Historic Integrity & Eligibility for The National Register of Historic Places

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Speakers



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Speakers



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Seven Aspects of Integrity

Relationship between Integrity and Condition

Considerations for architecture/building integrity

Considerations for archaeology/site integrity

Considerations for ephemeral/event-based significance

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Chat Box: use the <u>chat</u> to ask a question at any time. We will address questions after the presentation is finished.

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Survey

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- Property Owner/Manager or Developer
- Other

Aspects of Integrity

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INTEGRITY

One of the Criteria used to evaluate whether a property is eligible for listing on the National Register

Defined as the authenticity of a property's historic identity, evidenced by the survival of physical characteristics that existed during the property's period of significance. (National Register Bulletin 16A)

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES

National Historic Preservation Act 54 U.S.C. § 302101 The Secretary may expand and maintain a National Register of Historic Places composed of districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects significant in American history, architecture, archeology, engineering, and culture.

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Code of Federal Regulations 36 CFR Part 60 **Significance** in American history, architecture, archeology, engineering, and culture is present in districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects that possess integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association.

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES SIGNIFICANCE

Code of Federal Regulations 36 CFR Part 60 **Criterion A:** Historical Events &

Patterns

Criterion B: Historically Significant

Person

Criterion C: Architecture &

Engineering

Criterion D: Information Potential

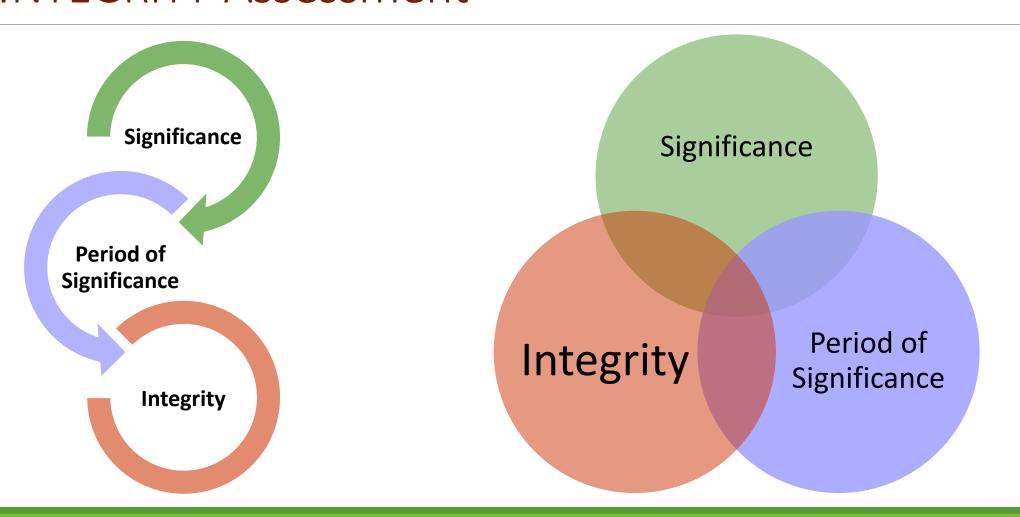
NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES PERIOD OF SIGNIFICANCE

Definition

The span of time in which a property attained the significance for which it meets the National Register Criteria. (National Register Bulletin 16A)

Could be a single date or date range that has a beginning and end.

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA INTEGRITY Assessment



Code of Federal Regulations 36 CFR Part 60

- Location
- Design
- Setting
- Materials
- Workmanship
- Feeling
- Association

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA INTEGRITY

Integrity

An assessment of authenticity of a property's historic identity, using the seven aspects of integrity as identified in the Federal Code of Regulations

(36 CFR 60.4)

Condition

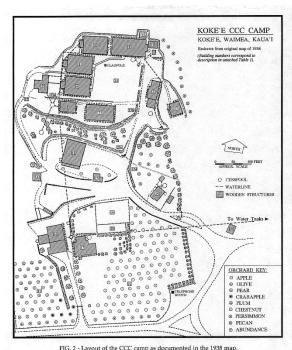
An assessment of the physical state of the property, typically using a scale of poor, fair, good, or excellent.

