

## DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

CITY COUNCIL

BUDGET AND FISCAL

COMMUNITY SERVICES

DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

ENTERPRISE SERVICES

ETHICS COMMISSION

FACILITY MAINTENANCE

HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION

HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY

HONOLULU FIRE DEPARTMENT

HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT

HUMAN RESOURCES

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION

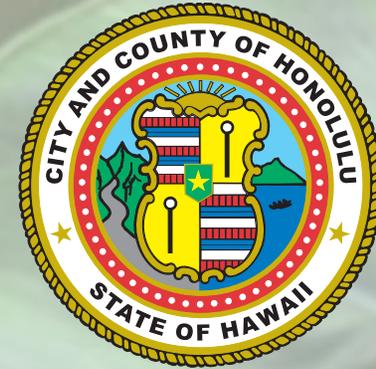
OFFICE OF CLIMATE CHANGE, SUSTAINABILITY AND RESILIENCY

PARKS AND RECREATION

PLANNING AND PERMITTING

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

and more



# EMPOWERING HONOLULU'S EMERGING LEADERS

## INTERNSHIPS 2021



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SPRING/SUMMER  
City and County of Honolulu



Chamara

“Joining the Po’okela Fellows program was definitely one of the best decisions I have made in my life! Being a part of this program has really impacted my life in a positive way. Coming into this internship, I had no idea what to expect, or what I really wanted to do after graduating college. The program has definitely given me a better understanding of my skill set and what my career path is. One of the tasks given to me as an intern was to listen to the community’s concerns, and then to help them resolve it. This was such a rewarding experience, and I’m thankful to get to continue to do the work that I’m passionate about full-time!”

MBA • Hawaii Pacific University • Office of the Mayor • 2019 Fellow (with Asher & Alyssa, 2020 Fellows)

“Throughout my internship, I learned so much about the city’s payroll process and all the people, teamwork, and communication necessary to ensure that employees are paid, both timely and accurately. With the global pandemic of 2020, it has become even more important for people to be able to support themselves and their families financially, whether it be through a regular two-week paycheck or through other various transactions.

My mentor gave me the opportunity to grow both professionally and personally. I was involved in creating various reports for my department, attended divisional meetings, met weekly deadlines, and prepared various types of payments. I learned from my mistakes, gained understanding of new concepts and procedures, and applied the things I learned in school to my community. This invaluable experience taught me more about what the city does for its people, more about myself and how I can be of service to my community.”

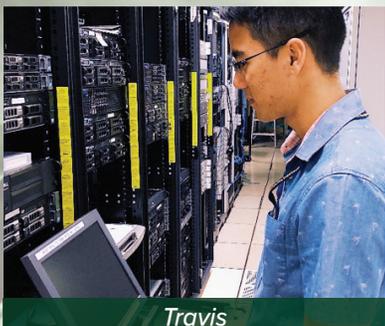
Accounting • University of Hawai’i at Manoa • Honolulu Police Dept., Finance Division • 2020 Fellow



Chantelle

“College offers you an empty toolbox, but the Po’okela Fellows program provides you with lifelong tools. While under the supervision of a mentor, the program offered me the opportunity to gain real world IT experience. It was rewarding to take concepts and skills from the classroom and apply them to projects impacting the community we live in. The post-graduation transition from a part-time fellow to full-time employee was effortless. I will always be thankful for this program.”

Management Information Systems • University of Hawai’i at Manoa • Department of Information Technology • 2018 Fellow



Travis

# PO'OKELA FELLOWS

## 2021 SPRING/SUMMER SESSION

January – June 2021

### REQUIREMENTS

- Enrollment in a Bachelor’s or Master’s degree program •
- Completion of 60 credits minimum •
- Good academic standing •

RESUMES ACCEPTED ONLINE AT  
[pookela@honolulu.gov](mailto:pookela@honolulu.gov)

### APPLICATION PERIOD

September 14 – October 26, 2020

POSITIONS ARE LIMITED!