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Palau Community College

MESEKIU'S NEWS



Friday, July 30, 2021

Weekly Newsletter

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PCC PTHSE STUDENT INTERNSHIP SYMPOSIUM



PCC President Patrick U. Tellei, Associate Dean of CTE Dr. McClain Worswick, Palau Chamber of Commerce President Irene Olkeriil, Cafeteria Supervisor Gurney Lee Umang, Dean of Academic Affairs Deikola Olikong, TH Instructional Assistant Didiich Albert, and Instructional Assistant Volette Polloi

Tourism & Hospitality Program Student Internship Symposium was held on Friday, July 23, 2021 at the Palau Tourism & Hospitality School of Excellence. The Symposium featured the Island Dream Resort grand opening presentation from the nine Tourism & Hospitality internship students. These students were not able to conduct their internship academic requirements at local hotels in town because of the global pandemic affecting the tourism businesses. The Symposium was attended by the College President, administrators and staff, including special guests of the internship students and members of the Palau Chamber of Commerce. The Island Dream Resort grand opening presentation included the Resort's Front Office Operation, House Keeping Operation, Kitchen Operation and Restaurant Operation. During the Restaurant Operation, attendees were given the experience of a fine dining where a three-course meal was served to everyone.

The College congratulates the nine internship students – Livan Chin, Kali'I Mae Chokai, Nadia Kinto, Lalii Kumangai, Bakas Sasao, Mira Kim, Benaleey Benjamin,

PTHSE Students Internship Continued on p.3

PALAU LOCAL CUISINE TRAINING AWARDING OF CERTIFICATES CEREMONY



On Friday, July 16, 2021 Palau Community College in collaboration with Ministry of Human Resource, Culture, Tourism, and Development, Palau Chamber of Commerce, Ministry of Education conducted trainings for public school cafeteria staff and local community individuals. The training introduced participants to a plant-based cooking using local tapioca root plants. Trainers were Dirradai Remiang Skebong and Alex Suzuki. Trainees were Arlene Aulerio and Sebalt Gibbons from Palau High School; Charlene Rengiil and Johnny Remoket from GBH Elementary School; Roselie Elbuchel-Koror Elementary School; Wesley Williams-Peleliu Elementary Schools; and Dilsiokei Polloi and Hisaye Nakamura-local.

PCC Library Staff Undergoes Cross-Training

Beginning this year, PCC Library staff began their cross training in all aspects of the library sections. The purpose of the training was to improve the skill sets and a chance for them to learn something new. This is an opportunity for staff to work better as a team and collaboratively assist one another. This week, library staff Dizzette Dolmers who received in-house cross training provided library orientation for SS 100 students.



NEWEST CONTRIBUTORS TO THE PCC ENDOWMENT FUND



Mahealani M. Adelbai

Palau Community College would like to recognize our newest endowment fund contributor, Ms. Mahealani M. Adelbai. Ms. Adelbai graduated from PCC in 2019 and now works for the college student service as administrative assistant. Thank you Ms. Adelbai for your contribution to Palau's only institution of higher learning! Your donations will help sustain the future stability of our college.

A JAPANESE ARTIST K-ICHIRO UMEDA DONATES ARTWORK TO PCC



Palau Community College extends gratitude and appreciation to a Japanese Artist K-Ichiro Umeda for donating a Postmodern artwork depicting "Horse Riding Warrior" and "Hina Doll" with photos in and around the Fukuoka City on the remains of Fukuoka City Castle and Gosha Shrine. These artwork and photos can be seen at PCC Assembly Hall. Mr. Umeda's love of art prompt him to share his work to the world. Thank you Mr. K-Ichiro Umeda!

YOUR OPPORTUNITY

PNCC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2021

4 AWARDS of \$1,000 EACH + PAID Internship at PNCC

Open to all 2nd year Palauan students enrolled full-time at Palau Community College

DEADLINE TO APPLY: September 30, 2021

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

- PNCC will award \$1,000 each to four qualified applicants (\$500 each per semester during the same academic year as the award)
- Three-month paid internship at PNCC immediately after graduation
- May be offered a 2-year paid contract after the internship program with full benefits.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Palauan citizen
- Second-year student at PCC
- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Must have completed 32 or more credit hours
- Full-time student with 12 credits per semester
- Must complete their program in spring or summer of the same academic year as the scholarship award.

FIELDS OF STUDY

- Air Conditioning & Refrigeration
- Automotive Technology
- Business Accounting
- Construction Technology
- Electrical Technology
- General Electronics Technology
- Information Technology
- Office Administration
- Small Engine & Outboard Marine Technology
- Tourism and Hospitality

APPLICATION TIMELINE

- Deadline for submission of PNCC Scholarship Application is September 30.
- Review and approval of applications will take place 1st week of October
- Scholarship awards will be announced 2nd week of October
- Download application form at pnccpalau.com or pcc.palau.edu

Fall Semester 2021 Registration for Continuing Students is Ongoing

JULY 19 to AUGUST 11, 2021

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

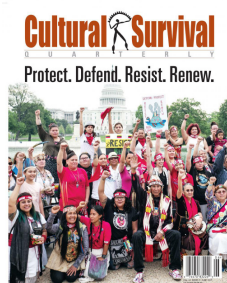
Hours of Operation

Monday to Thursday	8:00AM - 5PM
Friday	8:00AM - 5PM
Saturday	9:00AM - 6PM
Sunday & Holiday	CLOSED

For more information, call:
488-3540.

