

THINKTECH & HVCA

RECOVERY AND TRANSFORMATION: Straight Talk on Rebuilding Our Troubled Economy

Wednesday, August 25, 2010

Plaza Club, 20th Floor

8:00 am to 1:30 pm

No validated parking

\$65 general admission

\$55 students and sponsor members

Includes breakfast and lunch

Register Now:

<http://www.regonline.com/recovery>

<http://outreach.hawaii.edu/thinktechsummer>

Hawaii's economy is in distress and serious obstacles stand in the way of recovery. What's the status of that recovery, and how will our economy be transformed in the process? Which industries and organizations will disappear and which will survive? Who will be the losers and who will be the winners? What can Hawaii do to direct these changes and who among us should do what?

8:00 a.m.	Registration	Continental breakfast...
8:30 a.m.	Wakeup Keynote	HOW DO YOU KNOW A GOOD ECONOMY WHEN YOU SEE ONE Introduction: Jay Fidell , ThinkTech Hawaii Keynote: Dick Gushman , developer
9:00 a.m. 5-minute Presentations then Q&A	First Panel	IDENTIFYING CHALLENGES BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE Moderator: Mary Fastenau , marketing professional Panel Members: Public Unions – Randy Perreira , labor leader Missing Media – Steve Petranik , magazine editor Landholdings – Peter Savio , real estate professional Environmentalism – Bill Spencer , aquaculture entrepreneur Bureaucracies – Kate Stanley , government administrator Leadership – John Farias , former government executive
10:00 a.m. 5-minute Presentations then Q&A	Second Panel	BUILDING BEST PRACTICES FOR HAWAII Moderator: Jack Suyderhoud , economist Panel Members: Economics – Lawrence Boyd , monetary and labor economist History – Tom Coffman , filmmaker Education – Mari Matsuda , law professor Politics – Neal Milner , political scientist Globalism – Sheridan Tatsuno , global entrepreneur (via Skype) Sociology – Rann Watumull , community volunteer
11:00 a.m.	Book Report	"KNOWING THE PAST, SHAPING THE FUTURE" Introduction: Jay Fidell , ThinkTech Hawaii Craig Howes and Jon Osorio , academicians and authors
11:15 a.m. 5-minute Presentations then Q&A	Third Panel	MAKING PLANS TO SHAPE OUR FUTURE Moderator: Howard Dicus , broadcast journalist Panel Members: Rick Egged , travel industry executive Darren Kimura , energy entrepreneur Sol Kaho'ohalahala , community leader Cheryl Kauhane Lupenui , nonprofit executive Mike Sklarz , real estate economist Lynn Rasmussen , education entrepreneur
12:15 p.m.	Sandwich Lunch	A box lunch to help with your networking...
12:30 p.m. 45-minute Presentation then Q&A	Keynote Panel	THE VISION OF HAWAII'S NEW LEADERS Moderator: Robbie Alm , HECO Keynote Panel: Robin Campaniano , Ulupono Initiative Peter Ho , Bank of Hawaii Billy Kenoi , Mayor of the Big Island Janet Liang , Kaiser Permanente
1:30 p.m.	Pau	Stay around for informal discussion...