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Hui No'eau Visiting Artist Program brings Yale University School of Art Professor Johannes DeYoung to Maui; DeYoung teaches at Baldwin High School

Makawao - Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center's Visiting Artist Program brought Yale University School of Art Professor Johannes DeYoung to Maui to teach a series of workshops at Hui No'eau and Baldwin High School this August. DeYoung received his BFA from the University of Louisville and his MFA from the Cranbrook Academy of Art in 2006. His work has been exhibited nationally and internationally, including recent exhibitions at Robert Miller Gallery and Jeff Bailey Gallery in New York. DeYoung was named Lecturer at the Yale University School of Art in 2009, and subsequently named Critic in Film/ Video / Interdisciplinary Studies at the Yale University School of Art in 2012.

DeYoung taught workshops in animation, drawing and design to 20 students in Baldwin High School's Academy of Informational Technology (AIOT) and Digital Media Directed Studies Program led by teacher Trisha Roy. "Having Johannes was inspiring and fun for our students," Roy said. "The students involved with the animation workshop were excited about the opportunity to work with Johannes to plan, create, and produce a film sequence," Roy added. "This was a new experience for all of us and it was such a great opportunity to learn from someone with so much knowledge and passion."

"Hui No'eau is thrilled to join forces with Trisha Roy and the students of Baldwin High School to create this wonderful collaborative educational program with Johannes DeYoung," said Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center's Executive Director Caroline Killhour. "By bringing the finest art educators to Maui from around the world, we support and inspire our next generation of artists and innovative thinkers," Killhour added. "We look forward to continuing this joint program with Baldwin High School and Hui No'eau."

The Hui also welcomed Visiting Artist Yvonne Manipon to the Hui this July to teach adult classes in plein air painting, along with hosting a special painting workshop for Maui youth at the Hui's Summer Camp Kaluanui. Through the Hui's Visiting Artist Program, Manipon taught two Teacher's Professional Development Workshops at the Hui, attracting 24 educators from Maui County schools including UH Maui College, King Kekaulike High School, Kahului Elementary School, Waldorf Schools, Baldwin High School, Carden Academy, and Molokai High School. Lessons learned in this workshop greatly impact youth by providing teachers with valuable skills and tools to take back to their own public and private school classrooms throughout Maui County.

DeYoung's and Manipon's visits were made possible through the Hui's Visiting Artist Program, which has welcomed 45 artists from the U.S. and abroad to teach over 80 workshops and free artists lectures at

Hui No‘eau since 2012. The program features hands-on workshops by professional local, national, and international visual artists, providing Maui’s visual arts community with exposure to new perspectives & techniques as well as opportunities to interact with innovative artists and educators from around the world. With additional funding from generous community members at the Hui’s annual fundraising gala, Art Affair, this February, the program’s impact on the Maui community has reached new heights.

Hui No‘eau is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, non-degree granting, community-based arts education organization offering open access to quality visual arts instruction by professional teaching artists. For up-to-date information on all the programs and services the Hui has to offer, visit us at our *Kaluanui* home, call us at 808-572-6560 or find us on the web at huinoeau.com!

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