

NORMAN “MANA” KALEILANI CÁCERES

Principal Consultant, ‘Ohana Kūpono Consulting Inc.

EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Arts Degree**

University of Hawai‘i at Hilo, College of Arts and Sciences, Communication  
Emphasis on Public Relations, Hawaiian Language, Chant and Religious  
Protocol, Anthropology and Archaeological Field Work.

WORK EXPERIENCE

**2018-Present Principal Consultant ‘Ohana Kūpono Consulting Inc., Kapolei, Hawai‘i**

Supervise ground disturbing activities. Work with contractors in order to identify and mitigate potential impacts to native Hawaiian remains. Consult with land owners and developers that recognize the importance of preserving the rich culture, heritage and natural resources of Hawai‘i. Train and provide highly qualified and competent cultural monitors to construction projects.

**2013-2018 Project Manager ‘Ōiwi Cultural Resources, Honolulu, Hawai‘i**

Coordinate and supervise excavations and various ground disturbing activities. Serve as an onsite cultural consultant. Implement best practices in order to minimize and/or eliminate adverse impact to iwi kūpuna as well as historic and cultural sites.

**2012-2013 Cultural Monitor Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit, Honolulu, Hawai‘i**

Supervise ground disturbing activities. Provide cultural protocols when burials were encountered during the archaeological inventory survey.

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EXTRA-CURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

**2019-Present**     **Haumana, Mālama Iwi Kūpuna**     **Hilo, Hawai'i**  
Cultural training and protocol under the direction of *Halealoha Ayau*.

**2012-2018**     **Haumana, Mālama Iwi Kūpuna**     **Nānākuli, Hawai'i**  
Cultural training and protocol under the direction of *Ka'anohi Kaleikini*.

**2016-Present**     **Ewa District Representative O'ahu Island Burial Council; Ewa, Hawai'i**  
Assist the Department of Land and Natural Resources and its State Historic Preservation Division in matters pertaining to native Hawaiian burial sites.

**2012-Present**     **Recognized Cultural Descendant**     **O'ahu, Hawai'i**  
Consult with land owners and developers in crafting and implementing burial treatment plans, archaeological inventory surveys and archaeological monitoring plans. Provide care and protection to iwi kūpuna. Reinter iwi kūpuna.