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ALINGANO MAISU ARRIVES IN PONSO NO TAO- ORCHID ISLAND IN TAIWAN



Top: Master Navigator Sewralur on the lookout. Bottom: Alingano Maisu crew final arrival at the shore of Lanyu
Alingano Maisu with 11 crew members departing Koror on April 20th makes a landing in Lanyu, Taiwan. The next leg of the voyage will arrive in Taitung's Cidong community on May 10 before returning to Palau.

PCC MAINTENANCE STAFF CAMPUS CLEAN-UP AND LANDSCAPING ONGOING



In preparation for the 62nd Commencement Exercises slated for Friday, May 16, 2025. The college Maintenance staff are working tirelessly for the next couple of days beautifying and cleaning the campus yard and facilities ready to receive our graduates, special guests, and the community members attending this special day to commemorate our students academic achievements. Thank you Maintenance for keeping our campus conducive to learning.

MS. STACY FERRIERA VISITS PCC



On May 6, 2025 Ms. Stacy K. Ferriera, Chief Executive Officer of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) paid a courtesy visit to the Office of the President at Palau Community College along with Delegate Stephanie Ngirchoimei, Minister Ngiraiblas Tmetuchl, and Delegate Mengkur Rechelulk.

PCC SUPPORTS NURSESWEEK CELEBRATION



On May 6, 2025 PCC front parking space was reserved for Nurses Week celebration to honor many nurses for their effort and dedication to support their patients. ROP Vice President/Minister of MHHS Arnold Oilouch and ROP Postmaster Santy Asanuma grace the occasion with gratitude and dedication.

Palau Community College is an accessible comprehensive public educational institution helping to meet the technical, academic, cultural, social, and economic needs of students and communities by promoting learning opportunities and developing personal excellence.

2025 PACIFIC MINI GAMES SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS

The 2025 Pacific Mini Games Organizing Committee and Palau National Olympic Committee recognized the following local businesses and regional association for their donations and supports to the upcoming Pacific Mini Games slated for June 29 to July 9, 2025.

2025 PMG Sponsors

<i>Platinum Sponsors</i>	
Globus Trading Company	
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Surangel & Sons Company-Opening Ceremony	
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<i>Mini Games Supporters</i>	
Palau Equipment Company, Inc.	
<i>License Businesses to Use 2025 PMG Logo & Marks</i>	
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Tiuladokow Artwork	

On behalf of the 2025 Pacific Mini Games Organizing Committee and Palau National Olympic Committee, We extend our gratitude for your support!

PCC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING



PCC President Dr. Tellei with Vice President Olegeriil conducted a meeting in Assembly Hall

On May 8, 2025 The college Executive Committee members, which is comprised of deans, directors, ASPCC Preident, FSA Representative, and CSO President met to discuss and report on their respective offices and entity highlights, accomplishments, and updates relative to their program staff, goals, and budget. President Tellei informed the committee on the upcoming Pacific Mini Games which PCC campus will host over 380 athletes from six countries.

PCC faculty and staff are welcome to join the PMG as volunteers through online registration using QR code posted on p.3 of Mesekiu's News.

Earn Your
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA
through PCC Adult High School

To apply you must:

- be a Palauan Citizen.
- be 18 yrs. old or older.
- have not earned a high school, GED or HiSet diploma.


Registration
Registration is ongoing until May 22, 2025.

Orientation
May 22, 2025

Classes for 2025 Summer Semester
Classes begin on Monday, May 26, 2025, and meet from Monday through Thursday, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM during the day and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM.

You have the choice to either take classes during the day or attend night classes in the evening.

Application forms are available at the AHS office located on the PCC campus. You may call 488-2471 ext. 267 for more information.

 "We Strive to Guarantee Quality and Excellence"

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

Monday
to
Friday 8:00AM - 5:00 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Sunday & National
Holidays CLOSED

For more information, call:
488-3540.

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED READERS: CONTEMPORARY PACIFIC



The Contemporary Pacific: An Interdisciplinary Journal provides a publication venue for interdisciplinary work in Pacific studies with the aim of providing informed discussion of contemporary issues in the Pacific Islands region. It features refereed articles that examine social, economic, political, ecological, cultural, and literary topics.