Location - The place where the historic property was constructed or the place where the event occurred.



Huialoha Church, Kaupō, Maui. Photographer: Elaine Jackson-Retondo

Design is the combination of elements that create the form, plan, space, structure, and style of a property.







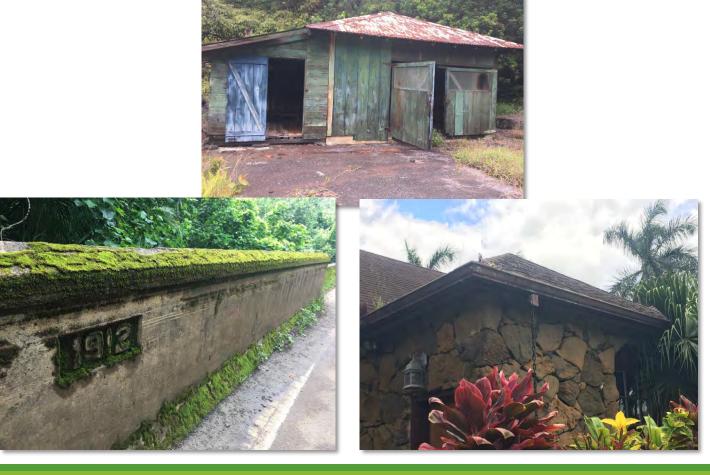
Setting is the physical environment of a historic property. It involves how the property is situated and its relationship to surrounding features and open space.



NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

INTEGRITY: Seven Aspects

Materials - are the physical elements that were combined or deposited during a particular period of time and in a particular pattern



Workmanship is the physical evidence of the crafts of a particular culture or people.



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NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

INTEGRITY: Seven Aspects

Feeling is a property's expression of the aesthetic or historic sense of a particular period of time.



Ket Hing Tong Society Building, Lahaina, Maui



Wo Hing Tong Society Building, Lahaina, Maui



Chee Kung Tong Society Building, Lahaina, Maui

Association is the direct link between an important event or person and a historic property.



Kalaupapa Peninsula, Moloka'i, image from NHL nomination update, photographer, T. Scott Williams

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA INTEGRITY



Kawaiaha'o Church and Mission Houses, Honolulu, O'ahu

Kawaiaha'o Church, 1966

Lunalilo's Tomb, 1966

Mission House, 1966

Knowledge Check 1

Eligibility for listing a property in the National Register of Historic Places is based on which of the following:

- A. Historic Significance
- B. Aspects of Integrity
- C. Physical Condition
- D. Both Significance and Integrity
- E. All of the Above

Knowledge Check 1

Eligibility for listing a property in the National Register of Historic Places is based on which of the following:

D. Both Significance and Integrity

Architectural

ARCHITECTURAL INTEGRITY

7 aspects of Integrity: location, setting, design, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association

Integrity is the authenticity of a property's historic identity, evidenced by the survival of physical characteristics that existed during the property's period of significance, which provides the ability to convey significance.

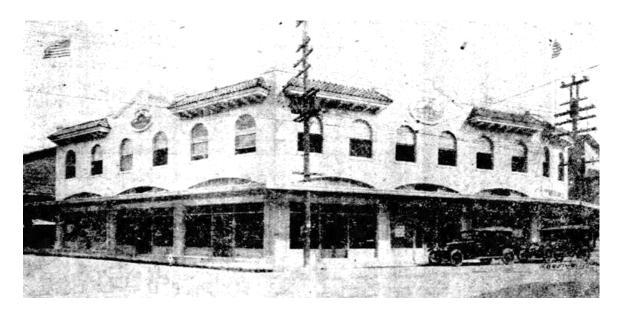
Existence of original historic fabric, or which matches the original historic fabric.

Form/massing
Exterior wall finish
Roof form & finish
Windows & doors
Ornamentation
Porches, chimneys
Interior layout
Interior finishes



Iolani Palace, Honolulu, Oʻahu

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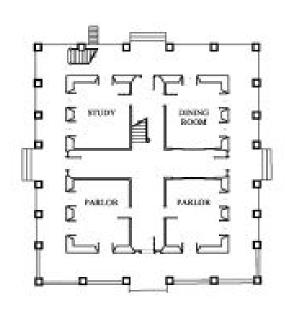
Sperry Flour Co./Kaya Fishing Supply Chinatown Historic District, Honolulu, Oʻahu

Historic Alterations

Changes made during the property's period of significance may contribute to the property's integrity.

