



UNIVERSITY of HAWAII¹
MAUI
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

1st Annual Maui Island Sustainable Living Expo

Exploring Maui's sustainability challenges and pathways to a sustainable future

On August 16th and 17th, 2008 University of Hawaii-Maui Community College (UH-MCC) and the Sustainable Living Institute of Maui (SLIM) will host the 1st Annual Maui ISLE expo (Island Sustainable Living Expo) on the UH-MCC campus in Kahului, Maui. The 1st Annual Maui ISLE expo will offer: a variety of presentations and panel discussions from leading sustainability experts; edutainment and sustainability-related exhibits; healthy, local foods and Hawaiian cultural learning opportunities. This event will be open to the public. A significant attendance from a diverse audience is expected.

The Maui ISLE expo will focus on four core themes identified as some of the most important and pressing issues needing to be addressed in order to further sustainability on Maui Island. These are:

Island Energy Security – How can we as an island reduce our dependency on foreign, imported oil for meeting our energy needs and instead, provide clean affordable energy to our island residents?

Island Food Security – How can we, as a part of a remote archipelago of islands, reduce our dependency on imported foods and revive local, sustainable agricultural production?

Island-based Local Economies – How can we promote the development of sustainable, local island-based economies and entrepreneurship?

Sustainable Living Education – What are the most promising current and emerging models, best practices and lessons learned in sustainable living education being used in K-12 to college level educational institutions, which could be applied within our island's context?

We cordially invite you to the Maui ISLE expo to share your thoughts and to learn more about sustainability on Maui. Registration forms and a draft program of speakers and panels are available at www.sustainablemaui.org through the Maui ISLE expo link. **Register soon to attend the conference sessions!** Or, come to the UH- MCC campus to view the FREE outdoor sustainable living exhibits on The Maui Community College Great Lawn. Interact with local businesses and organizations focused on sustainability. These exhibits are open to all, throughout the day!

Saturday evening FREE and open to all! Join us from 6-8 pm for live music, sustainable living exhibits, healthy local foods, and a farm-stand selling locally grown produce!

If you have any further questions, would like to volunteer, sponsor or exhibit please do not hesitate to contact us at events@sustainablemaui.org or call (808) 984-3792.

Two Day Registration*

	<u>General Public</u>	<u>Teachers (K-12, MCC)</u>	<u>Students</u>
Before August 15	\$55	\$45	\$30
Day of Event	\$60	\$50	\$35

One Day Registration*

	<u>General Public</u>	<u>Teachers (K-12, MCC)</u>	<u>Students</u>
Before August 15	\$40	\$30	\$20
Day of Event	\$45	\$35	\$25

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