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"Hawaii's most important economic enterprise right now is to pursue energy independence."

- Governor Neil Abercrombie

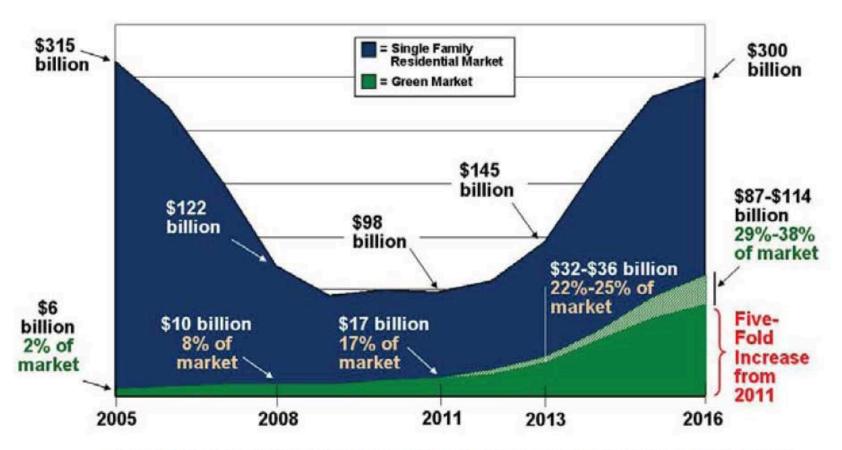
#### Hawaii Clean Energy Initiative





State of Hawaii: "A green job is one that engages in economic activity that makes a positive impact on the environment or energy sustainability.

#### **Green Residential Market Sizing**



Source: Green Market Size: calculation McGraw-Hill Construction; base value of construction market from McGraw-Hill Construction Market Forecasting Service, as of February 2012

#### Green Homes Market Grows to \$17 Billion Opportunity

- Green homes market grows to \$17 Billion opportunity in latest MCGraw-Hill construction green residential market estimate
- Since 2005, the green share of new single-family residential construction has grown dramatically–increasing from 2% in 2005 to 17% in 2011
- This 17% market share equates to a \$17 billion market opportunity
- McGraw-Hill Construction estimates the green market share will continue to increase, reaching 29%–38% by 2016–representing an \$87–\$114 billion opportunity based on the overall residential construction forecast as of February, 2012

#### Hawai'i Green Workforce Projections

 Green Jobs to grow by 26% from 2010-2012

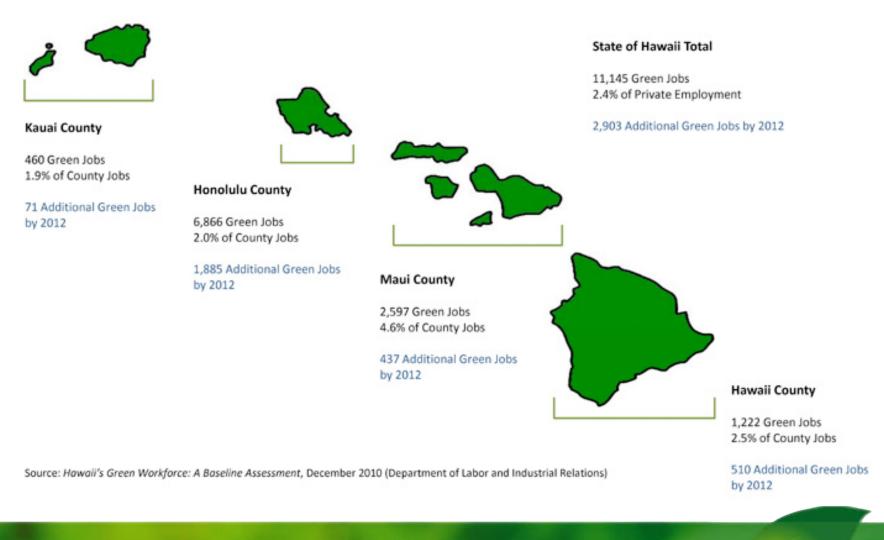
--Hawaii's Green Workforce

 Energy efficiency provisions will create an additional 2,100 new jobs in the State of Hawai'i in the next 10 years

> --American Council for a Energy Efficient Economy (ACEEE)



#### Hawaii's Green Workforce Report



# Hawaii's Green Workforce Report

- Key findings in the The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations
- (DLIR) report include:
- Community colleges and trade schools fulfill 62 percent of the education and training requirements for reported green jobs."
- Need to cultivate an educated and skilled workforce capable of meeting the needs of a clean-energy economy."
- "Educators and training providers must provide timely and relevant curricula."
- "Workers or those seeking employment will need to update existing skills and
- competencies to maintain their competitiveness."