Academic Calendar

May 12 - 21 (M-TH)
Placement Test

May 22 (TH)
New Student Orientation

May 26 (M)
First Day of Instruction

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 hherman@palau.edu. Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcome. Please call 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251 or 252) for more information.

PCC 2025

Commencement Exercises

Palau Community College
(PCC) congratulates all 2025
Graduates of all the schools in
Palau. The college also takes
this opportunity to cordially
invite the community to its
62nd Commencement Exercises
on Friday, May 16, 2025 at 10
a.m. The event will take place
at the PCC Cafeteria. Please
join us as we commemorate
and recognize the achievements
of the PCC Graduating
Class of 2025.

SUMMER SESSION 2025 (5 Weeks)

May	12-21 (M-TH)	Placement Testing
May	22 (TH)	New Student Orientation
May	26 (M)	First Day of Instruction
May	26-27 (M-TU)	Credit by Examination Period
May	26-27 (M-TU)	Drop/Add Period
May	26 (M)	Late Registration
May	28 (W)	Last Day to Change to AUDIT grading option
May	30 (F)	Last Day to remove Continuing Progress Grades for Fall 2024
June	1 (S)	Holiday: President's Day
June	2 (M)	Holiday: President's Day Observed
June	9-10 (M-TU)	Mid-Term Period
June	20 (F)	Last Day for All Withdrawals
June	24	Last Day of Instruction
June	25-27 (W-F)	Final Examination Period
July	4 (F)	Grades Due by 11:00 am
July	9 (W)	Holiday: Constitution Day
July	11 (F)	Last Day for Change of Grades
July	14 (M)	Registration for Fall 2025 begins

PMG ANNOUNCEMENT

Be a Volunteer!
Make the Games Successful!

Scan Code
To Register

The Pacific Mini Games 2025 Committee is recruiting interested volunteers to help ensure the success of the games this Summer! Scan the code to register now!

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Instructor, Construction Technology
Academic Affairs Division
Salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (2) Instructor, Small Engine & Outboard Marine Tech.
Academic Affairs Division
Salary range: \$12,633.00 - \$22,349 per annum
- (3) Extension Agent (EFNEP Program)
PCC Cooperative Research & Extension
Salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 per annum
- (4) Instructor, Community & Public Health
Academic Affairs Division
Salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280.00 per annum
- (5) Nursing Instructor
Academic Affairs Division
Salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (6) Administrative Assistant
Upward Bound Program
Salary range: \$12,001 - \$21,312 per annum
- (7) Accounting Technician (Payroll)
Administration Department (Business Office)
Salary ranges: \$13,081-\$23,230 per annum
- (8) Accounting Technician (Receivable)
Administration Department (Business Department)
Salary range: \$13,081-\$23,230 per annum
- (9) Financial Aid Counselor
Student Services - Office of Financial Aid
Salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum

ALUMNI NOTES

HANNAH PATE BUSINESS ACCOUNTING



Ms. Hannah Pate-currently employed at PCC Business Office as Accounting Technician-Purchase Order. She will be graduating this Spring 2025 with an AS degree in Business Accounting



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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 or 252).

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

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (10) Two (2) Financial Aid Technicians
Student Services - Office of Financial Aid
Salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 (depending on qualifications and work experience) per annum
- (11) Two (2) Library Assistant
Salary range: \$7,800 - \$13,852 (depending on qualifications and work experience) per annum

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."

Celebrating Birthday May 9 - 18, 2025



Lisa Rafael



Jennifer Jonas



Jon-Marvin Ngirutang



Kate Oiph



Derrik Alexander



Harrison Umang



Lakolani Olengellel

PCC Endowment

**INVEST IN THE FUTURE
To SUPPORT,
CONTACT US TODAY!**

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If you want to join the Bi-Weekly Allotment Program, contact us NOW!

Interested in Learning Transferable Media and Marketing skills? Volunteer with the PCC Development Office. Stop by at the Dort building to sign-up.



Please Hire PCC Graduates!

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