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Degree Information (Institution & Years)

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD). School of Social Policy & Social Work, Massey University, Albany, Auckland NZ. Social Policy & Social Work. Specialization in Indigenous Entrepreneurship.

Master of Philosophy (M.Phil). Department of Sociology, Social Work Unit. Massey University, Palmerston North. Sociology specialized in ethnographic sociology. **MSW** equivalency approved, Council on Social Work Education, Alexandria, VA. May 2002.

Bachelor of Social Work (BSW). Department of Social Work, Massey University, Palmerston North, NZ. Social Work.

Academic appointments

<u>Date</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Institution</u>
2024-present	Professor	Social Work	Hawai`i Pacific University (HI)
2018-2024	Assoc. Professor	Social Work	Hawai`i Pacific University (HI)
2016-2018	Assistant Professor	Social Work	Hawai`i Pacific University (HI)
2002-2014	Assistant Professor	Social Work	University of Hawai`i (HI)
2002	Visiting Professor	Social Work	University of Hawai`i (HI)

Adjunct Positions

2016-present	Adjunct Professor	Social Work	University of Hawai`i
2015	Adjunct Professor	Social Work	Hawai`i Pacific University
2005-2008	Adjunct Instructor	Social Work	Brigham Young University Hawai`i

Visiting Professorships/Lectureships

Tokyo University of Agriculture NODAI, Department of International Agricultural Development. Setagawa, Tokyo, Japan. June-July 2017. Focus on rural social sociology, agricultural science, economics and entrepreneurship.

Osaka Prefecture University, School of Social Work, Osaka, Japan. 2015-2016. Focus on family systems, conflict, and family group conferencing.

National Dong Hwa University, Department of Indigenous Development and Social Work, College of Indigenous Studies Hualien, Taiwan, 2015. Focus on rural community and indigenous entrepreneurship and families.

California Institute of Integral Studies, San Francisco and San Francisco Department of Public Health, Community Behavioral Health Service. 2012. Focus on Indigenous social determinants of health and social enterprise building.

University of Alaska Fairbanks, College of Rural and Community Development. Gaalee`ya Tanana River Camp. Fairbanks, Alaska. 2012. Focus on indigenous research and evaluation methodologies.

Academic appointments (Administrative)

Co-Director School of Social Work - Oversee budget, hiring, external relations, assessment, admissions, accreditation. School of Social Work, Hawai`i Pacific University. 2017-2019.

Director MSW Program - Oversee curriculum, assessment, admissions, accreditation, and student support. School of Social Work, Hawai`i Pacific University. 2016-2019.

Director & Chair of the Indigenous Affairs Committee - Oversee indigenous activities and social work program's curriculum development. Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, University of Hawai'i. 2008-2014.

Chair PhD Admissions - Responsible for candidate applications and review process, selection, and recommendation. Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, University of Hawai'i 2009-2013.

Chair Kupuna Council, Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work. Advisory support towards indigenization. 2006-2010.

Member Graduate Faculty University of Hawai'i Graduate Division. University approved status to serve as member PhD committees and thesis supervision. 2003-2014.

Co-chair Indigenous Voices in Social Work Conference: Not Lost in Translation Planning Committee. Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, University of Hawai'i. Hawai'i. 2004-2008.

Co-Chair MSW program Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, University of Hawai'i. Policy and curriculum review. Oversee and track 200+ full time/part time students. 2004-2005.

Member International Working Group - developing partnerships with schools of social work in Asia and the Pacific including MOUs and MOAs with Thailand and Japan, and consultative discussions with Guam University related to outreach. 2003-2008.

Member International Activities Committee, Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, University of Hawai'i. Development of professional, academic, and strategic collaborative with Asian, Pacific, and continental USA. Schools of Social Work. 2003-2007.

Professional work experience

Senior Health Researcher. (2014-2016) John A. Burns School of Medicine. University of Hawai'i, Pacific Disabilities Center (PDC). Federal and state contracts to undertake quality of service research, provide training, technical assistance, and program evaluation to the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation and supporting the Hawai'i Department of Health neurotrauma/brain injured registry. Principle responsibilities include data management, data collection, analysis, case, and field studies, descriptive, developmental, correlation, and causal comparative research design. Honolulu, Hawai'i.

Senior Social Worker. Waikato Hospital, (1989-1992). Forensic Psychiatric Unit. Clinical social work intervention, assessment, and follow-up support; provision of professional/clinical supervision to mental health and general ward social workers; medical social work administration and managerial support role; peer support supervision for Māori hospital-based and community health social workers. Drug and Alcohol counseling, and support to children and families. Hamilton, Aotearoa NZ.

Professional, academic, community-related, and scientific memberships

- Hawai'i - Pacific Evaluation Association. 2008-present.
- National Association of Social Workers – Hawai'i. 2008-present.
- Aotearoa New Zealand Association of Social Workers (ANZASW). 1989-2009.
- Aotearoa New Zealand Evaluation Association. 2008-present.
- Research Associate - Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre (SIERC). Massey University Albany, Auckland. 2010-present.
- Council for Social Work Education (CSWE). 2017-2019.

Community Service Responsibilities & Service to the profession

Native Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Islander Transgender Communities Working Group. Life Foundation, Harm Reduction of Hawai'i and Kua'ana Project. May 2017.

Place-based Action Learning Simulation. Joint Native Hawaiian- Ainu Educational Development. Co facilitation with Nanako Iwasa, College of Education, Hokkaido University, Japan. Waimanalo, Hawai'i. 2014-2017.

Breadfruit and Social Business Development in Tonga. Joint project in conjunction with NODAI Tokyo University of Agricultural, Manukau Institute of Technology and Te Wananga o Aotearoa. 2013-2018.

External Program Moderator, Te Wananga o Aotearoa BSW (Biculturalism in Practice). 2011-2017.

Institutional service (committees and administrative roles)

- College Graduate Curriculum Committee. Oversee college curriculum changes and approvals. College of Health and Society., Hawai`i Pacific University. 2025-present.
- Faculty Senate Advisory sub-committee on Diversity. Develop draft senate policy briefs on diversity related to Native Hawaiian faculty recruitment and retention policy and HPU's mission around positionality and land acknowledgements. Hawai`i Pacific University. 2022-2024.
- Faculty Senator. Liaise on behalf of faculty with the university, shared governance, review policy and procedures and address faculty concerns and issues with university administration. Hawai`i Pacific University. 2018-present.
- Faculty Development Committee. Organize and oversee college in-service training and professional development. College of Health and Society, Hawai`i Pacific University. 2016-present.
- Faculty University Graduate Curriculum Committee. Oversee university-wide curriculum changes and approvals for graduate courses. Hawai`i Pacific University. 2016-present.
- College Graduate Curriculum Committee. Oversee college curriculum changes and approvals. College of Health and Society., Hawai`i Pacific University. 2016-2020.
- External Reviewer. Bachelor of Social Work program. School of Sociology, Gender and Social Work, Otago University, Dunedin. NZ. 2017.