Source: Hawaii's Green Workforce: A Baseline Assessment, December 20, 2010

# **Training the Greener Workforce**

#### **Objectives**:

- Produce well-trained individuals capable of working with homeowners and business owners to help them reduce their building environmental impact and energy use
- Provide potential gateway to other professional accreditations and areas of work

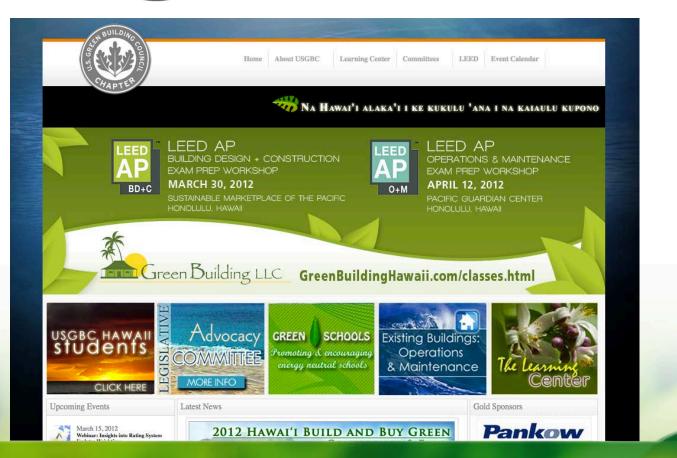
# **Establishing Partnerships**

Providing cutting-edge green building and energy efficiency training through collaboration to prepare Hawaii's workforce and build a sustainable, greener economy





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#### Partnership with UH College System



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Leeward Community College



UH Maui College



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#### **Sustainable Living Institute of Maui**





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SESP is a 3-year, \$6 million award that Hawaii's Department of Labor and Industrial Relations – Workforce Development Council received from the U.S. Department of Labor under funding provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act ("ARRA") to help states build their renewable energy and energy-efficiency industries.

# Benefits of Professional Certification & Accreditation

- When an individual becomes certified in a designated field, his/her professional achievement is recognized in the eyes of colleagues, as well as prospective employers and clients.
- Certification establishes a standard of professional competence which is recognized throughout the industry.
- Certification fosters professional development through encouragement of long-term career goals.
- Certification promotes quality through continuing education to assure a high level of competence in constantly changing fields.

#### **USGBC** Mission

To transform the way buildings and communities are designed, built and operated, enablish an environmentally and socially responsible, healthy and prosperous environment that improves the quality of life.



# LEED Green Associate Exam Prep



- The LEED GA designation is targeted in all our green classes
- Provides participants the ability to sit for the Exam and the knowledge to pass with confidence



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#### Expansions onto the LEED Green Associate Exam Prep

- Offer 2 and 4 day trainings. The goal is to provide participants with a stronger base in the field before taking the LEED GA exam preparation class
- Two day class agenda is:
  - Day 1- Intro to Green Building
  - Day 2- LEED GA Exam Preparation

## Intro to Green Building & Energy Management

- Four day class that covers basic green building and energy efficiency concepts. This course includes site visits and hands on components.
- Course Agenda:
  - Day 1- Intro to green building
  - Day 2- LEED for Homes with tour and case study
  - Day 3- The Home Energy Audit
  - Day 4- LEED GA exam preparation

