mirror newspaper column for the Honolulu Star-Advertiser, readers receive detailed Hawai‘i history lessons. Sigall’s easy conversational writing style gently encourages readers to consider how Hawai‘i has changed over the years and helps bring awareness to the sometimes-neglected architectural and historic public and private buildings, areas, Hawai‘i-kine activities and hang-outs.

- Bob Sigall
- Honolulu Star Advertiser
Voices Behind Barbed Wire: Stories of Hawai‘i documentary

Statewide

The film explores the personal accounts of the World War II internment of Hawai‘i’s Japanese Americans from their initial arrest and internment in places like Kīlauea Military Camp (Hawai‘i Island), Sand Island and Honouliuli (O‘ahu). Information is included on all 17 of Hawai‘i’s known sites and is supplemented with updates on the grassroots efforts that led to Honouliuli being named a National Historic Site, under the management of the National Park Service.

- Japanese Cultural Center of Hawai‘i
- Ryan Kawamoto, Kinetic Productions
- Honouliuli National Historic Site
- Kīlauea Military Camp
- Nisei Veterans Memorial Center
- Sand Island Treatment Facility

Wailua - Ke Awāwa o Nā Ali‘i video

Wailua, Kaua‘i

This stunning documentary presents the cultural importance of Wailuanuiaho‘ano, the great sacred Wailua, located on the East side of Kaua‘i, along the Wailua River. Captured are the royal lineage, mo‘olelo and histories of people who lived there. The video was commissioned by the Hawai‘i Department of Transportation.

- Palikū Documentary Films
- Kehau Kekua
- Freckles Smith
- Beverly Muraoka
- Hawai‘i Department of Transportation

Hunt is proud to support HISTORIC HAWAI‘I FOUNDATION and their mission to preserve, promote respect for, and keep alive the inherent beauty of the state’s historic buildings, structures, objects, sites, and districts.

We congratulate the recipients of the 2020 Preservation Honor Awards.
Kaʻāina Shayne Hull, Director, Department of Planning  
County of Kauaʻi

Over the past six years as Deputy Planning Director and now as the Planning Director, Hull’s commitment to preserve, honor, and commemorate architecture, artifacts and historic sites have shifted Kauaʻi’s conversation on historic preservation from merely an advisory role to a necessary part of the land use permitting processes. Hull’s advocacy has helped save the historic County Hanapēpē Bridge and the Līhuʻe Post Office building.

- Kaʻāina Shayne Hull
- County of Kauaʻi

Sharon Hayden, Volunteer, King Kamehameha I Statue  
North Kohala, Hawaiʻi Island

Hayden has been a Kohala community volunteer for many years, and is recognized especially for her role for over 20 years as leading the preservation of the original statue of King Kamehameha I. Hayden organized the maintenance team for the care of this sculpture and has arranged for the assistance of multiple community volunteers that she has guided and trained. She sought out an art conservator to create and update a detailed manual that is a record of the condition and treatments of the statue.

- Sharon Hayden
- North Kohala Resource Center (NKRC)
- RLA Conservation Inc.
The Board of Trustees of Hawaiian Mission Houses congratulates

Trustee Peter T. Young

on his

Individual Achievement Award.

Thank you for your time, energy, and foresight in planning Bicentennial Commemoration events!
Maile Melrose, Historian and Author, Amy B.H. Greenwell Ethnobotanical Garden and Kona Historical Society

Hawai‘i Island

Melrose has been one of Kona’s most dedicated advocates as an author, historian, and President of the Amy Greenwell Ethnobotanical Garden. She has dedicated her life and work to the preservation of Kona’s history, the appreciation of the historic places and monuments throughout the North and South Kona districts, and the stories of Kona’s people, places and plants. Melrose has contributed to local history with her online publication, Maile’s Meanderings, on the Kona Historical Society website, and by guiding tours that are immersive journeys into Kona’s history.

Nanette Napoleon, Cemetery Historian and Author

O‘ahu and Moloka‘i

Since the mid-1980s, Napoleon has led the effort to document, preserve, restore, educate, and advocate for Hawai‘i’s historic burial grounds on O‘ahu, Maui, Moloka‘i, and Lāna‘i. Learning by study and practice, she has taught concerned communities appropriate means to conserve markers and burial sites and the information they contain. She consistently shares what she has learned through books, newspaper and magazine articles, television news and public interest appearances, walking tours, and one-on-one advice.

Peter T. Young, Historian and Planner

Statewide

Young has demonstrated unwavering commitment to the preservation of Hawai‘i’s culture and history, through both public and private service. He served as the Deputy Managing Director of Hawai‘i County, Chairman of the Hawai‘i Board of Land and Natural Resources, and as Hawai‘i’s State Historic Preservation Officer. Since 2007 he has operated Ho‘okuleana LLC, a planning and consulting firm offering land use planning and environmental reviews. For years, Young has been posting historical summaries calling attention to people, places and events in Hawai‘i’s past.
**Diamond Head State Monument Rockfall Mitigation**

**Diamond Head, O‘ahu**

This project was to address the safety hazards from rock falls occurring along the unstable slopes of the historic visitor trail to the summit of Diamond Head Crater, while preserving the appearance of the trail. The visitor trail was constructed in 1908 by the US Army as part of Fort Ruger and is the only public pedestrian route that accesses the summit. The careful rehabilitation of the rock surfaces is an example of how a natural historic feature can be treated to prolong its life and use for public enjoyment.

- Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) Engineering Division
- Prometheus Construction
- AECOM Technical Services Inc.
- DLNR Division of State Parks

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**Lua Kupapaʻu O Nohili Crypt at U.S. Navy Pacific Missile Range Facility**

**Barking Sands, Kauaʻi**

The coastline's cultural district has experienced erosion to the dune areas, exposing 'iwi kūpuna (human remains). The Lua Kupapaʻu O Nohili crypt was constructed to preserve, protect, and appropriately handle and honor 'iwi kūpuna. The process involved a dedicated and conscientious effort by lineal and cultural descendants of the ancestors and a collaborative approach with Navy officials. Each year on the Summer Solstice, which signifies the opening of the spiritual portal, the crypt is opened. Na ‘Ohana Papa O Manā takes part in an intimate ceremony to place the recently discovered 'iwi kūpuna with the previously interred remains.

- NaʻOhana Papa O Manā
- NAVFAC Hawai‘i, US Navy
- NAVFAC Pacific, US Navy
- Pacific Missile Range Facility, US Navy

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**CONGRATULATIONS TO NANETTE NAPOLEON**

for receiving the well-deserved Individual Achievement Award

[Images of Oahu Cemetery & Crematory and Oahu Mortuary Mortuary and Cemetery Services]

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Burbank Street Neighborhood
Liliha, O‘ahu

The group consists of five homeowners who made a joint commitment to preserve their neighborhood’s sense of place by nominating their five residences to the Hawai‘i Register of Historic Places. The residents supported and encouraged one another to achieve their common goal. They met frequently to discuss their progress in researching their homes and arranging interviews needed to prepare each Register nomination. The united effort brought the neighbors even closer together and strengthened Burbank Street’s sense of place.

- Corinne Ching and Stuart Lerner
- Debbie and Sinclair Brown
- Florence and Leslie Pu‘u
- Minatoishi Architects
- Robert Rietow

Hale Pili Construction and Training Program, Hawaiian Mission Houses Historic Site and Archives
Honolulu, O‘ahu

The goal of the project is to build a reproduction of a hale that Governor Boki built for the new missionaries arriving as the Second Company in 1823. The new hale closely follows the descriptions by missionaries that are found in HMH’s archival collection. Under the mentorship of Kumu Earl Kawa’a and Kumu Dwight Kauahikaua, students from Roosevelt High School and Kinai ‘Eha, a non-profit, vocational training program, learned to construct the hale using Hawaiian culture, contextual Hawaiian language learning, and traditional hale construction methods.

- Hawaiian Mission Houses Site and Archives
- Kinai ‘Eha
- Dwight Kauahikaua
- Earl Kawa’a

Ho‘opai Archaeology Apprenticeship
Mākena, Maui

This program allows five hand-selected apprentices to experience and learn basic archaeological survey skills, and Hawaiian cultural knowledge of place through historical teachings and traditional mo‘olelo. Apprentices learn both manual and digital survey skills using instruments from a compass and paper, to a GPS and total station. Property owner Mākena Golf and Beach Club sponsors the program as it demonstrates commitment to the community and its natural and cultural resources.

- ‘Āina Archaeology
- Mākena Golf & Beach Club
My Name is ‘Ōpūkaha‘ia with Moses Goods
Statewide and Continental United States

This one-man play portrays the story of Henry ʻŌpūkahaia, the Native Hawaiian who travelled to New England and inspired the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions to send Protestant missionaries to the Hawaiian Kingdom. This Award recognizes the primary source research and the writing and staging of an original, emotionally-powerful play that brings to life the story of a Hawaiian man who is a fundamental part of Hawai‘i’s history.

- Moses Goods
- Pō‘ai Lincoln
- Hawaiian Mission Houses Site and Archives
Mural Wall at the Nisei Veterans Memorial Center
Kahului, Maui

Local artist Kirk Kurokawa created this larger-than-life mural on a bare concrete wall using ordinary house paint. He started with photos of the soldiers and reproduced them as the black-and-white originals, creating subtle yet powerful imagery. The mural is an educational resource reminding the public of a significant event in Hawai‘i’s history and how it impacted the Maui community. It is a reminder of what these men stood for and the sacrifices that are made as a result of war.

