

HPU's Co-Curricular Events

FALL 2013 VIEWPOINTS FILM SERIES

FREE! Wednesdays at 3:00 in FC 105 and Fridays* at 5:30 in Warmer Auditorium

The Fruit Hunters (9/6) by acclaimed director Yung Cheng travels across culture, history and geography to show how intertwined we are with the fruits we eat. *Screening followed by a tropical fruit tasting and a discussion led by ethnobotanist Dr. Nat Bletter (UH Manoa) and Mark Suiso, President of the Hawaiian Tropical Fruit Growers Association .*

The Untold Story: The Japanese American Internment at Honouliuli (9/13) Directed by local filmmaker Ryan Kawamoto, *The Untold Story* examines the internment of Japanese Americans in Hawaii during World War II. *Discussion led by representatives of the Japanese Cultural Center of Hawaii.*

Nosferatu: A Symphony of Horror (9/18 & 9/20) This haunting and dreamlike vampire story is one of the silent film era's most enduring masterpieces. Screening will be accompanied by a discussion of silent film and the HPU Common Book, *In Pursuit of Silence* by George Prochnik. *Discussion led by English Professors Dr. Micheline Soong and Dr. Andrew Opitz.*

Forks Over Knives (9/25 & 9/27) examines the claim that many of the degenerative diseases that afflict us can be controlled or even reversed by avoiding animal-based and processed foods. Processed food will be provided to the audience in the form of free pizza. *Discussion led by Biology Instructor Angela Costanzo.*

Bully (10/2 & 10/4) is the first feature-length documentary to show how we have all been affected by bullying, whether we have been victims, perpetrators or stood as silent witnesses. *Discussion led by Education Instructors Mani Sehgal and Gustavo Martinez-Padilla.*

The Invisible War (10/9 & 10/11) is a groundbreaking investigative documentary examining the epidemic of rape within the U.S. military. *Discussion led by Philosophy Professor Dr. Matt LoPresti with possible guest speaker Congresswoman Tulsi Gabbard. Details TBA.*

Juan of the Dead (10/16 & 10/18) is a Spanish-Cuban comedy that tells the story of zombie outbreak in Havana. Though the Cuban government classifies the living dead as subversive dissidents, Juan sees them as a business opportunity and starts a zombie extermination company. *Discussion led by Anthropology Professor Dr. Ayesha Nibbe.*

The Rocky Horror Picture Show (10/25). This famous horror comedy musical has become a cult classic and is still in theaters four decades after it was first released. *Discussion led by Communications Professor Dr. Matt George.*

The Island President (10/30 & 11/1) is an award-winning documentary that follows former Maldives President Mohamed Nasheed as he fights to protect his island country from climate change and rising sea levels. *Discussion led by Sustainability Coordinator Josh Prigge.*

Race to the World First (11/6 & 11/8) follows the 25-person World of Warcraft guild Blood Legion as it strives to become the world's leading guild. This documentary redefines the image of the gamer, focusing on the commitment, cooperation, and tremendous diversity within the massively multi-player online (MMO) community. *Discussion led by English Professor Dr. Christy Williams.*

The Law in These Parts (11/13 & 11/15) is an award-winning documentary examining the legal history of Israel's occupation of Arab territories through interviews with judges responsible for carrying out the wishes of military commanders. *Discussion led by International Studies Professor Dr. Grace Cheng.*

Gregory Crewdson: Brief Encounters (11/20 & 11/22) explores the meticulously composed and haunting photography of acclaimed artist Gregory Crewdson. *Discussion led by Art Instructor Kirsten Rae Simonsen.*

*A faculty or community member introduces the Friday films and leads a discussion after the movie

**Free Pizza at the Friday showings! For more information, contact Dr. Andrew Opitz at aopitz@hpu.edu