

# HWST 129 : Introduction to Hula 'Auana

**Credits:** 3

**Class Hours:** 2 lecture and 2 lecture/lab

**Description:** This course is an introduction to hula 'auana covering the fundamentals of contemporary Hawaiian dance, music, practices, language, poetry, and regional traditions.

**Semester Offered:** Fall, Spring

**Designation:**

Diversification: Arts – DA

Graduation Requirement: Pacific Cultures – PC

**Course Student Learning Outcomes (CSLOs):**

1. Identify contemporary hula and mele (music, song, poetry) terminology.
2. Explain basic contemporary hula and mele (music, song, poetry) practices, and traditions.
3. Execute basic hula steps and motions.
4. Perform all learned pieces.