

# June M. Uyehara-Isono

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## Education

1971-1972 University of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii  
1972-1973 University of Massachusetts Amherst, Mass  
1973-1974 University of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii

### **Bachelor of Science, Speech pathology and Audiology**

- Cum laude, with distinction

1975-1977 Purdue University West Lafayette, Ind.

### **Master of Science, Audiology and Speech Sciences**

1999-2001 Central Michigan University Mt. Pleasant, MI

### **Doctor of Audiology, Communicative Disorders**

## Professional Experience

1977 - 1979 Honolulu Medical Group Honolulu, Hawaii

### **Audiologist**

- Directed full time diagnostic and rehabilitative program

### **Audiology Consultant and Services, June Uyehara Isono, Inc. (1979-present)**

- Private Practice with full diagnostic and Rehabilitative Services, including dispensing and assistive listening devices.
- Three clinical service locations, Honolulu, Hilo and Kona.
- One of two cochlear implant centers with full diagnostic and rehabilitative program.
- Referral site for failures of Newborn Hearing Screening, complete infant/toddler amplification programming and habilitation.

## Clinical Background

### • **Diagnostic Audiology**

Compete diagnostic assessment, as related to the education, social and vocational needs of the hearing impaired child or adult.

### • **Amplification**

Selection, adjustment and training in the use of hearing aids and assistive listening devices as well as the management of problems associated with this process. Knowledge of digital hearing aids also used to determine the appropriate selection of devices for individual patients.

Determination of appropriate amplification for newborns, infants and toddlers. Also involved with the multidisciplinary teams to assist in management of these children.

- **Cochlear Implants** – Evaluation and management of cochlear implant candidates and

implantees. Mapping capabilities for all three implants.

Certificate of Clinical Competence: 1978, American Speech, Language and Hearing Association

Fellow, American Academy of Audiology, 1989-

Board Certified in Audiology, 1998-

## **Continuing Education**

- 1985- Completion of training course for cochlear implant device
- 1986- National Convention, Boston Mass.
- 1987- Seminar in amplification, ASHA, Seattle, Wash.
- 1988- ADA convention, Atlanta, Ga.
- 1989- Seminar in Real Ear Measurement, Denver, CO
- 1990- ASHA Symposium: Cochlear Implants in Children, Indianapolis, Indiana
- 1991- ADA conference, Clearwater, FLA
- 1992- American Academy of Audiology Convention (AAA), Tucson, AZ
- 1993- AAA Convention, Phoenix, AZ
- 1994- Symposium on Amplification in Children, Palm Springs, CA
- 1994- ADA Convention, Palm Springs, CA
- 1994- AAA National Convention, Richmond, VA
- 1995- AAA National Convention, Dallas, Texas
- 1996- AAA National Convention, Salt Lake City, UT
- 1997- AAA National Convention, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
- 1998- AAA National Convention, Los Angeles, CA
- 1999- Hawaii Academy Workshop, Gorga and Stelmachowicz, Acoustic Emissions and Amplification
- 2000 – AAA National Convention, Chicago, Ill
- 2001 – International Pediatric Meeting and Conference – Chicago, Ill      AAA National Convention, San Diego
- 2002 – FM Amplification and Application Conference – Chicago Illinois
- 2003 – International Conference for Newborn Hearing Screening, Como, Italy.  
AAA National Convention, San Antonio, Texas

- 2004 – International Cochlear Implant Conference, Indianapolis, IN. AAA National Convention, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2005- AAA National Convention, Washington DC
- 2005 – Med El Cochlear Implant Workshop, Innsbruck, Austria
- 2006 – Adult Amplification Workshop, Chicago Illinois
- 2007 – AAA National Convention, Denver Colorado
- 2008 – AAA National Convention, Charlotte, NC
- 2008 – Cochlear Implant International Symposia, San Diego, CA

### **Research Experience**

Directed Research : Ethno-factors of Attitudes toward Women, Published in the University of Hawaii Working papers of Psychology, University of Hawaii, 1973

Co-Author: Study in Hawaii Creole English: "Case of /a", Conday and Uyehara, Language in Society, 1977

Master's Thesis: The Relationship Between Two Proposed Tests of Cerebral Dominance for Language among Japanese and English Speaking Subjects, Purdue University, 1977. Supported by the Office of Education and Research Assistantship, Purdue University.

Doctoral Dissertation: Identification of Unilateral Hearing Loss Via Newborn Hearing Screening: Treatment Options and Parental Perceptions. Central Michigan University/Vanderbilt University, December 2001.

Co-Author, Development of an Instrument to Evaluate Audiologic Counseling Skills, English, Rall, Uyehara-Isono and Pittman. Journal of the American Academy of Audiology, February, 2008.

### **Honors and Professional Affiliations**

Presentation of co-authored paper, Linguistic Society of America, Winter meeting, New York City, 1977.

Department honors, University of Hawaii 1974

Magna Cum Laude, University of Hawaii 1974

Presentation of authored paper, ASHA, annual meeting, 1977

Presentation of Clinical research, AAA , 1994

Presentation of Clinical research, AAA, 1995

Presentation of Clinical research, AAA 1996

Member of American Speech, Language and Hearing Association, 1977 to present

Member of Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf, 1977 to present

Member of Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology, 1994 to present  
Fellow, American Academy of Audiology, 1989  
Fellow, American Academy of Dispensing Audiologists, 1978  
Chairman, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Hearing aid Dealers and fitter, 1980-1987, 1994-1997  
State Council for the Hearing Impaired, 1989-1990  
Charter President, Hawaii Academy of Audiology, 1995  
Continuing Education Award, American Academy of Audiology, 1998-2005  
Convention committee, AAA National convention, 2005  
Scholar Award, American Academy of Audiology 2007

**Publications**

See Research Experience

**Languages**

Sign language, both SEE and Ameslan

**Community activities**

Public Member, State Board of Electricians and Plumbers 1998-2006

**Interests and activities**

Adult Amateur Competitor, United States Dressage Federation, United States Equestrian Federation, the Aloha State Dressage Society

**Volunteer experience**

American Heart Association volunteer

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