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Education

- **Henry J. Kaiser High School** Honolulu, HI
International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme Candidate 2013 - 2017
 - Graduated summa cum laude, cumulative GPA 3.942

Work Experience

- **The Cougar Connection** Honolulu, HI
Co-Editor-in-Chief and Online Editor 2015 - 2017
 - Lead development of monthly issues, and oversaw article ideas and development.
 - Advised assistant editors-in-chief and section editors on management of workflow and staff writers.
 - Designed Wordpress theme for the Cougar Times, the newspaper's online site.
 - Published online content and coordinated social media outreach for the Connection.
 - Planned out-of-class meetings to lay out articles for publication.
- **Hawaii Youth Percussion Ensemble (HYPE)** Honolulu, HI
Senior Percussionist and Front-End Web Developer 2014 - 2017
 - Performed a varied repertoire of pieces in numerous public venues on Oahu.
 - Represented Hawaii nationally at various institutions and competitions (Berklee College of Music, The Juilliard School, New York University, Winter Guard International, etc.)
 - Designed a website for HYPE in order to increase its online presence.
 - Managed and disseminated pictures, videos, and ensemble information through HYPE's website.
 - Advised HYPE board of directors on online fundraising efforts for the ensemble, which facilitated instrument purchases and a commissioned work.
- **Save Ka Iwi Coast Coalition** Honolulu, HI
Social Media Liaison and Youth For Ka Iwi Team Member May 2015 - September 2015
 - Developed and managed a social media campaign to help raise \$500,000 to preserve the Ka Iwi coastline in perpetuity as public land for public use.
 - Recruited high school students from around Oahu and high-profile watermen based in Hawaii to support the campaign publicly.
 - Wrote and edited an editorial for Civil Beat in support of the campaign.
 - Researched ways to increase community involvement based on previous rallies for public land preservation (Save Sandy Beach, Save Our Kaka'ako, etc.)

Skills & Misc. Info

Desktop Publishing: InDesign, Scribus, Microsoft Publisher, Google Apps Suite

Web Design/Front-end Development HTML, CSS, Javascript, Wordpress, Jekyll

Writing and Journalism: Extensive experience as an editor and writer with primary interests in film criticism, arts journalism, photojournalism, and beat reporting

School Groups and Clubs: Kaiser High School Linguistics Group (founder and president, led first Hawaii team to compete in the North American Computational Linguistics Olympiad), Kaiser Math Team (not a team member during the Oahu Math League 2014-2015 season), Kaiser Math and Science Tutoring Group

Hobbies and Interests: Film and animation, comics, game design, urban design and landscape architecture, linguistics (especially sign language linguistics and language preservation), civic hacking, percussion and ukulele performance (6+ years of experience with both)

Awards & Honors

- National Merit Scholarship Program Finalist, 2017
- (with the KHS Cougar Connection) Best Single Issue: 1st in the Public School Division and 2nd in State, 2016-2017
- National Honor Society Member, 2016-2017
- (with the Kaiser Math Team) Oahu Math League: 1st in Newton division in the 2016-2017 season and the 2013-2014 season, and 3rd in Newton division in the 2015-2016 season
- (with HYPE) Featured ensemble at the National Conference on Percussion Pedagogy, 2016