Washington Place, O'ahu, 1847

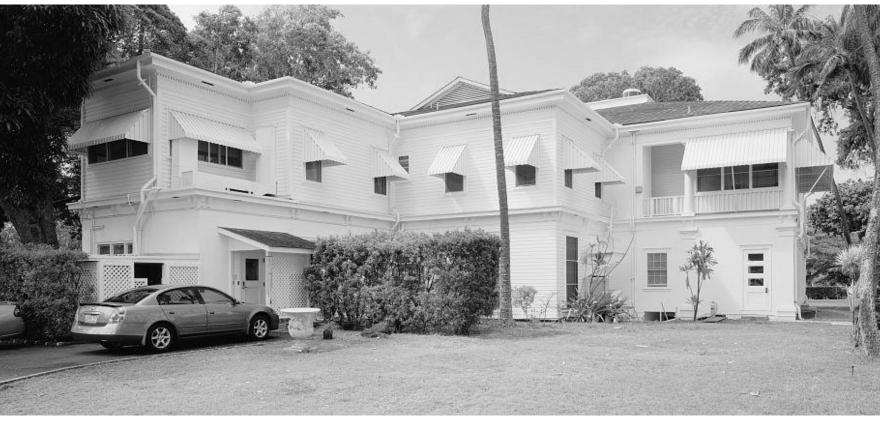


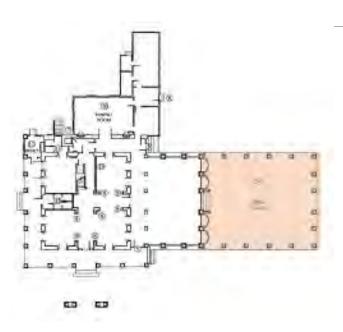
















Condition (poor) / Integrity (high)

