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Presidential Lecture Series on Global Leadership and Sustainability



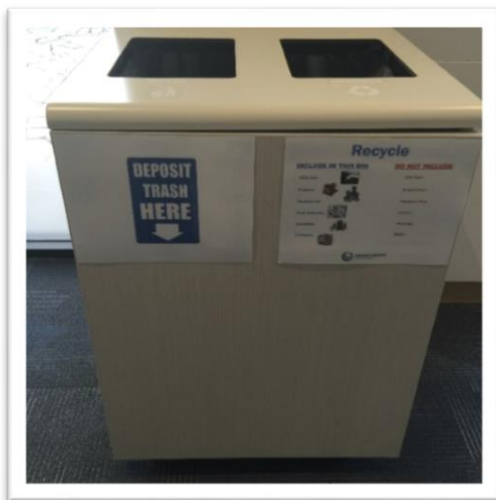
Background

Hawaii Pacific University's Presidential Lecture Series on Global Leadership and Sustainability provides a unique opportunity for members of HPU and greater Hawai'i communities to engage with nationally and internationally recognized leaders and hear their insights on critical topics related to environmental sustainability. The HPU Presidential Lecture Series on Global Leadership and Sustainability is made possible through a generous grant from Hawaiian Electric Industries. On February 9th and 18th, 2016, more than 250 participants attended the Presidential Lecture Series at Aloha Tower Marketplace, Multi-

Purpose Room 3. The first two lectures featured Inger Andersen speaking about conservation and sustainable development, and Neal F. Lane, PhD., presenting on the relationships between scientists and the public. Hawaii Pacific University implemented a number of sustainable practices, including electronic communication and social media to promote the event. Attendees were encouraged to use alternative transportation to and from the events. Tableware was reusable or compostable. Recycling and composting helped divert a significant portion of the event's waste. In 2015, Hawaii Pacific University invested in Sika Roofing's EnergySmart Roof®, LED lighting and low flow bathroom toilets, and sink faucets in an effort to help reduce operational costs and environmental impact.

Highlighted Green Measures from the Event:

Solid Waste Reduction Methods:



Combination trash and recycle receptacle



Composting



Right venue fit for number of attendees. Ratio = 250:578

Energy & Water Efficiency:



Sika Roofing's EnergySmart Roof®



EPA Water Sense low flow bathroom sink faucets

Catering



Vegetarian options and unwrapped finger foods

Transportation



Encouraged attendees to use alternative modes of transportation, such as public transportation, carpooling, rideshare, bicycling and walking to the event