Research Grants - Principal & Co-Principal Investigator

- Co- Investigator. 2023-2024. Artificial Intelligence (AI)/Machine Learning (ML) Consortium to Advance Health Equity and Researcher Diversity (AIM-AHEAD) PAIR grant focused on health disparities and inequities and increasing participation and representation of researchers and communities currently considered underrepresented by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) definition in biomedical, behavioral, clinical, and social science professional careers in the development and application of AI/ML. Lead Investigator with Dr. Yi Zhu, Mathematics and Computational Sciences. **PROJECT TITLE:** PAIR Phase 2: Depression and Suicide Risk, Resiliency, and Prevention among Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (NHPI) Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer or Questioning, and Intersex (LGBTQI+) Youth. (1 year grant). \$100,000.
- Co- Investigator. 2024-2025. Artificial Intelligence (AI)/Machine Learning (ML) Consortium to Advance Health Equity and Researcher Diversity (AIM-AHEAD) Consortium Development Program (CDP) grant. The grant focuses on diversity in the AI/ML field and the development of multidisciplinary research pilot projects that impact healthcare access, utilization, healthcare quality, value, and health outcomes for populations that experience health disparities in cancer, cardiometabolic and behavioral/mental health. Lead Investigator with Dr. Yi Zhu, Mathematics and Computational Sciences. **PROJECT TITLE:** Integrative analysis of risk prediction and outcome modeling in lung cancer across multiethnic populations using deep machine learning. Collaboration partners, the University of Hawaii School of Medicine Center on Cancer Research and Queens Medical Hospital. (1-year grant). \$750,000.
- Co- Investigator. 2020-2021. HPU Undergraduate Student Research Center (HUI SRC) Infrastructure Development College of Health and Society. Principal Investigator, Dean Halaevalu Vakalahi. Co-Investigators Dr. David Horgen, Dr. Scott Okamoto, & Dr. Peter Mataira. National Institutes of Health (NIH) Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity (BUILD) Initiative has captured these attributes of research entrepreneurship within undergraduate education. **PROJECT TITLE:** A Student-Centered Entrepreneurship Development (ASCEND) training model to diversify the biomedical research workforce focused on building the undergraduate research infrastructure at Hawaii/I Pacific University. (3-year grant). \$750,000.
- Co- Investigator. 2018. HIV Risks and Resiliencies among Hawai`i's Mahuwahine: A reprise. Hawai`i Pacific Faculty Development Fund. 12-month project. \$8,217.
- Senior Researcher. 2014-2016. Vocational Rehabilitation Division Contract. Pacific Disabilities Center, John A. Burns School of Medicine, University of Hawai`i. \$200,000 annual. 2016.
- Co-Principal Investigator. Papawai Nurturing `Ohana Center, Ho`oike Project. Cultural evaluation project. Liliuokalani Trust. \$50,000. 2012-2014.

Professional activities - publications, presentations, professional society memberships,

other relevant activity

Journal articles – juried

- Mataira P., Moon, S., Stewart, T. (2026). Data as the New Land: Data as the New Land: Leveraging AI through decolonization, Indigenous Sovereignty, and epistemological resistance. *Journal of Indigenous*
- Yi Zhu Yi, **Mataira, P.**, Dennison, H., Moon, S., Rosario, K. (2026). A Culturally-Grounded, AI-Supported Rapid Activation Workflow to Improve Access in Youth Suicide Prevention Work in Hawai'i. *Hawaii Journal of Social Welfare & Health*. (submitted for publication). *Wellbeing*. Volume 8.Issue 2. October.
- Mataira, P.J., Giroux, D., Okada, V.M. et al. (2026). Centering 'Ike Kupuna: Decolonizing Social Work Education through Indigenous Knowledge and Pono Practice in Hawai'i. *Glob Soc Welf*.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s40609-026-00435-8>
- Mataira, P. J., Silan Wasiq (Gao I-An). (2019). Insights into Positionality and the Voicing of Indigeneity in Research: Towards a critical theory of Inbetweenness. *Journal of Sámi Language and Culture Research Association*. *Dutkansearvi Diedalaš Áigecála*. 3(2). pp 108-124.
<http://dutkansearvi.fi/tieteellinenjulkaisu/volume3-issue2-2019>.
- Sumida Huaman, E., **Mataira, P. J.** (2019). Beyond Community Engagement: Centering Indigenous Research Agendas through Peoplehood. *AlterNative: International Journal of Indigenous Peoples*. Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga. Vol.15 Issue 3. September. pp:281-286. University of Auckland, Aotearoa New Zealand. pp281-286. DOI:10.1177/1177180119871705.
- Mataira, P. J. (2019). Transforming Indigenous Research: Collaborative Responses to historical research tensions. *International Review of Education*. Special issue on Indigenous knowledges and learning: Vital contributions towards sustainability. UNESCO. DOI:10.1007/s11159-019-09766-5.
- Yang, K. I., Chung-Do, J., J. Fujitani, L., Foster, A., Mark, S., Okada, Y., Saad-Jube, Z., Youkhana, F., Braun, K., Cassel, K., Helm, S., Kaopua, L., **Mataira, P.**, Nishita, C., Okamoto, S., Townsend, C., Querishi, K., Umemoto, K., (2019) Advancing Community-Based Participatory Research in Hawai`i. *Hawai`i Journal of Medicine and Public Health*. Vol. 78. No.3.
- Iwasa, N., & **Mataira, P. J.** (2018). Simulation Game, Project PAL: Place-based Active Learning for Empowering Young Indigenous Leaders through Entrepreneurship. *International Simulation and Gaming Association Conference Journal*. 49th ISAGA Conference July 9-13. Mahidol University, Thailand.
- Adams M., **Mataira, P. J.**, Walker, S. Hart, M., Drew, N., & Fleay, J. J. (2017). Cultural identity and practices associated with the health and wellbeing of Indigenous males. *Journal of Indigenous Studies and First Nations' and First Peoples'*. Pennsylvania State University Press. May, Vol. 1 (1). pp:42-61.
- Mataira, P. J. (2016). The Politics of Indigeneity: Lessons learned and the implications for decolonizing social work education in Hawai`i. *Social Dialogues* Issue 15. (November). International Association of Schools of Social Work.
- Mataira, P. J., Matsuoka, J. K., Morelli, P. T. & Uehara-McDonald, S. (2014). Shifting the Paradigm: New Directions for Non-profits and Funders in an era of Diminishing Resources. *Journal of Social Business*. Vol 4. No.3. pp: 231-244. Scotland. DOI: 10.1362/204440814X1410345934212.
- Morelli, P. T. & **Mataira, P. J.** (2010). Indigenizing Evaluation Research: A Long-awaited Paradigm Shift. *Journal of Indigenous Voices in Social Work* Vol.1 issue 2 pp:1-12.
- Mataira, P. J. (2008). "Sitting in the Fire" An Indigenous Approach to Masculinity and Male Violence: Māori Men working with Māori Men. *Te Komako*, Aotearoa New Zealand Association of Social Workers ANZASW Journal. Vol. XX No.4 December.
- Mataira, P. J., Matsuoka, J. K., & Morelli, P. T. (2006). Issues and Processes in Indigenous Research. In *Huilili Multidisciplinary Research on Hawai`i Wellbeing*. Vol.2. Kamehameha Schools. Honolulu, HI.
- Mataira, P. J. (2003) He Kainga Tuturu: Talking story and the Rediscovering of Community. *Te Komako*, ANZASW Journal. Vol. XV No.3 Spring. October.
- Mataira, P. J. (2002) Treaty Partnering: Establishment of a Community Charter for Māori community-based programs. *Te Komako*, ANZASW Journal. Vol. XIV No.2 Winter. pp:5-7.
- Lunt, N., Spoonley P. & **Mataira P. J.** (2002) Past and Present Reflections on Citizenship within New Zealand. *Social Policy and Administration*, UK (36) 4 pp:346-362.