Kaupō School Teacher's Cottage, Kaupō, Maui, 1920



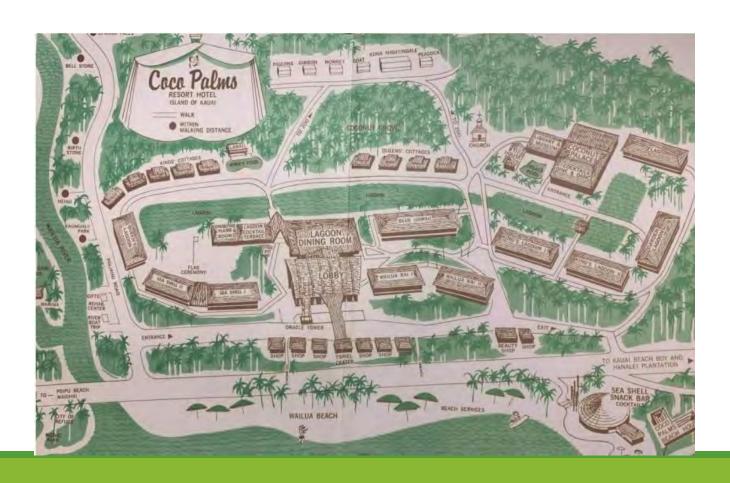


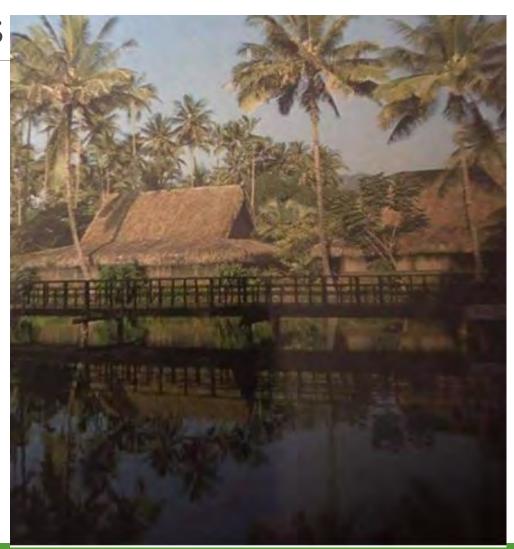


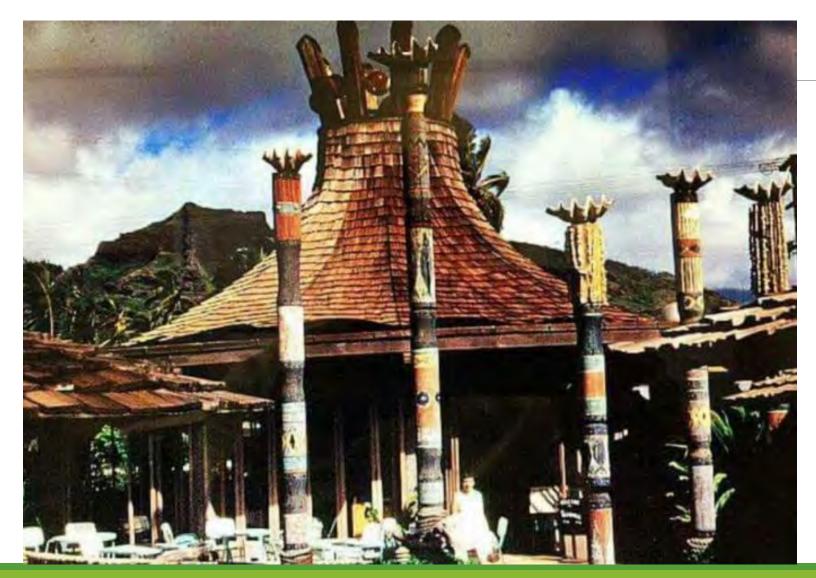


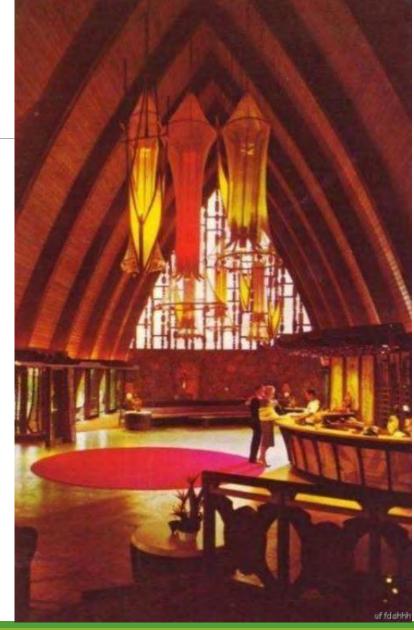
Condition (poor) / Integrity (high)

Coco Palms Resort, Kaua'i, 1950s











Heavily damaged in Hurricane Iniki 1992





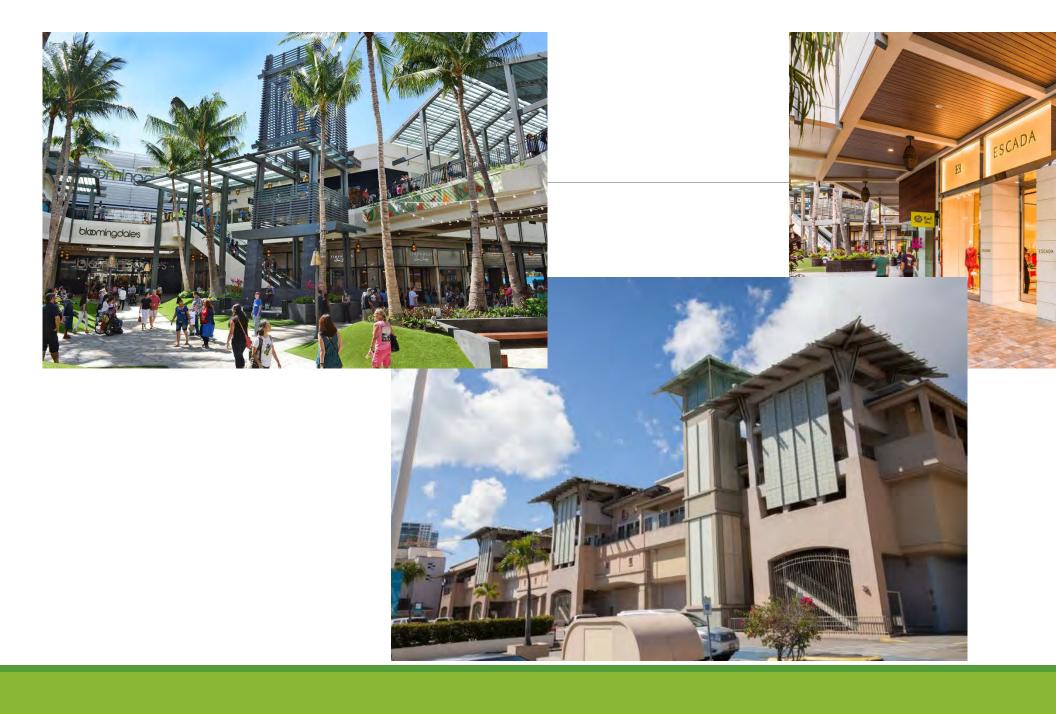
Condition (high) / Integrity (low)

