CRAIG K. HIRAI

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EDUCATION

Punahou School, Honolulu, Hawaii (Diploma).

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California (B.S. in Accounting, magna cum laude).

University of Pennsylvania (Wharton), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (M.S. in Accounting). University of Pennsylvania (Wharton), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (M.B.A.).

University of California, Hastings College of the Law, San Francisco, California (J.D.).

New York University, New York, New York (LL.M. in Taxation).

WORK EXPERIENCE

Summer 1970	Summer intern, audit staff, Peat Marwick Mitchell & Co., Honolulu, Hawaii.
Summer 1971	Summer intern, Office of Audit, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, D.C.
1972 – 1974	Staff accountant, audit and tax, Arthur Young & Company, Honolulu, Hawaii.
1974 – 1980	Tax specialist and supervising tax specialist, Coopers & Lybrand, Honolulu, Hawaii, and San Francisco, California.
1980 - 1982	Tax attorney (associate), Fong & Miho, Honolulu, Hawaii.
1982 - 2004	Tax attorney (associate and shareholder/director), Torkildson, Katz, Fonseca, Moore & Hetherington, Attorneys at Law, A Law Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii.
2004 - 2013	Consultant (shareholder/director), Bowen Hunsaker Hirai Consulting, Inc. and Bowen Hunsaker Hirai, Certified Public Accountants, A Professional Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii.
2013 – 2019	Executive Director, State of Hawaii - Hawaii Housing Finance & Development Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii; and from 2016 (inception) to 2019 ex-officio co-chair of the Hawaii Interagency Council for Transit- Oriented Development.

2013 Present	Sole Member, Craig K. Hirai, CPA, LLC, Honolulu, Hawaii.
2019 – Present	Director of Finance, State of Hawaii – Department of Budget and Finance, Honolulu, Hawaii.

VOLUNTEER WORK

1986 – 2013	Member (Chair of the Affordable Housing Subcommittee, Vice Chair, and Chair of the Taxation & Finance Subcommittee) of the Government Affairs Committee of the Hawaii Association of Realtors.
1986 – 1987	Chair of the Tax Committee of the Hawaii Society of CPAs.
1988 - 1992	Trustee and Treasurer, Central Union Church, Honolulu, Hawaii.
1988 – 1992	Member of the State Board of Taxation Review for the First Taxation District (Oahu).
1992 – 1993	Chair of the State Rental Housing Trust Fund Interim Commission. Chaired the interim commission that promulgated the rules for the State of Hawaii Rental Housing Trust Fund program.
1993 – 1995	Chair of the State Rental Housing Trust Fund Commission. Chaired the commission that implemented the State of Hawaii Rental Housing Trust Fund program.
1995 – 1998	Vice Chair of the State Rental Housing Trust Fund Commission.
1998 2000	Chair of the State Rental Housing Trust Fund Advisory Commission and ex-officio member of the Board of Directors of the Housing and Community Development Corporation of Hawaii.
2001 - 2003	Chair of the State Tax Review Commission.
2003 - 2006	Chair of the Board of Directors of the Tax Foundation of Hawaii.
2003 - 2011	Chair of the Professional Ethics Committee of the Hawaii Society of CPAs.
2005 - 2008	Member of the Board of Directors and Treasurer of the Hawaii Community Reinvestment Corporation.
2011 - 2015	Member of the State Board of Public Accountancy.
2011 - 2015	Member of the Ethics and Strategic Issues Committee of the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy.

BAR ADMISSIONS

1978 Admitted to the Hawaii State Bar (now inactive).

PROFESSIONAL LICENCES

1974 - Present	Certified Public Accountant, State of Hawaii.
1982 - Present	Real Estate Broker, State of Hawaii.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 1974 Present Hawaii Society of Certified Public Accountants.
- 1974 Present American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.
- 1978 Present American Bar Association.
- 1980 Present Hawaii State Bar Association.
- 1986 Present Hawaii Association of Realtors.
- 1996 Present Hawaii Association of Public Accountants.

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

2008 - Present Certified Public Accountant, Certified in Financial Forensics (AICPA).