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Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center Names Anne-Marie Forsythe as Interim Executive Director

Makawao, Maui, Hawaii (November 13, 2019) – Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center is excited to announce the appointment of Anne-Marie Forsythe as Interim Executive Director. She will oversee all operations and fundraising.

Born on Oahu and raised on Maui, Forsythe has spent the last 14 years contributing to the success of the educational programs at Hui No'eau. Forsythe directed the development and expansion of all of the Hui's visual arts education programs, including the 300+ classes, workshops, field trips, and activities offered at the Hui each year for both youth and adults. She has also overseen Hui's facilities and community outreach efforts and served as the Editor in Chief for the Hui's Create Newsletter. Anne-Marie has been a core advisor for every department at Hui No'eau.

Her dedication to Hui No'eau has led to the development of many successful programs, including the Art with Aloha program, which annually provides Hawaiian cultural art programming to the public, and the Na Keiki No'eau after school art program, which serves more than 300 public elementary school students each month in Makawao, Pukalani, and Paia. Forsythe has also directed the Hui's outreach efforts, facilitating growth in the youth field trip program that serves more than 1,000 students annually. She received the Hui No'eau Angel Award in 2019 in recognition of her contributions to the Hui.

"I'm thrilled to be able to continue my passion for Hui No'eau in this new role. After many years of dedication to the Hui, I am so grateful for the opportunity to lead the organization and continue serving the community with inspiring and educational visual arts programs," stated Ms. Forsythe.

Anne-Marie began her new role on Monday, November 11.

"The work and programs Anne-Marie has brought to Hui No'eau are impressive," said Rob Stoner, Board Co-President. "She cares deeply for the organization and is committed to its future success and growth."

"We're excited to have such a passionate individual leading our beloved organization and staff," said Mercy Palmer, Board Co-President.

About Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center

Hui No'eau is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, community-based, visual arts education organization offering open access to quality visual arts instruction by professional teaching artists and arts opportunities through year round youth and adult art classes, exhibitions, outreach programs, community art events, and more. The Hui is open to the public daily from 9am-4pm with free admission. www.huinoeau.com