Ala Moana Shopping Center, 1959/1966



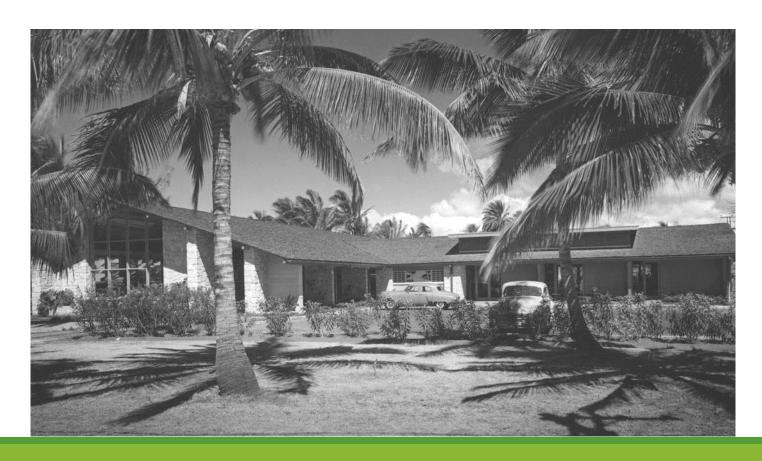


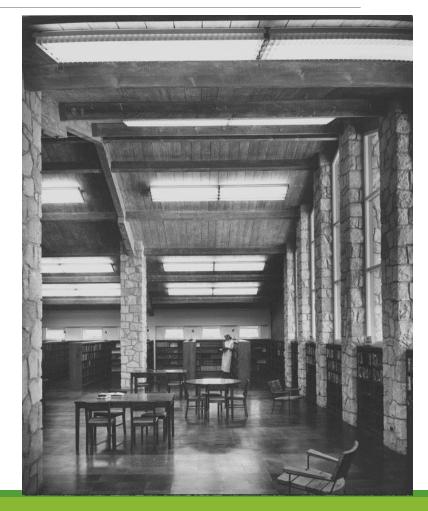




Condition (high) / Integrity (high)

Waikīkī-Kapahulu Library, 1952











Knowledge Check 2

Assessing condition of a property is the first step when determining if it is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

