

**New Business Item 12-35**

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**TITLE: Approval of University of Hawaii-Manoa Educational Preparation Program  
Fine Arts Program Review Team**

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The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board approves the following appointments to the University of Hawaii – Manoa Visual Arts Educational Preparation Program Team for the review to be held July 2013:

**Visual Arts Program Review:**

- Dr. Valentina Abordonado, Director, School of Education, Hawaii Pacific University
- Margaret Ann Hoy, Art Teacher, Kohala High School
- Carolyn Gyuran, Education Specialist, Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board

Reviewer biographies attached.

**Submitted by:** Terry Lynn Holck

**Referred to:** Teacher Education Committee

## **University of Hawaii – Manoa Visual Arts Program Review Team**

**Dr. Valentina Abordonado** is the Director of the School of Education at Hawaii Pacific University with the overall responsibility for all of the elementary and secondary teacher licensure programs. She earned her B.Ed and M.Ed degrees in Secondary Education at UH Manoa. She received her Ph.D. in Rhetoric, Composition, and the Teaching of English from the University of Arizona. Her areas of expertise include English Education and ESL Education. Dr. Abordonado has served on several State Review Teams.

**Margaret Ann Hoy** holds a license in Art K-12. Her college degrees are from the following institutions: B.F.A. with a Distinction in Drawing from the California College of Arts and Crafts in Oakland, California (1975) and M.S.Ed. with a Visual Arts Focus from the Bank Street College and Parsons School of Design in New York City, New York (1986). Ms. Hoy has worked at the Honolulu Academy of Arts summer program and has taught at Washington Intermediate School, Aliamanu Intermediate and at Kalani High School. Currently Ms. Hoy teaches at Kohala High School where she has been for thirty-two years. Besides teaching art, Ms. Hoy continues to be an artist. She has participated in many art shows in Honolulu and on Hawai'i Island. She is the past president of the Waimea Arts Council in Kamuela, Hawai'i and currently has artwork on display at the Elements Gallery in Hawi. Additionally Ms. Hoy has worked with the SFCA for Artists In the Schools as the teacher coordinator at Kohala High School. For the last three years, she has been teaching after school art enrichment and summer school at Kohala Elementary School for a 21st Century Schools grant for the Kohala Complex.