Indigenous Community Networks in Hawai'i
Round Table
Jan. 16, 2022 - 10:45-12:00
Round Table Participants:

Rob McMahon, Associate Professor, University of Alberta, Canada

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Brandon Makaʻawaʻawa, Deputy Head of State, Nation of Hawaiʻi, USA

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James Pakele, President, Dynamic Community Solutions, USA

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Brad Kaleo Bennett, Principal Consultant, `Auamo Consulting, USA

Mark Buell, Regional Vice President, North America, Internet Society, USA
Session Format

1. Introduce participants and projects (Rob)
2. Overview and methodology: Participatory evaluation (Heather)
3. Pu‘uhonua o Waimānalo: Project overview and highlights from research (Brandon, Wayne, Rob)
4. Pu‘uhonua o Waianae: Project overview (James)
5. Policy: Broadband Hui, Digital Equity Declaration, and funding (Burt)
6. Mapping initiatives underway in Hawai‘i (Brad)
7. Technical training (Mark)
8. Reflections and lessons learned (All)
9. Questions and discussion
Research in Puʻuhonua o Waimānalo