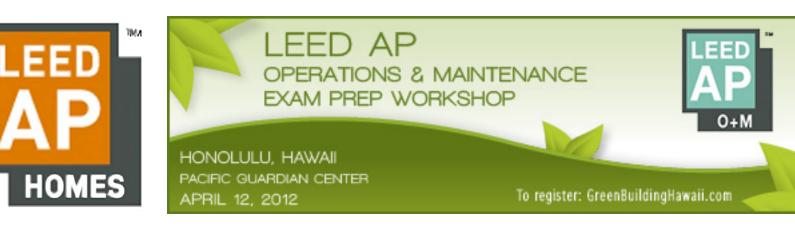
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# **LEED Specialty Accreditations**





LEED AP BUILDING DESIGN + CONSTRUCTION EXAM PREP WORKSHOP

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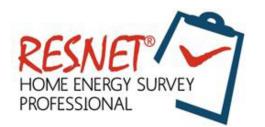
## **LEED AP Specialty Accreditations**

- The next step beyond LEED Green Associate
- Need to show involvement on a LEED project.
- Intermediate Green Building class will be a project experience program that is launched in the fall.



# **RESNET Home Energy Survey Professional**

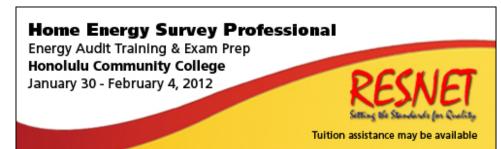
- Designation for level 1 home or small business audits
- Train participants in the basics of building science and energy management
- Selected because no specialty equipment is needed to perform audit tasks



#### **RESNET Home Energy Survey Professional**

The class is 5.5 days, includes hands on audits, HESP test, and covers the following key topic areas:

- Building Science
- Mechanical systems
- Lighting & appliances
- Building envelope
- Renewable Energy



- Utility bill analysis and rebate programs
- Performance testing and testing equipment
- Audit procedures

#### **KUPU – Youth Energy Assessment Hawaii**

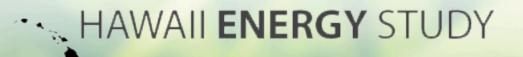








- On O'ahu, homes that have signed up for the Hawaii Energy Study (HES) are selected for a home assessment
- Auditors completed the RESNET Home Energy Survey Professional training
- Partners on the HES are committed to bettering our local communities through this collaborative effort to 'reducing Hawaii's energy consumption by making energy efficiency and energy conservation solutions more accessible and actionable.'



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# **Maui Smart Grid Project**





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- The project involves the use of smart meters & smart grid technology on Maui.
- Students from UH-Maui College will conduct home audits as part of their training toward becoming certified as a Home Energy Survey Professional (HESP). Training and student audits will be conducted under supervision of Green Building LLC.





#### Water Efficiency Programs EPA WaterSense Inspector Training



## **Renewable Energy Programs**





- Entry Level Photovoltaic Design and Installation
- Advanced Photovoltaic Design and Installation
- Photovoltaic Technical Sales
- NABCEP Certification Testing
  - North American Board of Certified Energy Practicioners is the "gold standard" for PV and solar heating installation
- Small Wind Turbine Design and Installation
- Solar Thermal Training

# Other Programs for a Greener Workforce



# **Building Operators Certification**<sup>®</sup>

- An nationally recognized energy efficiency training and certification program in commercial energy auditing
- Licensed by the Northwest Energy Efficiency Council (NEEC)
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has named NEEC as a winner of the 2012 ENERGY STAR Award for Excellence for its contributions through the BOC<sup>®</sup> program.



- Offered at UH Manoa and UH Maui College
- Topics include facility operations and maintenance, electrical, HVAC & lighting systems, indoor air quality, environmental health & safety, and energy conservation

# **Building Operators Certification**<sup>®</sup>

- Over 50% of BOC graduates report increases both in job responsibilities and compensation after receiving the certification
- A total of 56 hours of classroom training over several months, and five project assignments, with each taking approximately four hours to complete. This is a total time commitment of 74 hours which gives participants:
  - The most current techniques in building operations. an improved skill set in facility maintenance and operation
  - Advanced skills in maintaining, troubleshooting and optimizing performance of building systems
  - Increased opportunities for employment advancement