TRUE

☐ FALSE

Knowledge Check 2

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✓ FALSE

Archaeology/Sites



HOW INTEGRITY RELATES TO CRITERIA A - D

Feeling

Association

Workmanship

Design

Location

Setting

Materials



B

C

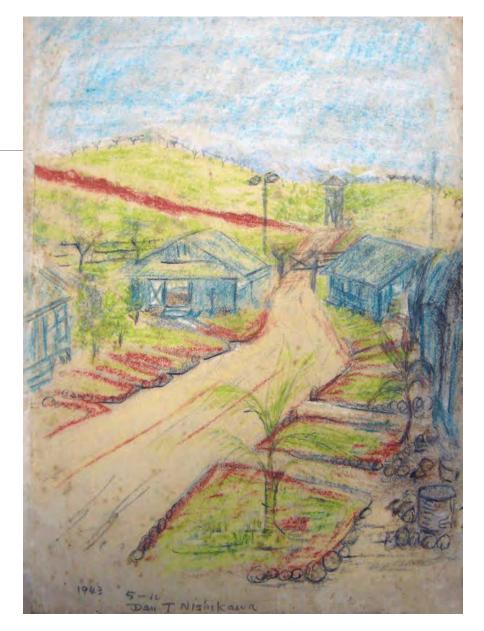
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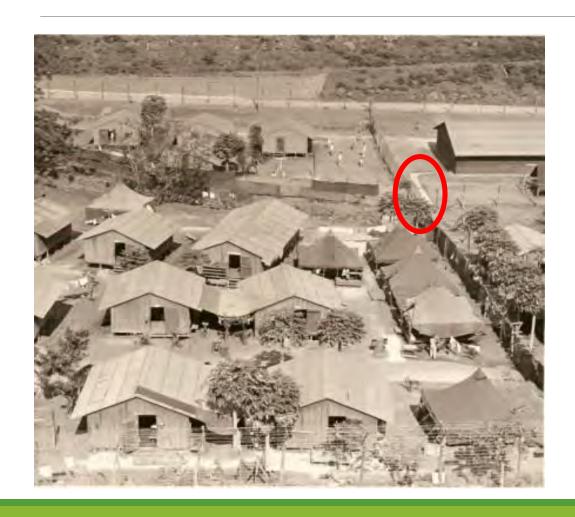
HONOULIULI VALLEY, O'AHU