Edited Books

- Sumida Huaman, E., Martin, N. D, na'im madyun., & **Mataira, P. J.** (2026). The westernized university and us: Stories of coloniality and compassion in higher education. University of Minnesota Press, Minnesota. (*publishing data November 2026*).
- Fejo-King, Christine. & **Mataira, P. J.**, (2015) Expanding the Conversation: International Indigenous Social Workers' insights into the use of Indigenist Knowledge and Theory in Practice. (Eds.) Canberra: Magpie Goose Publishing.

Book Chapters

- Mataira, P., Kaulukukui, C. Malina., Morelli, P. T. Okada, V. M. (2027). Education as Restorative Justice. Routledge Handbook on Indigenous Education. (*chapter accepted*)
- Elkington, H. E. & **Mataira, P. J.**, Elkington, Te Manu., Pehi, O. (2026). Eat, Love, and Pray: Food, Faith, and Māori Reflections on the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Doctrine of Health. In Tasting Religion. Harvey, G. & Mulhen, A. Editors. Equinox series *Religion and the Senses*. UK. Open University. (*Expected publication Spring Fall 2027*).
- Mataira, P. J. & Morelli, P. T. (2026). Indigeneity, Indigenization and Cortical Race Theory: Intersections of resistance: Chapter 20. In Critical Race Theory and Social Work. Ortiz, L, Nakaoka, S. Vazquez, N. & Ault, S. Editors. New York. Cambridge University Press.
- Mataira, P. J. & Morelli, P. T. (2025). Taking Our Lickings and Pitching In. In Insights for Indigenous Evaluation. Edited by Gladys Rowe, Nadine Flagel & Taylor Wilson. Creative Commons Attribution – Non-Commercial, No Derivatives 4.0 International License. pp:60-77.
- Sumida Huaman. E. & Mataira, P. J. (2024). Comparative Indigenous Research: Indigenous communities, knowledges, and *mana* across lands and waters. In Comparative and International Education. Thomas, M. Editor. London. Bloomsbury (*Accepted. Anticipated publication. Spring 2024*).
- Mataira, P. J. (2020). Making Sense of Anecdota: Pushing the Edges of Research in the Quest to Decolonize Science. In Indigenous Communities and Research: Research with, by, and for Local Peoples. Sumida Huaman, E. & Martin, N., D. (Eds.). Canadian Scholars' Press. ISBN: 9781773382074
- Mafile'o, T. & Mataira, P. J. Saxon, K. (2019) *Collaborative Approaches to Pacific Social Work Research*. Chapter 19. In Pacific Social Work: Navigating Practice, Policy, and Research. England. Routledge.
- Adams, M., Fleay, J. **Mataira, P.J.**, Walker, S., & Hart, M. (2019). Colonialism and the atrophy of Indigenous male identities. In *Our Voices* B. Bennett, & S. Green (Eds.). 2nd Ed. New York. Bloomsbury Publishing. pp. 47-64.
- Rinkel, M. & **Mataira, P.J.** (2018). *Developing critical self-awareness to incorporate sustainability into worldviews*. In M. Powers & M. Rinkel (Eds.), Social work promoting community and environmental sustainability: A workbook for global social workers and educators Vol. II. pp:30-41. Berne, Switzerland: International Federation of Social Workers.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015) *Social Entrepreneurship and Social Work Education: Indigenous Resiliency Building and the Re-empowering of Our Communities*. In Expanding the Conversation: International Indigenous Social Workers' insights into the use of Indigenist Knowledge and Theory in Practice. Canberra. Fejo-King C. & Mataira, P. J. (Eds.) Canberra: Magpie Goose Publishing.
- Mataira, P. J. (2014) *Social Entrepreneurship: A Culturally rooted Approach to Promoting Social and Economic Justice*. In Cross-cultural Social Work: Local and Global. Ling How Kee & Martin, J. (Eds.) Palgrave: Macmillan.
- Mokuau, N., & **Mataira, P. J.** (2013) *From Trauma to Triumph: Perspectives for Native Hawaiian and Māori Peoples*. In Decolonizing Social Work. Mel Gray, John Coates, Michael Yellow Bird & Tiani Hetherington. (Eds.). England. Ashgate.
- Morelli, P. T., **Mataira, P. J.** & Kaulukukui, C., M. (2013) *Indigenizing the Curriculum: The Decolonization of Social Work in Hawai'i*. In Decolonizing Social Work. Mel Gray, John Coates, Michael Yellow Bird & Tiani Hetherington. (Eds.). England. Ashgate.
- McCubbin, H. I., Strom. L. McCubbin, Wei Zhang. L. Kehl, S. Foley, **P. J. Mataira.** & D. Rothwell. (2010). *Health Disparities of Native Hawaiians Revisited: Implications of Multiethnicity*. In Multiethnicity and Multiethnic Families: Development, Identify, and Resilience. Edited by McCubbin et al. Le'a Publications. University of Hawai'i. Honolulu.

- Mataira, P. J. (2005) *Individual Integrity: Ethical, Principle-Centered Leadership*. In AnewNZ 3D Leadership for National Renewal. Breuer, Dave (Ed). www.anew.org.nz
- Mataira, P. J. (2004) *Leadership in Te Ao Māori*. In Māori and the Social Services: An annotated bibliography revised. Massey University, Palmerston North NZ.
- De Bruin, A., **Mataira, P. J.** (2003) *Indigenous Entrepreneurship*. In Entrepreneurship: New Perspectives in a Global Age. Ashgate Press. Oxon, UK. (Eds. A. de Bruin, A. & A. DuPois).

