Our History

ALU LIKE, Inc. is a private, nonprofit community-based organization whose mission is “to kākua Native Hawaiians who are committed to achieving their potential for themselves, their families and communities.”

Our Objective

The Ho`omānea `Ōiwi Department provides statewide & year round employment & training services for eligible Native Hawaiians, American Indians, and Alaska Natives in order to:

- Develop more fully their academic, occupational & literacy skills.
- Facilitate their competitiveness in the workforce and equip them with entrepreneurial skills necessary for successful self-employment.
- Promote the economic and social development of their communities according to their cultural goals & values.
- Achieve personal and economic self-sufficiency.

Our Employment and Training Program engages, develops, and works directly and together with the whole person.

Youth Program Services are outreach; intake; assessment of skill levels; career planning/counseling; development of individual employment plan; facilitation of remedial education, tutoring, study skills training, occupational skills training (2 years financial assistance for tuition and/or books leading to employment at individual’s highest skill level after attaining high school diploma; certificate; Associate, Bachelor, and/or Master’s Degree), internships/paid work experiences, on-the-job training, entrepreneurial training, alternative secondary school services, supportive services, leadership development opportunities, financial literacy education; cultural job readiness/employment preparation; educational incentive allowances; job search and placement assistance; follow-up services; etc.

Eligibility

Based on Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA) requirements, applicants must be:

- Native Hawaiian, Native American Indian, or Alaska Native and
- 14-24 years old and
- Low-income individual based on Federal Program income requirements
- Selective Service verification (all males age 18-25)
- 1st Priority – Veterans & Eligible Spouses of Veterans

Working Together

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