INTEGRITY OF DESIGN

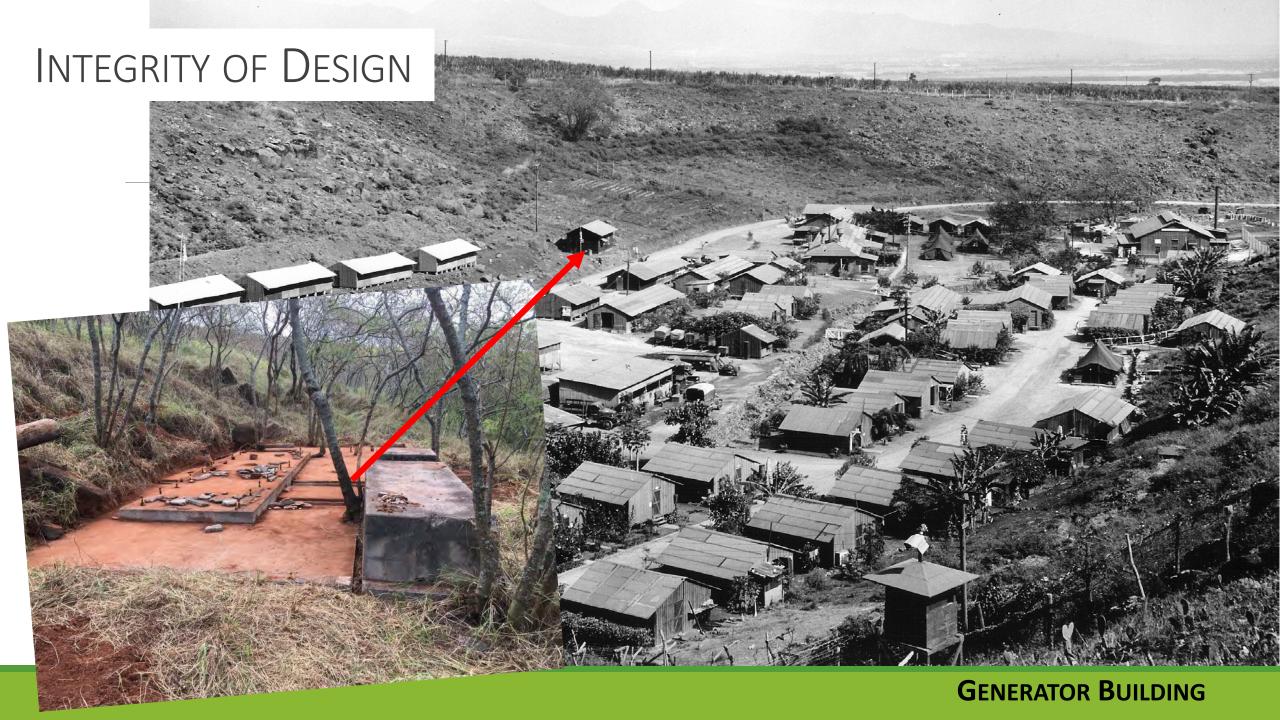




INTEGRITY OF DESIGN







INTEGRITY OF SETTING/FEELING





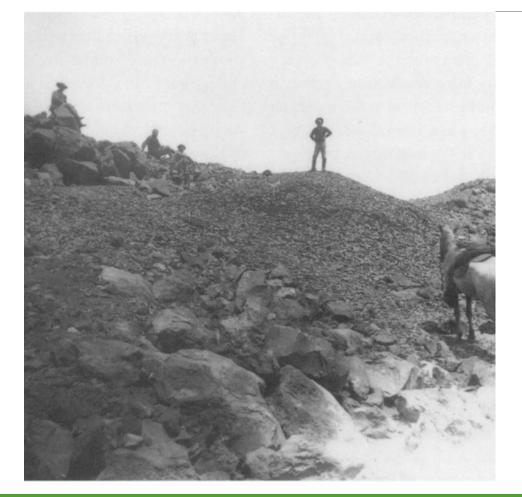
Integrity of Materials & Workmanship







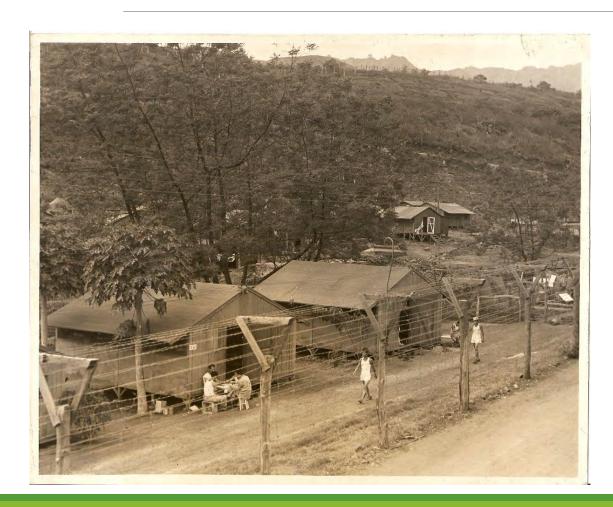
INTEGRITY OF MATERIALS





Mauna Kea Adze Quarry, Hawai'i Island

INTEGRITY OF ASSOCIATION



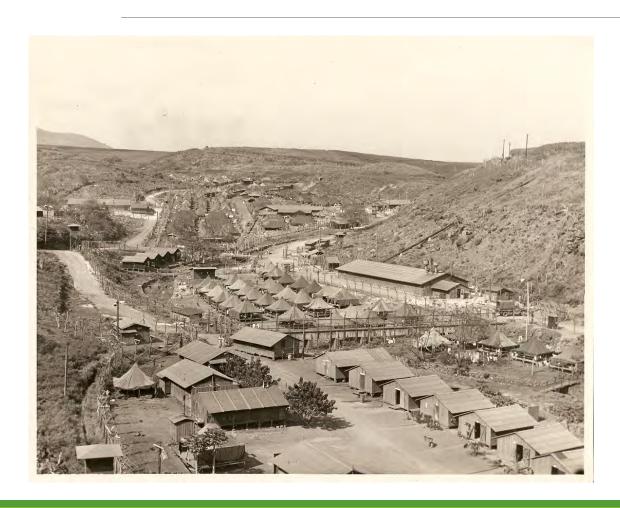


ALTERATIONS



FLOODS, FIRE, EROSION, LAVA

RESOURCES NOT VISIBLE....





RESOURCES NOT VISIBLE....