Booklets, Handbooks, Manuals

- Mataira P. & Ishiskawa. S. (2017) *A Guide for Social Workers: Social Entrepreneurship, Social Enterprise, and Business Planning for Community Non-Profits in Hawai`i*. Hawai`i Pacific University. Hawai`i
- Mataira P. J. & Simms S. (2015) *Non-Profit Social Enterprise Building: Strategy for Community Partner Business Planning and Social Entrepreneurship in Hawai`i*. Participant and Facilitator Manuals. H`ilei Aloha, Office of Hawaiian Affairs. May. Hawai`i
- Mataira P. J. (2015) *Social Enterprise and Entrepreneurship in Indigenous Communities: Investment Preparedness, Leadership and Business Planning*. Participant Manual. College of Indigenous Studies, National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan. November.
- Mataira P. J. & Simms S. (2015) *Non-Profit Social Enterprise Building: Strategy for Community Partner Business Planning and Social Entrepreneurship in Hawai`i*. Participant and Facilitator Manuals. H`ilei Aloha, Office of Hawaiian Affairs. May. Hawai`i
- Mataira, P. J., & Morelli, P. T. (2010). *A Handbook for Strengths-Enhancing Research (SEER): A Tool for `Aina-Based Program Evaluation - Paths to Relevant, Effective Program Development*. Consuelo Foundation. Honolulu, Hawai`i.

Technical Reports

- Mataira, P. & Walsh-Tapiata, W. (2014). *Indigenizing Social Work Education: Knowledge Development, Theory Building, and Research Methodologies for Bicultural Practice*. Te Tohu Paetahi Ngā Poutoko Whakarara Oranga - Bachelor of Social Work (Biculturalism in Practice). Te Wananga o Aotearoa. Te Awamutu, NZ.
- Morelli, P. T & **Mataira, P. J.** (2014). *Papawai Nurturing `Ohana, Ho`oike Project*. Evaluation Report. Liliuokalani Trust.
- Mataira, P. (2014). *Environmental Scan Report*. Te Tohu Paetahi Ngā Poutoko Whakarara Oranga - Bachelor of Social Work (Biculturalism in Practice) External Report. Te Wananga o Aotearoa. Te Awamutu, NZ.
- Mataira, P. J. (2013). *Te Tohu Paetahi Ngā Poutoko Whakarara Oranga - Bachelor of Social Work (Biculturalism in Practice) External Review*. Te Wananga o Aotearoa. Aotearoa New Zealand Qualifications Authority, Wellington, NZ.
- Balutski, N., **Mataira, P. J.**, & Morelli, P. T. (2012). *Engaging Communities in Education Leadership*. Summit Evaluation Report. W. K Kellogg Foundation, Honolulu HI.
- Morelli, P. T., **Mataira, P. J.**, & Duldulao, G. (2011). *Aquaponics in the Philippines Workshop Report*. Joint Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work University of Hawai`i and The Consuelo Foundation initiative.
- Mataira, P. (2008). *Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Indigenous Voices in Social Work: Not Lost in Translation* Conference Report. University of Hawai`i, School of Social Work. Honolulu, HI.
- Mataira, P. J, Matusoka, J. K, Pourbahrami, T., Kardahl, K. (2006). *Alliance for Better Communities 5-year Evaluation Study*. Honolulu, HI.
- Mataira, P. J., Kaldahl, K., Pourbahrami, T. (2004). *Hawai`i Community Foundation `Mo Bettah Together` Evaluation Report*. University of Hawai`i, School of Social Work. Honolulu, HI.
- Mataira, P. J. (2003). *Māori Evaluation Research, Theory and Practice: Lessons for Native Hawaiian Studies*". Evaluation Hui, McCoy Pavilion, Ala Moana Kamehameha Schools Policy Analysis Systems Evaluation (PASE). Honolulu, Hawai`i. www.ksbe.edu/pase/pdf/EvaluationHui/mataira.pdf.
- Belgrave, M., Jakob-Hoff, M., Milne, S., Selby, R., Asiasiga, L., **Mataira, P.**, Brandt, T., Sanders, J., Millard, van Daatselaar, S., Munford, R., Walsh-Tapiata, W., Hawkins, K., Kaa, H., Schuster, A., Ackroyd, S., Thorpe, A. (2002). *Social Workers in Schools Expansion Evaluation Report*. Ministry of Social Development / Te Manatū Whakahiato Ora. December.

Other Publications

- Mataira, P. J. (September 2023). Position Paper AI and Social Work. School of Social Work, Hawai'i Pacific University.
- Morelli, P. T., **Mataira, P. J.**, & Yamashita, M. (executive producers). (February 2014). Papawai Nurturing `Ohana Camp DVD. Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center and the Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work in association with Quazifilms Media Production. DVD, 5-minute informational. Kona, Hawai'i.
- Morelli, P. T., **Mataira, P. J.**, & Yamashita, M. (executive producers). (November 2013). Lei Aku Lei Mai, Aina-based Early Childhood Education. Strengths-Enhancing Research (SEER part II). DVD, 20-minutes. Na Kamalei and Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work in association with Quazifilms Media Production. Punalu'u Hawai'i.
- Mataira, P. J., Morelli, P. T. & Yamashita, M. (executive producers). (2010). Strengths-Enhancing Research (SEER part I): Paths and Practices: Toward Relevant, Effective Program Development. DVD, 25-minutes. Consuelo Foundation and Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work in association with Quazifilms Media Production. Honolulu, Hawai'i. <http://youtu.be/GEubejt8oUg>.
- Mataira, P. J., Matsuoka J. K., Ka'opua, L.S. (executive producers). (2007). Indigenous Voices in Social Work: Not Lost in Translation" Conference video production. Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work in association with 'Olelo Community Media. Honolulu, HI.
- Mataira, P. J. (1996) On Cannabis. Public Health Issues Group Report. Submission to Ministry of Health. Wellington NZ.
- Mataira, P. J. (1984) Bicultural Supervision. Fieldwork Manual. Department of Sociology and Social Work. Massey University. Palmerston North NZ.

