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Bio

Michael T. Unebasami is the associate vice president for administrative affairs for the University of Hawai'i Community College System (UHCC). He is responsible for all business operations and administrative affairs, including budget and financial management; human resources; planning and facilities management; emergency operations and campus security; marketing and communications; auxiliary enterprises; EEO/AA; Title IX compliance; and legal and legislative affairs. Since joining the University of Hawai'i in 1968, Mike has held various administrative services at Leeward Community College. In 1993, he was promoted to his current position in the Chancellor's Office for Community Colleges.

Since 1983, Mike has actively represented the University of Hawai'i at the national level, having served as a member of the Board of Directors of both the National Association of College and University Business Officers (NACUBO) and the Western Association of College and Business Officers (WACUBO). In 2008, Mike served as president of WACUBO and continues to actively participate in programs of both organizations. For his exemplary service, both nationally and at the University of Hawaii, Mike was recognized by NACUBO with its "Distinguished Business Officer" Award in 2019, the highest honor that is bestowed on any University Business Officer.

In addition, to his recognition nationally, Mike was honored as the 2009 State of Hawai'i Manager of the Year in recognition of his exceptional leadership at the University of Hawaii. In addition to this University service, he served as a member of the Hawai'i Air National Guard, retiring in 2005 with 38 years of service to his country. He has served as a volunteer with the University of Hawaii Federal Credit Union since 1978 and is currently a Director on the UHFCU Board.

Mike received his BBA in 1968 and MBA in 1970 from the University of Hawai'i at Manoa.