



# HPU Economics for Hawai'i Teachers Online Course - Earn PD Credit

Online economics course available for professional development (PD) credit for teachers of all subjects grades K-12. No previous knowledge of economics is required, and current economics teachers are welcome to join.

## THE COURSE

Hawai'i Pacific University's 'Economics for Hawai'i Teachers' course will broaden and deepen your economic understanding, teach you relevant advances in the discipline, and provide you with resources and guidance in integrating economic principles into your lessons. The course provides teaching material recommendations including lessons plans, videos, podcasts, and on-going teacher support, and is aligned with the Hawai'i Core Standards in Social Studies (HCSSS).

This synchronous online course is produced by the Hawai'i Pacific University Center for Entrepreneurship and Economic Education (CEEE) in collaboration with the Hawai'i Council on Economic Education (HCEE). Completion of the course provides three graduate level university credits that may be applied towards HDOE Salary Schedule Reclassification. This course runs eight weeks 5:15-8:10pm on Tuesdays January 9th-February 27th 2024.

## TUITION AND SCHOLARSHIP:

A full scholarship will be provided. This course is free to all grade K-12 Hawai'i public and private school teachers, and the application fee is also waived.

The coursework consists of; (i) quizzes, (ii) a final exam, (iii) a presentation, and (iv) the creation of an original lesson plan for your classes incorporating taught economic concepts.

## HOW TO ENROLL:

To register, follow these steps:

1. Click **this link** to start your application and create your username and password.
2. After you receive your username and password by email, navigate to **this link**.
3. In the right-hand column titled 'GRADUATE', select 'MASTERS PROGRAMS'.
4. On the top right of the next page click 'Log-in'.
5. Enter your username and password.
6. Click 'START A NEW APPLICATION'.
7. Under the heading 'START A NEW GRADUATE APPLICATION', Click 'START APPLICATION'.
8. Indicate that you are applying 'without the intention of pursuing a degree at HPU' and that your program is 'Undeclared - non-degree seeking', and choose term 'Spring 2024'.
9. Fill in the application and when you reach the section 'Course Selection'; for 'Course 1' enter "ED6463", for 'CRN 1' enter "6412", and for 'Credit 1' enter "3".
10. In the final section titled 'Additional Information', when asked if you have a fee waiver code click 'Yes' and enter "ED6463".
11. Fill in the rest of your application and submit online.

**Applications deadline Friday December 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023.** Application inquiries? - Please contact the HPU Registrar at [registrar@hpu.edu](mailto:registrar@hpu.edu). Course questions? - Please contact **Dr. Gerard Dericks**, Director, HPU Center for Entrepreneurship and Economic Education at [gdericks@hpu.edu](mailto:gdericks@hpu.edu).