Peer Reviewed Conference Presentations

- Mataira, P. (2026, November 23) Data as the New Land: Leveraging AI from Extraction to Indigenous Epistemological Resistance and Action. International Indigenous Research Conference. University of Auckland, Auckland. Aotearoa New Zealand.
- Mataira, P. (2026, November 12). Data as Taonga (Sacred Offerings): Leveraging AI through Kaitiakitanga – Stewardship. Lessons for Indigenous social work education and practice in Aotearoa, Taiwan and the Pacific. The 6th International Conference on Indigenous Development and Social Work. National Dong Hwa University. Hualien, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. & Stewart, T. (2026, October 23) Data as the New Land: Leveraging AI through Decolonization, Indigenous Sovereignty, and Epistemological Resistance. CSWE 2026 Annual Program Conference. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Britos, P., Dumlao, A., Marek, S. A., Martin, T., Okada, V., Rivera, R. R., Stewart, T., **Mataira, P.** (July 24, 2026). Centering Nā Waiwai: Navigating Systemic Approaches to Interweaving Indigenous Values in Higher Education. Hawai'i Pacific University. Native American and Indigenous Studies Association Conference. Temuko, Waimapu. Chile.
- Mataira, P.J. (2025, August 11-15). Voices of Resilience: Indigenous Storytelling, Resistance, and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Social Work and Health Equity Research. 7th International Indigenous Voices in Social Work (IIVSW) Conference, Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
- Mataira, P.J & Okada, V.M (2025, June 26). Centering 'Ike Kupuna: Decolonizing Social Work Education Through Indigenous Knowledge and Pono Practice in Hawai'i. Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) Conference. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
- Giroux, D., Okada, V., **Mataira, P.**, Martin, T., Dunn, L. (October 23-27, 2024). Weaving Pacific Island Indigenous Content into an Online MSW Program. Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) APM. Kansas City, Kansas.
- Zhu, Yi & **Mataira P.J.** (2024, August 6-7). Native Hawaiian and Pacific Island (NHPI) Community Informed AI/ML Health Equity Research: Readiness to Build and Co-design the Rainbow (Anuenue) Bridge between AI/ML Technology, and Community. Poster presentation. National Institutes of Health (NIH) agreement NO. 1OT2OD032581-01. AI for Health Equity Symposium AIM-AHEAD Annual Meeting (AIHES). Atlanta, Georgia.

- Mataira, P.J. Indigenous Perspectives on Conflict and Conservation. Part 1: Māori and Ni'Van Communities. Road to Geneva Environmental Peacebuilding Association Cultural Talk Story Virtual series. Geneva, Switzerland
- Makahi, E, Lee, P., Lee, H., **Mataira, P.**, Morelli, P., Tibbetts, K. (2023, October 12-16). Potential or Problematic: Exploring the Impact of ChatGPT on Evaluation Methods. Panel. Hawai`i-Pacific Evaluation Association Online Conference, Hawai`i.
- Morelli P. T., **Mataira, P. J.**, Spencer, M. Hart, M., Rowe, G., Martens, T., Matusoka, J., Tamang, S., Eketone, A., & Mathebane, M. (2022 April 27-29). Indigenous Communities and COVID-19: Impact and Implications Journal of Indigenous Social Development (JISD) Editorial Board. 6th International Indigenous Voices in Social Work (IIVSW) Virtual Conference. Hosted by the Tangata Whenua Social Work Association, Auckland, Aotearoa New Zealand.
- Morelli Paula T., **Mataira, Peter J.**, Spencer, M. Hart, M., Rowe, G. (2021, April 26-30). Indigenous Communities and COVID-19: Impact and Implications. 19th Annual Hawai`i International Virtual Institute on Violence, Abuse and Trauma (IVAT) Summit on Preventing, Assessing & Treating Trauma Across the Lifespan.
- Mataira, P. Edwards, G., Orbas, E. (2021, February 7) Indigenous Perspectives on Conflict and Conservation. Part 1: Māori and Ni'Van Communities. Road to Geneva Environmental Peacebuilding Association Cultural Talk Story Virtual series. Geneva, Switzerland
- Lee, P., Lee, H., **Mataira, P.**, Morelli, P., Tibbetts, K. (2020, October 12-16). Aloha as a disruptive and humbling force on an evaluator's journey towards justice and equity. Closing Panel. Hawai`i-Pacific Evaluation Association Online Conference, Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2019, July 5-7). Designing and Launching a Doctoral degree in Indigenous Science and Social Development (ISSD) in Hawai`i: Lessons learned. 5th International Indigenous Voices in Social Work Conference. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2019, July 5-7). What Social Workers in Hawai`i say and think about Social Entrepreneurship: A perception survey on economic justice, sustainability, and social work practice. 5th International Indigenous Voices in Social Work Conference National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2017, December 2-4). Tri-level Indigenous Entrepreneurship: An Eco-systemic Approach to Sovereignty Building and Community Re-empowerment. International Conference on Policy Towards Indigenous People: Lessons to be Learned. Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, November 20). Indigenizing Research: Ethics, Relational Issues and Considerations Working with Indigenous Communities. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, November 19). Indigenous Entrepreneurship and Social Work Education: Economic Human Rights, Employment and Re-empowering our communities. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, October 27). Indigenous Entrepreneurship and Education: Resiliency and Re-empowerment. 6th World indigenous Business Forum. Marriott Resort, Waikiki, Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, September 14-17). Social Entrepreneurship: A new field of practice for social work and its implications for Indigenous communities. 3rd International Indigenous Social Work Conference. Darwin, Northern Territories, Australia. (Special presentation).
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, September 14-17). Indigenous Entrepreneurship and Social Work Education: Resiliency Building and the Re-empowering of Our Communities. 3rd International Indigenous Social Work Conference. Darwin, Northern Territories, Australia.
- Hovarth, V, **Mataira, P. J.** Arrieta, D. (2015, May 18-19). National and State Neurotrauma Registries: What do they tell us about Traumatic Brain Injuries, Stroke and Spinal Cord Injuries? Pacific Rim International Conference on Disability and Diversity. Honolulu, Hawai`i.
- Hovarth, V, **Mataira, P. J.** Arrieta, D. (2015, April 15-17). National and State Neurotrauma Registries: What do they tell us about Traumatic Brain Injury? 39th Annual Brain Injury Rehabilitation Conference. Williamsburg, Virginia.

