

University of Hawai'i at Mānoa—Sakamaki Hall Renovation Honolulu, HI

The University of Hawai'i's stakeholders truly supported the exploration and movement towards learning environments and learning methods of tomorrow. This project was an opportunity to demonstrate the effectiveness of renovating office and traditional classrooms of rowed desks to flexible learning spaces. Innovative Classrooms included ample writing surfaces on the wall; IdeaPaint and translucent, sliding 3form whiteboards to support the high levels of daylight design and flexibility; an extensive A/V system to support mobile technology; adaptive/flexible furniture to support various configurations, postures and different group activities.

To honor Sakamaki Hall's bamboo, which had to be removed because of health, maintenance and functional use concerns, photos of the original bamboo were applied to the acoustical clouds in the classrooms, bamboo plywood was used extensively throughout and two more appropriate, new species of bamboo were introduced in the courtyards. Window treatments using bamboo patterning reinforced the symbolic presence of bamboo. Conceptualized as a prototype to be observed, adjusted and replicated, Sakamaki Hall's Innovative Zone demonstrate the University of Hawai'i's initiative to develop 21st-century facilities across 10 campuses.



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Remodel/Adaptive Reuse/ Restoration

Interior Design

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DESIGN TEAM

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OWNER/CLIENT

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KEY STATS

Grades Served: Higher Education

Size of Site: 103 acres

Building Area: 23,648 sq. ft

Space per Student: 34 sq. ft

Cost per Student: \$10,305

Square Foot Cost: \$300

Construction Cost: \$7,100,000

Project Cost: \$9,000,000

Completion Date: January 2014

Sustainability Rating System/Applied/Status/Level:
 Designed for LEED for com interiors

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