

The College leases an older building on the Lana'i City town square for the Lana'i Education Center. The facility houses two distance learning classrooms, an individualized television viewing station, a computer lab, and offices for the Lana'i coordinator, clerk, and rural development coordinator. The Lana'i program offers about 36 classes each term by distance and an occasional Lana'i or Kahului-based instructor. Courses lead to certificates and degrees in six programs, and distance delivery expands offerings to the baccalaureate and master level.

📞 For information, call 565-7266.

### Hana Education Center

The Hana Education Center has been making higher education possible for the residents of the remote East Maui community since 1987. Conveniently located at the Hana Community Center in the heart of town, the Center offers "live" classes taught by longtime Hana residents. And utilizing the technologically advanced HITS system, students are able to participate in courses taught throughout the UH system, including those leading to advanced degrees.

The student base is comprised of both degree seekers and lifelong learners, as well as high school students. It is not unusual to have several generations of one family enrolled in various classes in a given semester.

📞 A listing of upcoming classes is sent to each postal patron from Keanae to Kaupo, or may be obtained by calling 248-7390.

### Kihei Outreach Site

The Kihei site, located at the Maui Research & Technology Park, is managed by the University of Hawai'i system. The facility is primarily a receive site for distance delivered baccalaureate and graduate courses and programs from the UH campuses at Manoa, Hilo, and West Oahu. On site credit and non-credit classes are also accommodated.

📞 For more information, call 984-3525.

### West Maui Education Center

The newest of the College's outreach sites is the West Maui Education Center. Situated in Lahaina, the center initiated "live" credit and non-credit classes in 2006. Distance classes are planned for Fall 2007 with the installation of the HITS system that will expand opportunities for lower and upper division and graduate classes from all the colleges in the UH system. The facility houses the West Maui coordinator and assistant, who host a variety of academic support services for the West Maui community.

📞 For information, call 661-7900.

### Office of Continuing Education and Training - VITEC

The Office of Continuing Education & Training (OCET) serves the work-force, educational, and cultural needs of the people of Maui County through noncredit classes as well as customized training, apprenticeship, and English as a Second Language programs. Classes are offered at the Kahului campus and at various other sites around Maui County.

📞 For information, call 808 984-3231, or visit the website [www.ocet.org](http://www.ocet.org)

### Small Business Development Center Network - SBDCN

The SBDCN coordinates two business assistance centers:

#### SBDC

The Maui Small Business Development Center (SBDC) provides counseling, training, and other resources to businesses with fewer than 500 employees. Funded by the U.S. Small Business Administration and the State of Hawai'i, the SBDC provides one-to-one consultations, workshops, structured educational programs, and business networking. There are no fees for consulting services.

📞 For information, call 875-2402, or visit [www.hawaii-sbdc.org](http://www.hawaii-sbdc.org)

#### BRL

The Business Research Library (BRL) is a statewide Hawai'i SBDC Network Specialty Center providing businesses, entrepreneurs, and students with online data analysis, trademark, copyright, in-

dustry, market, and grant research. The BRL publishes and produces the Maui County Data Book and is a state data center affiliate and federal depository housing census print, map, and CD-ROM products. Quick answers and business start-up questions are provided free of charge. Computers are available for Internet research. The BRL houses a specialized collection of business reference books, journals, and topic files on a broad range of subjects.

📞 Users must call 875-2400 in advance for an appointment.

### MCC Development Office

Maui Community College seeks private gifts to sustain and advance the College. Gifts assist students with scholarship aid, provide critically needed funds for specific programs including instructional resources and faculty/staff development, and provide the flexibility to plan and build for the future. Private gifts to the College are made through the University of Hawai'i Foundation which, through its Maui office, supports the College's fund-raising efforts.

📞 For information, contact the MCC-UH Foundation Office at 984-3261.