Malu'ulu o Lele Park | Lahaina Historical Sites (mauimagazine.net)

Knowledge Check 3

Subsurface archaeological sites that are not visible above ground may be eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

TRUE

FALSE

Knowledge Check 3

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✓ TRUE

Ephemeral/ Intangible Aspects

EPHEMERAL/INTANGIBLE ASPECTS

SIGNIFICANCE

Why is it significant?

What are the characteristics necessary to covey those associations?

What is the period of significance?

CONTEXT

What else might share similar connections?

Rarity vs Common types?

Integrity versus Condition



Underrepresented communities



Underrepresented communities





Underrepresented communities





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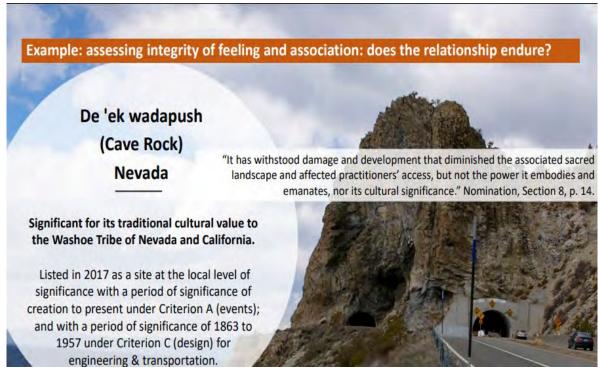
Evaluating whether a place has integrity of feeling and association involves exploring two questions:

- (1) Does the place have an essential relationship with traditional cultural beliefs or practices?
- (2) Does the relationship with the place endure, despite any alterations, in the view of those who value it?

Is the relationship essential?

Does the relationship endure?





De'ek wadapush, Nevada

INTEGRITY-FROM WHOSE PERSPECTIVE?



Rice Lake, Michigan



Mt. St. Helens, Washington



Kīholo-Puako Trail, Hawai'i Island



Kahoʻolawe Island Archaeological District

Sites of Removal



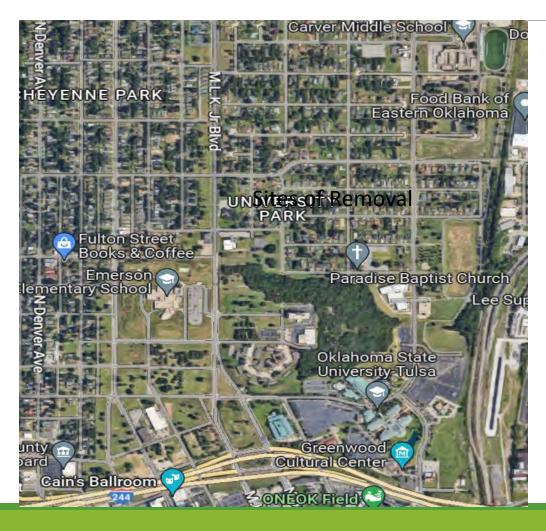
Honouliuli Internment Camp, Oʻahu

CONCENTRATION CAMPS



Crystal City Internment Camp, Texas

Sites of Removal



TULSA RACE RIOT 1921



Sites of Removal





Knowledge Check 4

All seven aspects of integrity are treated equally for all property types and all categories of historic significance.

TRUE

FALSE

Knowledge Check 4

All seven aspects of integrity are treated equally for all property types and all categories of historic significance.

✓ FALSE

Audience Questions

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RESOURCES

Further Reading and Reference Materials

https://www.nps.gov/subjects/nationalregister/publications.htm

- National Register Bulletin 15: How to Apply the Criteria for Evaluation
- NRB 36: Evaluating Archaeological Properties
- NRB 40: Evaluating Battlefields
- NRB 32: Evaluating Properties Associated with Significant Persons
- NRB 38: Evaluating Traditional Cultural Properties
- NTHP Forum Journal: 50 Year Rule; https://forum.savingplaces.org/viewdocument/50-years-reconsidered
- NTHP Forum Journal: Landscapes and Preservation as Justice;
 https://forum.savingplaces.org/viewdocument/forum-journal-pastforward-online-2
- NTHP: Integrity and Racial Inequity Case Studies; https://forum.savingplaces.org/blogs/special-contributor/2021/09/07/integrity-and-racial-inequity-case-studies

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