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED READERS:

Cultural Survival Quarterly Magazine



Cultural Survival Quarterly brings you inside indigenous cultures around the world, sharing their ways of life, their spirituality, their celebrations, and their challenges, all with stunning photography and intimate insights from native writers and experts.

Academic Calendar

August 02, 2021
Faculty Report to Duty

August 2 - 4 (M-W)
Placement Testing

News/Stories Wanted

Mesekiw's News welcomes stories/articles/announcements from students, faculty, and staff. Submission deadline is Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. in hard and/or electronic copies to tchuziet@palau.edu or tchuziet@gmail.com.

Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcome.

Please call 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253) for more information.

PTHSE Students Internship *Continued from p.1*

Brandy Blaluk and Dilreng Ignacio and their mentors, Instructional Assistant Didiich Albert and Instructional Assistant Volette Polloi.



Fine Dining: a three course-meal

Palau Community College Admissions & Records Office

The Office of Admissions & Records would like to inform the public about the Fall Semester 2021 registration activities. The following schedule dates of each activity have been set to accommodate both continuing, returning, and new students. In order for all students to fully utilize all the services that are available for them, we are requesting that you follow the schedule below:

Schedule for Continuing Students from Spring & Summer 2021:

July 19th to August 11th Monday to Friday Registration-Fall 2021

Schedule for Returning & Readmitting Students:

Must process Readmission form before you are allowed to register

Schedule for New Students:

August 2 nd to 4 th	Monday - Wednesday	Placement Testing
August 9 th to 11 th	Monday - Wednesday	New Student Orientation
August 12 th to 13 th	Thursday - Friday	Late Registration
August 16 th	Monday	First Day of Instruction

Any questions or for more information about registration, please call 488-2470/1 ext. 269 or 248.

Office hours: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday to Friday.

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Computer Technician
(Computer Service Office)
salary ranges from \$13,081 - \$23,230 per annum
- (2) Extension Agent EFNEP
(PCC Cooperative Research & Extension Program
salary ranges from \$11,010 - \$19,552.00 per annum
- (3) Director of Library Services
(Administration)
salary range: \$18,730 - 33,262 per annum
- (4) Instructor Assistant - Small Engine
PCC Education and Training Department/
Academic Affairs Division) depending on
qualifications and work experience
salary range: \$12,653.00 - 22,349 per annum
- (5) Maintenance & Operations Supervisor
Physical Plant - Administration Department
depending on qualifications and work experience
salary range: \$16,941.00 - 30,085 per annum
- (6) Math Instructor
Learning Resource Center
Student Services
depending on qualifications and work experience
salary range: \$14,802 - 22,000 per annum
- (7) Academic Advisor/Counselor
PCC Talent Search Program
salary range: \$17,000 - 20,000 per annum
- (8) Director, Student Life
(PCC Student Life Office) depending on
qualifications and work experience
salary ranges from \$16,010 - \$28,431 per annum

ALUMNI NOTES

MAHEALANI M. ADELBAI OFFICE ADMINISTRATION



Mahealani M. Adelbai is a graduate of Palau Community College in 2019 with an Associate of Applied Science in Office Administration Program. She is currently employed at PCC Student Service.



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ALUMNI

showcases MOC & PCC alumni who are positive role models and contribute to the quality of life in their local communities.

If you are that Alumna/Alumnus or know someone who is, please contact the PCC Development Office at telephone numbers 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253).

We would like to feature you in future *Mesekiu's News* issues.

Celebrating Birthday July 30 - August 08, 2021



Jolene Joseph



Tanya Ngirkuteling



Kesina Tadao



Johanna Yaoch



Grace Alexander

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT CON'T

- (9) Instructor Assistant - Auto Mechanics
(Academic Affairs)
salary ranges from \$12,653 - \$22,349 per annum
- (10) Academic Advisor/Counselor
Upward Bound Program
salary: \$19,000 annually

For application forms and information, contact Harline Haruo at the PCC Human Resources Office at 488-2470/2471 extension 227, or e-mail: hr@palau.edu, or download forms at <http://pcc.palau.edu>.

"PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer."

ACADEMIC FREEDOM

Palau Community College supports and protects the principle of academic freedom for each faculty member. The principle of academic freedom is guaranteed to all faculty members acting within the scope and terms of their employment. The principle of academic freedom asserts that all faculty members are entitled to freedom within their classrooms to discuss their fields of expertise, to conduct research in their fields of competence, and to publish the results of their research.

PCC Endowment

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Allotment Program, contact us NOW!

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<http://www.palau.edu>



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