Keynote Addresses

- Mataira, P. J. (2025, March 11-14). Voices of Resilience: Intersecting Indigenous Storytelling, Resistance, and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Health Care. Keynote Address. Australasian College of Emergency Medicine (ACEM). Gisborne, Aotearoa New Zealand.
- Mataira P.J. & Eruera, M. (2022, April 27-29). Global Reset: Reauthenticating the Voices of Indigenous Social Workers in a Time of Unprecedented Change. Keynote Address. 6th International Indigenous Voices in Social Work (IIVSW) Virtual Conference. Hosted by the Tangata Whenua Social Work Association, Auckland, Aotearoa New Zealand.
- Mataira, P. J. (2019, December 5). Keynote Address. Social Work: A Call to Serve. Bachelor of Social Work Convocation. Keynote Address. Brigham Young University Hawai`i. La`ie, Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2018, October 5). Building local community-university partnerships: Responding to Westside needs and future trends in social work education. Keynote Address. NASW Hawai`i Conference. Ke Ola Mau Loa i Ka Moananui: Advancing Wellbeing in the Pacific. Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2017, November 25-26). From Trauma to Triumph: Entrepreneurial Resilience through a Healing informed Approach to Relationship Building and Business Success. Keynote Address. Policy and Practice of Indigenous Peoples Social Welfare Conference, National Taipei University, Taipei, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2017, November 21-23). Tri-level Indigenous Entrepreneurship: An Eco-systemic Approach to Education and Business Success. Keynote Address. International Austronesian Conference on Indigenous Industries Development. National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST), Republic of China. Pingtung, Taiwan.
- Mataira, P. J. (2015, September 14-17). Surviving, Thriving and Social Enterprise Building: Diversifying Revenue Generation and Promoting Investment Preparedness for Indigenous Social and Health Services. Keynote Address. 3rd International Indigenous Social Work Conference. Darwin, Northern Territories, Australia.
- Mataira, P. J. (2014, September 8-12). Strengths-Enhancing Evaluation Research (SEER): Relational Issues and considerations working with Native/Indigenous Communities. Keynote Address. Australasian Evaluation Society Conference Darwin, North Territories, Australia.
- Mataira, P. J. (2013, April 29-30). 'Guesthood' and Knowledge Development: An Ethical Consideration for Decolonizing Research. Keynote Address. Pacific Rim International Conference on Disability and Diversity. Hawai`i Convention Center. Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2007, July 8-11). Indigenizing Evaluation and Research Practice: Manuhiritanga (Guesthood) as a decolonizing ethical consideration. Keynote Address. The Inaugural Aotearoa New Zealand Evaluation Association Conference. Where is the value in evaluation? Solway Cophrope Hotel, Masterton NZ.
- Mataira, P. J. (2004, July 15). "Valuing Cultural Diversity in the Aotearoa New Zealand Education System:" Keynote Address to US Fulbright Scholars. East West Center. University of Hawai`i. Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2004, June). Decolonizing Evaluation Practice: Values, knowledge, and notions of reciprocity. Keynote address to Native Hawaiian Evaluation Conference. Joint sponsors Kamehameha Schools and School of Social Work, UH Manoa and Pacific Resource Education Learning Center. Korean Studies Institute, University of Hawai`i. Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P. J. (2004, June). PhD finding on Indigenous Entrepreneurship: A Māori overview. Keynote Address. Micro-Business Hawai`i Alliance for Community-Based Economic Development Honolulu (HACBED). Hawai`i.
- Mataira, P.J. (1993, Dec) Future Directions for Indigenous Social Work and Counselling. Keynote address. Inaugural, Te Whiuwhiu o Te Hau, Māori Counseling Program Graduation. Waikato Institute of Technology. Hamilton, NZ. December 1993.

Seminars, Webinars Workshops, Training, and Invited Talks

- Mataira, P. J. (2026, February 11). Exploring Artificial Intelligence in Social Work: Leveraging culture, place (context) and ethics at the School of Social Work, Hawaii Pacific University. CSWE Center for Diversify Honolulu HI.
- Mataira, P. J. (2026, January 3). Education, Culture, and the Environment in an AI-Driven Era. The International Academic Forum (IAFOR) IICE/IICAH2026 conference. Hawaii Convention Center. Honolulu, HI.

- Mataira, P. J., & Morelli, P. T. Leveraging AI in Research & Program Evaluation in Pacific Communities Workshop. Hawai'i Pacific Evaluation Association (H-PEA) Conference. Ko'olau Ballroom. Kane'ohe, HI. September 29, 2025.
- Mataira, P. J. The Integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in Social Work Practice AI 人工知能 ML (機械学習) のソーシャルワーク実践への統合 Seinan Gakuin University. Fukuoka, Japan. June 7, 2025.
- Mataira, P. J. Social Work in Hawai'i and the Pacific: Advancing Future trends in practice, research, and education. Hokusei University. Hokkaido, Japan. June 3, 2025.
- Mataira, P. J. Once Were Warriors: A re-examination of Cultural Trauma and Fractured Fathers. Osaka Metropolitan University. Osaka, Japan. May 29, 2025.
- Mataira, P. J. The Integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in Social Work Practice AI 人工知能 ML (機械学習) のソーシャルワーク実践への統合 Osaka Metropolitan University. Osaka, Japan. May 29, 2025.
- Mataira, P. J. Harnessing Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (AI/ML) for Enhanced Social Work Education and Practice: Implications for our students, clients, communities, and profession. International Professional Exchange Webinar. March 3, 2025
- Mataira, P. J. Living in Hawai'i: Home Away from Home: Revisited. Ainu Youth Group Educational Exchange. Kapi'olani Community College. Hawai'i. January 7, 2019.
- Mataira, P. J. Living in Hawai'i: Home Away from Home. Ainu Youth Group Educational Exchange. Kapi'olani Community College. Hawai'i. January 8, 2018.
- Mataira, P. J. Rural Community Education: A Social Enterprise Strategy. Rural Sociology Development Graduate students Tokyo University of Agriculture. Tokyo, Japan. June 2017.
- Mataira, P. J. "Strive to Thrive" - Non-government Revenue Generation: A Path to Sustainable Funding in an Era of Diminishing Revenues in Hawai'i and the Pacific Seminar. Tokyo University of Agriculture, Tokyo, Japan. June 2017.
- Mataira, P. J. "Reawakening the Entrepreneurial Spirit Within: Social Work Education and the Economic Re-empowerment of Indigenous Communities in Hawai'i. 4th Indigenous Voices in Social Work Conference, Alta, Norway. June 11-14, 2017
- Mataira, P. J. Rock n Roll n Relationships; Exploring Sex and Sexuality through music. Communications 403 class. School of Communications. University of Hawai'i. Hawai'i. May 3, 2017.
- Mataira, P. J. Once Were Warriors: A Re-examination of Cultural Historic Trauma. Osaka Prefecture University School of Social Work, Osaka, Japan. Teleconference link. June 22, 2016.
- Mataira, P. J. Horvath, V., Whited, C. Introduction to Entrepreneurship for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing in Hawai'i: Developing and Communicating Your Business Plan. Pacific Disabilities Center, University of Hawai'i John A. Burns School of Medicine, Honolulu, Hawai'i. May 2016.
- Mataira, P. J. Hawai'i Neurotrauma Registry. Traumatic Brain Injury/Concussion Prevention. Communications and Information Sciences students. University of Hawai'i Manoa, Honolulu, Hawai'i. April 18, 2016.
- Mataira, P. J. Disabilities and Social Enterprise Building Hawai'i Neurotrauma Registry. Master of Social Work, Community Practice students. Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work. University of Hawai'i Manoa, Honolulu, Hawai'i. February 16, 2016.
- Mataira, P. J. Cultural Competency: Theory in Action- Lessons Learned. Public lecture. Osaka Prefecture University, Osaka, Japan. December 12, 2015.
- Mataira, P. J. Cultural Competency and Diversity. Osaka Prefecture University, School of Social Work. Osaka, Japan. December 9, 2015.
- Mataira, P. J. Community Practice: "Putting Unity Back into Community". Osaka Prefecture University, School of Social Work, Osaka, Japan. December 8, 2015.
- Mataira, P. J. Indigenizing Social Work: Lessons Learned in Developing Competency Standards. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan. November 19, 2015.
- Mataira, P. J. Indigenous Family Social Work: Family Group Conferencing Indigenous Social Work Workshop Series II. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan. November 18, 2015.

