



Trevor Tanaka

Trevor Tanaka is an emerging leader from Hawaii. He envisioned the Sustainable Education Resolution and championed it through passage. He is the Coordinator for the Institute's Sustainability Toolkit APP so that all Hawaiian youth have access to information for how to build a more sustainable island and world. In 2017 Trevor graduated from Chapman University. In 2012 Trevor served as a youth delegate to the Institute's Leadership Summit for Sustainable Development. As an emerging leader, he trains Hawaiian youth to realize their dreams and develop sustainability-in-action projects to help their communities.

A Konawaena High School alum, in Kealahou, Hawaii where he was a member of the Hawaii State Student Council, Vice Chair of the Council's Environment of Care Committee; Student Body Vice President, President, Leo Club, and National Honor Society. Trevor is a Harvard Book Award recipient and Honorable Mention Awardee of County of Hawaii's Student Malama Award: Celebrating Student Leadership in Sustainability. Trevor was a member of the Konawaena High School Varsity Basketball and Volleyball Teams and three-time selection to the Hawaii Tribune Herald's All Academic Basketball Team. For SHYLI's Job Shadow Day Trevor was mentored by Dr. Edwin Phillip Herd M.D. at In Patient Services at Ali'i Health Care & Kona Community Hospital. Trevor is concerned with the shortage of health care professionals on the Big Island. His goal is to return after college and offer his services to his local community to help address the health care needs on his Island.

Trevor served as a youth delegate to the 2012 Youth Leadership Summit for Sustainable Development. At the Summit, Trevor made a presentation on his Sustainable Education Resolution. Following the Summit, Trevor made an inspiring presentation at SHYLI's Youth Leadership Forum with the Island's leaders from business, government, education and the civic community. He then engaged them in brainstorming ways to work with the legislative process to support his Sustainable Education Resolution. At SHYLI's 2014 Youth Leadership Forum, Trevor made an inspiring presentation to the Island's leaders from business, government, education and the civic community. He then engaged them in brainstorming ways to work with the legislative process to support his Sustainable Education Resolution. Trevor then worked with Representative Denny Coffman and with Senator Jill Tokuda as champions of his Resolution, resulting in hearings in the House and the Senate – on the same day!

In 2015 Trevor served as a SHYLI Emerging Leader at the 2015 Youth Leadership Summit where he inspired youth with his The Sustainable Journey. Trevor worked with SHYLI Windward youth delegate Serena Le to develop a strategy to give Hawaii's educators an online resource to implement the Sustainable Resolution.
<http://www.slideshare.net/harpstar/the-sustainable-journey?ref=http://shyli.org/2015-youth-leadership-summit>