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Statement of Accreditation Status
University of Hawai'i-West O'ahu

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Current Accreditation Status: Accredited
Most Recent Commission Action: June 24, 2022
First Accredited: 1981

Undergraduate FTE: 2,094
Graduate FTE: 0
Financial Structure Type: Public
Sponsorship: Multi-institution System
Academic Calendar: Semester
Distributes Federal Finanicial Aid: Yes

Commission Actions

*Commission Action Letter, Reaffirmation, June 2022 action
*Commission action letter, EER Visit, February 2015 action
*Commission action letter, CPR Visit, June 2012 action
*Team Report, Reaffirmation, June 2022 action
*Team report, EER visit, February 2015 action
*Team report, CPR visit, June 2012 action

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Locations

OPEID	Location Name	City	Location Type	Status
02107800	University of Hawaii – West Oahu	Kapolei	Main Campus	active

Degrees

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Applied Forensic Anthropology	Non-degree	2006	On-Site
Applied Science	Bachelors	2008	On-Site
Applied Science	Bachelors	2022	Distance Education
Asian Studies	Non-degree	2017	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Creative Media	Bachelors	2019	Distance Education
Bachelor of Arts in Creative Media	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Humanities	Bachelors	2021	Distance Education
Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences, concentration in Sustainable Community Food	Bachelors	2024	On-Site
Bachelor of Education	Bachelors	2021	Distance Education
Bachelor of Education	Bachelors	2024	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Cyber Security	Bachelors	2026	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity	Bachelors	2020	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Natural Science	Bachelors	2026	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Natural Science	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	1981	Distance Education
Business Administration	Bachelors	1981	On-Site
Certificate in Digital Marketing	Non-degree	2024	Distance Education
Certificate in Facilities Management	Non-degree	2026	Distance Education
Certificate in Facilities Management	Non-degree	2026	On-Site
Certificate in Hawaiian Language	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Certificate in Hawaiian Language	Non-degree	2022	On-Site
Certificate in Hawaiian and Indigenous Health and Healing	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Certificate in Hawaiian and Indigenous Health and Healing	Non-degree	2020	On-Site
Certificate in Hawaiian-Pacific Studies	Non-degree	2022	On-Site
Certificate in Hawaiian-Pacific Studies	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Certificate in Labor Studies	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Certificate in Long Term Care	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Certificate in Sustainability Issues	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Certificate in Sustainability Issues	Non-degree	2020	On-Site
Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management	Non-degree	2014	On-Site
Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management	Non-degree	2014	Distance Education
Education	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Gender Studies	Non-degree	2019	On-Site
Health Care Administration	Non-degree	2007	On-Site
Health Care Administration	Non-degree	2007	Distance Education
Humanities	Bachelors	1978	On-Site
Music	Non-degree	2018	On-Site
Public Administration	Bachelors	1981	Distance Education
Public Administration	Bachelors	1981	On-Site
Risk Management and Insurance	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Risk Management and Insurance	Non-degree	2012	Distance Education
Social Science Health and Medicine Certificate	Non-degree	2024	Distance Education
Social Sciences	Bachelors	2001	Distance Education
Social Sciences	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Substance Abuse and Addictions Studies	Non-degree	2003	Distance Education
Substance Abuse and Addictions Studies	Non-degree	2003	On-Site

Upcoming Reviews

Season	Year Level	Review Type
Fall	2029	Offsite Review
Spring	2030	Accreditation Visit