- Mataira, P. J. Social Enterprise and Entrepreneurship in Indigenous Communities: Investment Preparedness Leadership and Business Planning. Indigenous Social Work Workshop Series I. National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan. November 17, 2015.
- Mataira P. J., Simms S. A. Non-Profit Social Enterprise Building: Strategy for Community Partnerships, Business Planning and Social Entrepreneurship in Hawai`i. Hi`ilei Aloha, Office of Hawaiian Affairs. February 26, 2015.
- Mataira P. J., Simms S. A. Non-Profit Social Enterprise Building: Strategy for Community Partnerships, Business Planning and Social Entrepreneurship in Hawai`i. Hi`ilei Aloha, Office of Hawaiian Affairs. March 4, 2015.
- Mataira P. J. Marae protocol and Guesthood. Department of Education-Moloka'i Middle School, Molokai. April 1, 2015.
- Mataira P. J. & Simms S. Surviving and Thriving: Tools for diversifying your organization's revenue streams. Weinberg Fellow. Honolulu. September 24, 2014.
- Mataira, P. J. Social Entrepreneurship and Community Building. The Consuelo Foundation. Cititbank, Makati Manila, The Philippines. July 1, 2013.
- Mataira, P. J., Saucedo Martinez, C., Ryan, C. Indigenous Communities Knowledge Development. Joint workshop San Francisco Department of Public Health, Community Behavioral Health Service. Mental Health Services Act Unit. California Institute of Integral Studies. San Francisco. July 28-29, 2012.
- Mataira, P. J. Indigenous Evaluation, Leadership and Strategy-building. College of Rural & Community Development. Principles of Indigenous Evaluation Research. Meeting with Elder Howard Luke. Gaalee`ya Tanana River Camp. Fairbanks, Alaska. May 18-20, 2012.
- Mataira P. J. Morelli, P. T. Indigenous Perspectives and Requirements for Federal Approval of evidence-based practice. National Registry for Evidence-based Programs and Practice and Native American Center on Excellence. Hilton Santa Fe at Buffalo Thunder, Buffalo Thunder Trail. Santa Fe, New Mexico. April 11-12, 2012.
- Mataira, P. J. Community Practice: Social Workers as Mental Health Disaster Relief First Responders. Osaka Perfunctory University. Korean Studies. University of Hawai`i. March 6, 2012.
- Mataira, P. J. Systematic Evaluative Inquiry: Assessment and Multiple data sources. Principles of Indigenous Evaluation Research training, Interior Aleutians Campus, University of Alaska, Fairbanks. Teleconference link. February 28, 2012.
- Mataira, P. J. & aruskevich, K. Social Entrepreneurship and Native Communities: Sustainability through Social Enterprise. Alaska Chapter of the American Planning Association Conference. Teleconference link. November 8, 2011.
- Mataira, P. J. Morelli, P.T., Yamashita, M. Strength Enhancing Evaluation Research. Moloka`i Community Association. Moloka`i Education Center. March 18, 2010.
- Mataira, P. J., Warmenhoven, T. Māori Protocols and Guesthood: Diversity in the Aotearoa New Zealand Education System. Keynote address. US-Fulbright Scholars. East-West Center. University of Hawai`i, HI. July 15, 2009.
- Mataira, P. J., Murakami, A, Gill, G. Matsuoka, J. (moderator). Panel Sense of Place in Hawai`i. Hawai`i Book and Music Festival. State Capitol. May 17, 2009.
- Weaver, H., **Mataira, P. J.** & Matsuoka, J. K. Indigenous Panel Discussion Group. Lessons in Working in Indigenous Communities. CSWE APM. Philadelphia Marriot Hotel Liberty Room. Philadelphia, PA. October 30-November 2, 2008.
- Trickey, Minnie-Jean, Lowe, A., Agbayani, A, **Mataira, P. J.**, Patterson K., University of Hawai`i Manoa Inaugural Multicultural Communications Series Panel Discussion. Co-sponsored by Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work and Yale University Child Study Center of the School Development Program. University of Hawai`i. April 3, 2008.

Ongoing Projects (Books, Monographs)

- Anecdotal, AI & Storytelling
- Politics, Positionality, & Power - Guesthood
- AI/ML Indigenous Health Equity & Community Informed ML
- Indigenous & Heritage Entrepreneurship

- Decolonizing Sexuality. Indigenous Masculinity, Identity & Fractured Fatherhood
- Music as an Intervention: “Rock ‘n’ Roll ‘n’ Relationships”

Adviser & Dissertation Examiner

Doctoral Dissertation Committees – University of Hawai`i

1. “Exploring Barriers to Adopting Healthy Dietary Behaviours among Tongan American Adults.” University of Hawai`i (Social Welfare). 2020.
2. “Juvenile Sex Trafficking and Hawai`i Public Policy: Examining the Policy. Image of Juveniles Involved with Commercial Sexual Activity in Hawai`i. University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare). 2018.
3. “Mental Health Service Users as Peer Providers in Hawai`i: Understanding Recovery Paths and Perspectives”. University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare). 2018.
4. “Learning to Swim: A mixed method approach to understanding how social work experiential education impacts students’ social justice attitudes.” University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2015.
5. “Cultural safety and working with Native Hawaiians.” University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2015.
6. “In Search of Ainu Voices; Japan Multiculturalism and Future Generations. *Usa okay utaruaynukor wa, pirka horari, sasuyisir pakno situri kuni*”. University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2013.
7. “Māori Urban Geographies of Whakamanatanga: Empowered Māori Urbanism, Space/Place-based Social Movements and Practices of Everyday Life in Auckland, Aotearoa New Zealand”. Proxy member. University of Hawai`i. (Geography) 2010.
8. “Individual development account participation, asset ownership, and economic mobility among Native Hawaiians.” University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2008.
9. “Re-visioning Family: A Photovoice Project with Transgenders and their Families in Hawai`i.” University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2007.
10. “Alcohol and Psychological Well-being among Caucasians, Hawaiians, Japanese, and Filipinos in Hawai`i”. University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2007.
11. “Micro-enterprise among Nepalese women”. University of Hawai`i. (Social Welfare) 2005.

