(Education-Industry-Community)

COHH HIP HOP SUMMIT
APRIL 28 - MAY 1/ HAWAI‘I

Summit description:
The Summit is an open public forum at the platforms of education, music and technology. This is the first time that musicians, artists, educators and industry professionals will convene at The University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa to tackle critical societal issues while exhibiting new skills and knowledge from around the globe.

This year’s summit will feature Grammy-nominated artist Carolyn Malachi and New York-based artist Matt Reeves. A total of 3 films will also be exhibited. The featured film of the week, “The Curators Volume 1: A Story of Independence,” is produced by Curators of Hip Hop. Another short film entitled, “Culture Over Everything,” starring Rapsody from North Carolina who works under the wings of the Grammy-winning producer 9th Wonder will be screened. The third film, “Manifesto,” is a short narrative about the journey of a troubled youth and his path to art (graffiti), directed by Michael Aronson.

What is the Summit?
The summit is a public forum lasting 4 days that provides a meeting place for professionals, educators and artist all invested in the culture of Hip Hop.

2014 Themes

Art As Therapy
Community Building
Art Vs Policy
Professional Development
The Age of Independence