- Kirk Kurokawa
- Nisei Veterans Memorial Center
Ala Moana Pumping Station Screen House and Pump Station Rehabilitation

Kakaʻako, Oʻahu

The project consists of the preservation, renovation and adaptive reuse of the historic 1900 Screen House and the 1940 Pump House buildings on the site of the 1900 Ala Moana Pumping Station complex. Two nationally and locally recognized significant historic structures were revitalized to create usable community facilities. The project demonstrates excellence in historic preservation in its rehabilitation of historic exterior stonework, steel doors and windows, the concrete crown molding cornice, and interior existing steel trusses.

- Hawaiʻi Community Development Authority
- Pacific Gateway Center
- Ferraro Choi and Associates
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- Libbey Heywood Inc.
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- Duvall Distinctive Faux Finishes

Battleship USS Missouri Memorial Aft Superstructure Preservation

Ford Island, Oʻahu

The project consisted of the rehabilitation of the USS Missouri’s aft superstructure which is the second tallest section, standing about 80 feet above the main deck. The project included repairing and replacing severely corroded steel, and applying protective coatings and improved rainwater drainage. The goal was to continue preserving the battleship and to prepare it for the 75th anniversary of the end of WWII on September 2, 2020.

- USS Missouri Memorial Association

F. Garcia Building Rehabilitation

Paia, Maui

This project was an ambitious undertaking to rescue the 1934 F. Garcia Building in Paia which had fallen into disrepair. Particular effort was put into restoration of the historic facade and to bring the remaining building up to current codes and serviceability. The building has been returned to a functioning, sustainable structure and regains its proper place among Upper Paia’s historic building stock.

- F. Garcia LLC
- Maui Architectural Group
Lānaʻi City Housing Rehabilitation and Reconstruction
Lānaʻi City, Lānaʻi

This project consists of the rehabilitation of existing housing and the production of new infill housing that will retain and enforce the character of Lānaʻi City. This was a pineapple plantation town founded in 1924 as the one urban area on Lānaʻi. Existing houses in good condition were rehabilitated, existing houses in non-repairable condition were replicated with new houses, and compatible houses were constructed on empty lots. In total the project involves 19 homes throughout Lānaʻi City. Engineering

- Pūlama Lānaʻi
- MASON
- Sawar Structural Engineers
- Fukumoto Engineering

Congratulations
Lānaʻi Builders and Mason Architects for the Preservation Award honoring the restoration of plantation style homes on the island of Lānaʻi.
**McKinley High School Building W Rehabilitation**  
**Honolulu, Oʻahu**

The Hawaiʻi State Department of Education undertook this large scale rehabilitation project of the historic 1940 building on the campus of the oldest public high school in Hawaiʻi. The scope included restoring the glazed terra cotta artwork, replicating historic wood windows, and extensive interior improvements. The project is the first thorough repair work on the building since it was constructed. Building W was designed by Vladimir Ossipoff with architect Louis E. Davis, and is on the Hawaiʻi and National Register of Historic Places.

- McKinley High School
- Hawaiʻi Department of Education
- MASON
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- J. Uno & Associates, Inc.
- Jonelle Oshiro
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**Palm Circle Rehabilitation of Two Residences**  
**Ft. Shafter, Oʻahu**

These two residences followed the Army’s standard Quartermaster’s house plan at the time but were customized for Hawaiʻi with wrap-around lanai and maids’ quarters. Built in 1907, the goal was to restore the homes’ exteriors and interiors to their 1930s appearance while modernizing amenities such as updated kitchen, bathrooms, and air conditioning. New kitchen cabinets were built to match existing cabinets, and windows and doors were rebuilt precisely as the originals.

- U.S. Army Garrison – Hawaiʻi
- Lendlease (Development and Construction)
- Fung Associates
- InSynergy Engineering

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DAVID FRANZEN, FRANK HAINES AWARD FOR LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT HONOREE

Statewide

David Franzen was born in Boston and raised in New York City, where he began his career as an apprentice of Ezra Stoller, a renowned architectural photographer. In 1973, he started Franzen Photography and continued to work out of New York. After completing assignments around the country and establishing his name in travel, architectural and interior photography, David relocated to Hawai‘i in 1978. While the body of his work expanded through editorial, documentary and corporate projects, the foundation of his business has remained architecture and interior design.

David’s beautiful images have appeared in countless advertisements, books and magazines around the world. His published works include the books, The Art of Mauna Kea and The View From Diamond Head, calendars for the Department of Land and Natural Resources, and booklets for Historic Hawai‘i Foundation.

Most recently, David has announced that he will donate his work to the Hawai‘i State Archives, helping to promote the understanding, appreciation and preservation of Hawai‘i’s history, aesthetics and architecture. The Library of Congress also has on file over 5,000 of his images in its Historic American Buildings Survey/Historic American Engineering Record/Historic American Landscapes Survey Collection.

The Haines Award was established in 2009 and named for master architect Frank Haines, FAIA. It is presented to individuals who have demonstrated sustained and outstanding achievements in the areas of preserving the significant historic and cultural places of Hawai‘i.
Ho‘omaikaʻi
to all 2020 Preservation Honorees

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