

Alapaki Nahale-a

Alapaki Nahale-a was born and raised in _____, Hawaii. He is a _____ graduate of Kamehameha Schools and holds a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Pennsylvania.

Alapaki has spent over _____ years serving community in a variety of roles. He was the Director and Chairman of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands (DHHL) and the East Hawai'i DHHL commissioner. He has spent many years working for charter schools as President and Executive Director of the Hawaii Charter School Network, Director of Laupahoehoe Community Public Charter School and Director of Kā 'Umeke Kā'eo Hawaiian Immersion Public Charter School.

Alapaki has served on a variety of community boards and commissions including chairperson of the County of Hawai'i Cultural Resources Commission, member of the County Charter Commission, board member of the Boys and Girls club of the Big Island and board member of the Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation. Alapaki was also appointed by President Obama to serve on the Presidential Scholars Commission where he helps to set policy for the Commission and select the top high school scholars from around the country.

Currently, Alapaki serves as Kamehameha School's Senior Director of Community Engagement and Resources for Hawai'i island. In that position, he works to connect programs, services, lands and resources with communities KS interacts with and helps support.