Doctoral Theses External Examiner – International and Aotearoa NZ

1. “Te Ira Panoni: Neoliberalism and Māori Cultural Identity in Aotearoa New Zealand.” (Indigenous Development and Advancement). Te Whare Wananga o Awanuiarangi (Indigenous Studies). 2026.
2. “Unearthing the Axe Heads – Hearing about Indigenous-led evaluation from Aboriginal survivors of the Stolen Generations”. Southern Cross University, NSW, Australia (College of Indigenous Australian Peoples). 2023.
3. “Kaitiakitanga: Māori experiences, expressions, and understandings”. Massey University. (Social Work) 2022.
4. “Building taitamariki Māori capacity: Reclaiming and applying Te Ao Māori principles to inform and support their intimate partner relationship well-being.” Auckland University of Technology, (Health and Environmental Science). 2021.
5. “The Principles of Māori Directed Practice and Development”. Otago University. (Social Work). 2020.
6. “Kaupapa Māori Evaluation Transforming Health Literacy”. Massey University (Public Health). 2018.
7. “Aspects that Promote Success Factors for Koroua in advanced age living a long, healthy and happy life”. Te Whare Wananga o Awanuiarangi (Indigenous Studies). 2018.
8. “From Grief to Growth: Narratives of Parents Bereaved by Suicide”. Te Whare Wananga o Awanuiarangi (Indigenous Studies). 2016.
9. “Native Hawaiian Well-being at Hawai`i Community College: An Initiative for Academic Success.” University of Waikato (Māori and Pacific Development) 2016.
10. “Te Poihipi Tukairangi: Te Poutokomanawa o Ngati Ruingarangi o te Rangaiita – Te Poihipi Tūkairangi: the central support post of his hapu Ngāti Ruingārangi and the wharepuni Te Rangīita.” Massey University, (Education) 2014.
11. “Nga Pa Harakeke o Ngatiporou: A Lived Experience of Whanau.” Victoria University, (Aotearoa New Zealand Studies) 2014.
12. “Searching for Good Evaluation: A hikoi.” Massey University, (Public Policy) 2012.

13. "Māori Social Workers: Experiences with Social Service Organizations". Massey University, (Social Work) 2012.
14. "Internationalization of Māori Business in the Creative Industry Sector." Massey University, (Business Administration) 2011.
15. "Whakatangata Kia Kaha: Toitu Te Whakapapa, Toitu Te Tuakiri, Toitu Te Mana – An Examination of the Contribution of Te Aute College to Māori Advancement." Massey University, (Education) 2010.
16. "Arguing for the Spirit in the Language of the Mind: a Māori Practitioner's View of Research and Science." Massey University, (Psychology) 2009.
17. "Māori at Work: The shaping of a Māori workforce within the New Zealand State 1935-1975." Massey University, (Social Policy) 2008.
18. "Tongan Metaphors of Social Work Practice: Hange ha Pa kuo Fa'u`." Massey University. (Social Work) 2007.

Additional Service Work

- Grant Reviewer, Marsden Fund, Royal Society Te Apārangi. Wellington. Aotearoa NZ. 2018-present.
- Co-Editor, British Journal of Social Work Special Issue Indigenous People and Social Determinants of Health. Vol. 49, Issue 4, <https://doi.org/10.1093/bjsw/bcz074>. June 2019.
- Co-Editor, Journal of Indigenous Social Development. Special Issue. Indigenous Communities and COVID-19: Impact and Implications Vol. 9 No. 3. 2020.
- Consultant - Aotearoa NZ Social Work Review & Qualification Board. Authority Te Wananga o Aotearoa. BSW (BiP) Degree Accreditation. 2011-2018.
- Consultant - Consuelo Foundation Development Program. Aquaculture, Social Innovation and Leadership Initiative. Manila, Philippines. February 2011.
- Advisor - Na Kamalei KEEP. The development of a customized evaluation plan for Lei Aku Lei Mai, Early Childhood Parent Teacher Education curriculum. ANA grant. September 2010.
- Advisor- Men Against Violence March. Honolulu Hale, Honolulu. March 2010.
- Advisor- MEN.toring Men - Teaching Respect; Leadership Training for Men. University of Hawai`i, Queen Lili`uokalani Center. June 20, 2009.

Boards of Trustees, Directors (Past and Present)

- Board of Trustees (co-chair) World Indigenous Nations University Hawai`i Pasifika (WINUHP). Honolulu, HI, 2014-present.
- Board of Directors Education First. Non-profit education service provider. La`ie, HI, 2004-2013. Board of Advisors School of Social Work, Brigham Young University. La`ie, HI. 2004-2010.
- Board of Directors, Hau`ula Community Health Center. Non-profit health service provider. Hau`ula, HI. 2004-2005.
- Member, Drug Advisory Council. Government Interdisciplinary Initiative. Wellington, Aotearoa NZ. 1990-1998.
- Advisory Member, Drug and Alcohol Services. Waikato Crown Health Enterprise. Hamilton, Aotearoa NZ. 1990-1993.
- Māori Health Advisor, Te Puia Spring Hospital Board Services to the East Coast, Te Puia Springs, Aotearoa NZ. 1985-1987.
- Board of Advisors, East Coast-Poverty Bay Hospital Board Transition Committee on the establishment of the Eastland Regional Health Authority. Gisborne, Aotearoa NZ. 1986-1987.

Editorial Boards

- *The British Journal of Social Work*. Special Issue on Indigenous People and the Social Determinants of Health. 49:2. Oxford Journals. Special Issue Guest Editor. 2018-2019.
- *Journal of Indigenous Social Development*. School of Social Work, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada. Editorial Group. 2008-present.

- *Journal of Indigenous Studies, First Peoples', and First Nations' Cultures*. Editorial Board member. Penn State Press. USA. 2016.
- *Social Work Review*. Aotearoa New Zealand Association of Social Work. Editorial Board member. Auckland, Aotearoa NZ. 2016-2019.
- *I Ulu I Ka`Aina* Editorial Advisory Board member, Hawaiinuiakea Monograph Series. 2010-present.

Journal Reviewer

- *Journal of Indigenous Studies and First Nations and First Peoples Cultures*. Reviewer. Penn State Press. USA. 2018-2019.
- *Journal of Community Practice*. Reviewer. Association of Community Organization and Social Administration. 2018-2019.
- *Social Work Review*. Aotearoa New Zealand Association of Social Work. International Reviewer. Auckland, Aotearoa NZ. 2016-2019.
- *I Ulu I Ka`Aina* Editorial Board member, Hawaiinuiakea Monograph Series. 2-year term. October. 2010-2012.

Fellowships and Awards

2018-2021 Indigenous HIVAIDS Research Training (IHART). Nation Institute of Health (NIH) fellowship and mentorship program to support R21 study on HIV/AIDS and sexual health disparities among Indigenous and minority communities. Joint NIH and Indigenous Wellness Institute, University of Washington, Seattle funded initiative.