#### Solar Technical Sales and Estimation - For Solar PV and Solar Thermal Systems



- Hands-on solar system sales & estimating instruction for people seeking employment in the solar industry
- Solar Training Institute Maui Wailuku, Maui
- Students who complete the course qualify to take the NABCEP Technical Sales Certification Exam

# Hawaii Energy Workshop Series

Brought in San Francisco based EEFG, Inc., led by renowned expert Mark Jewell, to present the following three workshops on Oahu, Maui, &Kauai

- "Learning to S.E.E. (Sell Efficiency Effectively)™" covers financial metrics, presentation formats and selling approaches that help get viable energysaving projects approved.
- "Energy Efficiency's Role in Your Sustainability Agenda" new perspectives on why energy efficiency should be a top priority for any organization that values "green" attributes.
- "Benchmarking Your Commercial Building and What's Next" demonstrates how important and easy it is to gauge your current energy performance, set targets for improvement, and track your progress toward those goals.



#### Certified Energy Manager Training Program

- Hawaii Energy partnered with the Association of Energy Engineers (AEE) to present their Certified Energy Manager<sup>®</sup> Training Program
- Program is specifically designed to serve as preparatory courses for AEE professional certification candidates
- To be eligible to take the exam, candidates must have a four year degree and 3-5 years of experience in energy engineering/management or a twoyear degree and 6-8 years of experience.
- Candidates who have not earned a degree must have 10 years of energy engineering or energy management experience.

#### Home Energy Professional Certification Pilot Project



- New Home Energy Professional Certification Pilot tests are still in development
- No one specific training program for these certifications
- Offered by BPI (Building Performance Institute) & funded by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) & its National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)
- Written & field practical exams will be rolled out in June 2012
  - Energy Auditor
  - Retrofit Installer
  - Crew Leader
  - Quality Control Inspector
- Exams may be scheduled by contacting one of BPI's Test Centers
- Cost: \$250 for the written exam & \$500 for the field practical exam

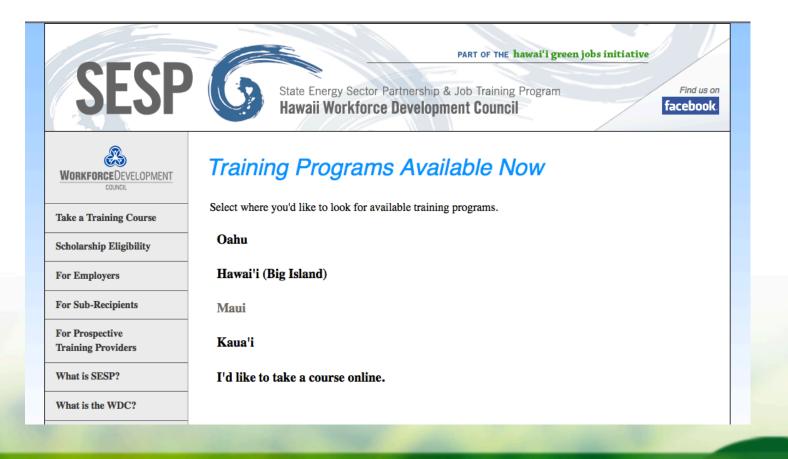


Green Building LLC is an approved training provider for the SESP funded scholarships. Contact for info:

- **Oahu WorkLinks:** Sylvia Silva, (808) 768-5707
- Big Island Workplace Connection: Blayne Hanagami, (808) 981-2860
- Worksource Maui: Kevin Kimizuka, (808) 984-2091
- Workwise Kauai: Adele Manera, (808) 274-3056

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#### For training and scholarship information:



#### **Register at a UH Campus**

Register for classes at the University of Hawaii colleges:

- Honolulu Community College: Preshess Willets-Vaquilar, (808) 845-9407
- Kapiolani Community College: Carol Hoshiko, (808) 734-9568
- Leeward Community College: Michael Moser, (808) 455-0470
- Windward Community College: Jane Uyetake, (808) 235-7433
- Maui College: Jennifer Chirico, (808) 984-3379
- Kauai Community College: Tracy Hirano, (808) 245-8351
- Hawaii Community College: Tony Kent, (808) 934-2700

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#### Register for off-campus classes on our website

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