



DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION

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**Department of Taxation Announces
2012 Year-End Tax Workshops**

HONOLULU — The Department of Taxation's 2012 Year-End Tax Workshops on O'ahu, Maui, Hawai'i, and Kaua'i will begin on Kaua'i on November 27, 2012 (full schedule on the next page).

Director of Taxation Fred Pablo and other speakers will update attendees on various administrative issues including tax form changes, Modernized eFiling, the transient accommodations tax, and the status of State tax litigation. Also on the agenda are presentations on the just-released temporary administrative rules regarding the renewable energy technologies income tax credit, and recommendations under discussion by the Tax Review Commission.

"These workshops, especially in the lead-up to the January through April filing season, provide an opportunity for the Department and our local tax professionals to get on the same page," said Director of Taxation Fred Pablo. "Tax preparers are then better able to file accurate and timely returns for their clients, and to work with our staff to resolve any problems."

All workshops begin at 8:30 a.m. and end at 12:30 p.m. (check-in begins at 8 a.m.). The registration fee is \$80 for persons registering at least one (1) week prior to the selected workshop, and \$100 for those registering after that. A continental breakfast, workshop materials, and four (4) hours of Hawai'i Board of Public Accountancy Continuing Professional Education credit are included. Workshop materials may be separately purchased for \$25 per set.

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2012 YEAR-END TAX WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

O'AHU:

Monday, December 10, 2012

Ala Moana Hotel, Hibiscus Ballroom
410 Atkinson Drive, Honolulu
Contact Kapi'olani Community College, (808) 734-9211

MAUI:

Tuesday, December 4, 2012

UH Maui College, Pilina Bldg., Multi-Purpose Room
310 Ka'ahumanu Highway, Kahului
Contact UH Maui College, (808) 984-3231

HAWAI'I:

HILO: Friday, December 14, 2012

Hawai'i Community College, Bldg. 388, Room 101
1175 Manono Street, Hilo
Contact Hawai'i Community College, (808) 934-2700

KONA: Tuesday, December 11, 2012

Royal Kona Resort, Resolution Room
75-5852 Ali'i Drive, Kailua-Kona
Contact Hawai'i Community College, (808) 934-2700

KAUAI:

Tuesday, November 27, 2012

Kauai Community College – OCET 106C & D
3-1901 Kaumuali'i Highway, Lihu'e
Contact Kauai Community College, (808) 245-8318

Registration forms (attached) will be available on the Department's website: www.hawaii.gov/tax

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