



**Education**

University of California (Berkeley), Ph.D., Economics, 1987.  
San Francisco State University, B.A., Economics, magna cum laude, 1981.

**Employment**

University of Hawaii (Manoa) Aug. 2001- Present  
Associate Professor, Public Administration Program

Developed and taught courses on public budgeting, applied policy analysis, and course modules in critical thinking, economics, legislative process, budget process, ethics, and futures, for masters degree in public administration. Wrote and published academic work on related topics. Nominated for College of Social Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award in 2004, 2006, 2011.

DBEDT, State of Hawaii Mar. 1995 – Aug. 2001  
Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism  
Economist

Conducted analyses and developed positions on issues including: HCDA's role in Kaka'ako, mix of uses of Honolulu Harbor, telecommunications deregulation, role of Land Use Commission. Similar analysis performed for, and public presentations made on, Economic Revitalization Task Force proposals—especially tax reform recommendations. Developed leading economic indicator index for Hawaii. Testified, subject to cross examination, in arbitration hearings on general economic conditions and econometric methodology. Responsible for writing analyses of general economic indicators for quarterly publication and jointly responsible for economic forecasting.

University of Hawaii (Manoa) Jan. 1992 to May 1995  
Assistant Professor and Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics

Developed and taught Ph.D. course in Public Finance (Taxation). Developed and taught undergraduate courses in Public Finance, Law and Economics, and Microeconomic Theory. Nominated for 1993-94 Teaching Award.

**Volunteer**

Member, Hawaii State Council on Revenues, 2011-present.  
Member, Sequestration Impact Response Team, State of Hawaii, 2013-2014.  
Member, Board of Trustees, Friends of the Library of Hawaii, 2010-present.  
Member, Hawaii State Tax Review Commission, 2005-2007.

