

THE DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL



**Hawai'i
State Organization**

**Hawai'i State 2021 Spring Conference
Saturday, June 5, 2021 @ 8:00am via Zoom**

*Pūpūkahi i Holomua
"Unite to Move Forward"*

Registration is open for our annual Spring Conference!

Please register for this FREE conference at:

<https://tinyurl.com/dkg2021spring>

Deadline to register: Monday, May 24, 2021

Agenda

- ❖ Opening/Welcome
- ❖ Installation of Executive Board 2021-2023
- ❖ Executive Board/General Meeting
- ❖ Keynote - "Why DKG?"
Cathy Daugherty, DKG Immediate Past International President, currently serves as the 2021 international representative to Hawai'i and Director on the DKG International Educators Foundation. She was the 2016 recipient of the Achievement Award, the Society's highest honor
- ❖ Breakout Sessions
- ❖ Ceremony of Remembrance
- ❖ Announcements
- ❖ Closing

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Title	Description	Presenter(s)
<p>1. <i>Unite to Challenge Discrimination Against Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders</i></p>	<p>Co-authors Doris Ching and Amy Agbayani will summarize their recent article, “Legacy and Recommitment to Advocacy, Equality, Justice for Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and All Racial Groups,” published in the on-line Journal of College and Character, February 2021.</p> <p>They will share information on AAPIs and insights into discrimination and unequal treatment as reported by 17 prominent AAPIs, local and nationwide, who responded to a survey for the article. The session will include discussions of attendees’ personal incidents and what educators/schools, in unity, can do to address the “2nd pandemic” of anti-Asian hate incidents occurring across the nation.</p>	<p>Doris Ching, Delta Chapter, and Amy Agbayani</p>
<p>2. <i>Educational Journaling in the Midst of Covid-19</i></p>	<p>Anne Frank journaled in her isolated attic during WWII and though she knew very little of the specifics of the war's effects on family and the world, she left us a valuable insight into some of the effects of war. She had no template, no teacher, or assignment, or grade, but her writing sustained her and helped to enlighten the world.</p> <p>Journaling is an equalizer between economic groups, between education in or out of the physical classroom, and the access or lack of access to technology. Its content spreads across the curriculum and is motivated by self-generated interest and spans in depths across the grade levels - changes in family and community life, basic goods and services, medical facilities, logistics of pandemics, the origin of services, the virus and vaccine, government and its function, economic ramifications, employment, schooling, politics, discerning between fact and opinion, etc.</p> <p>Effects of personal and educational journaling - participants will experience and dialog about its possibilities for mental health, expansion of curriculum, and inciting student investment in their own learning.</p>	<p>Hazel Hasegawa, Theta Chapter</p>
<p>3. <i>Essential Oils and Well-Being</i></p>	<p>Learn more about essential oils and the positive impact the oils have on your health and well-being.</p>	<p>Melanie Nakashima, Alison Uyehara, and Kim Uyehara, Gamma Chapter</p>
<p>4. <i>Tools in Zoom, other tech tools to enhance teaching</i></p>	<p>Learn how to use the tools in Zoom. Time permitting, learn to make video tutorials and quick quizzes for assessment or fun review.</p>	<p>Teri Evangelista, Gamma Chapter</p>
<p>5. <i>Next Steps to your Future: Partnerships to Support Hawaii's Future</i></p>	<p>Learn how the University of Hawai‘i Community Colleges (UHCC) and Hawai‘i P-20 collaborated to implement the statewide “Next Steps to Your Future” program, supporting Hawai‘i public high school graduates from the class of 2020 and 2021. This innovative program provided hope and support for Hawai‘i's graduating seniors as they prepared to transition to their next steps.</p>	<p>Cheri Souza, Gamma Chapter</p>