

# **Hawai'i Green Workforce Development Conference & Expo**

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## **Town Hall Forum: Sustaining the Green Economy**

MAY 24, 2011  
2:45 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.

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**Senator Jill Tokuda, Hawai'i State Senate**

Policy Perspectives

**Mark Fox, Nature Conservancy**

Perspectives on Sustainability Business and Jobs

**Darren Kimura, Sopogy**

Employer Perspectives on Jobs and Workforce

**Damien Kim, IBEW**

Labor and Worker Perspectives

**Scott Murakami, UH Community Colleges**

Workforce Development/Education & Training Perspectives

*Moderator*

Sharon Moriwaki, Co-Chair, Hawai'i Energy Policy Forum & Associate Director  
UH Manoa Public Policy Center

# Hawai'i's Green Jobs

## What's a "Green Job"?

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### **A "Green Job":**

- ❖ Generates clean, renewable, sustainable energy
- ❖ Reduces waste/pollution; conserves natural resources
- ❖ Energy Efficiency
- ❖ Education/training & support of the green workforce
- ❖ Natural, environmentally friendly practices and production

# Sustaining a Green Economy

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**What's happening today  
to create  
a green economy?**

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**What are the challenges & opportunities to sustain a green economy?**

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**What will WE do to  
sustain a green economy?**