



# HANA OLA & GRACE HAGEMANN SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS APPLICATION

## ABOUT THE HANA OLA HEALTHCARE CAREERS SCHOLARSHIP

The Hana Ola Healthcare Careers Scholarship was established to invest in the next generation of healthcare professionals from Moloka'i who are committed to serving their home communities. Rooted in Nā Pu'uwai's vision, the scholarship supports students pursuing careers in healthcare by providing financial assistance and encouragement along their educational journey.

Recognizing the critical need for a strong, local workforce, Nā Pu'uwai is dedicated to cultivating healthcare professionals who are not only academically and clinically prepared, but also culturally grounded. Through Hana Ola, we nurture "homegrown" practitioners who carry 'ike and a deep sense of kuleana to the people and places that shaped them.

By investing in students who are committed to returning home to serve with skill, aloha, and purpose, the Hana Ola Healthcare Careers Scholarship strengthens the health and well-being of our communities and helps ensure a healthier future for generations to come.

## ABOUT THE GRACE HAGEMANN SCHOLARSHIP

Grace Haaheo Kaawakano Hagemann was born at Pukoo, Molokai on December 1894 and died on January 16, 1969, at age 74. Today, she rests in peace near the front entrance of Our Lady of Seven Sorrows Church.



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## ABOUT THE GRACE HAGEMANN SCHOLARSHIP

Grace had four daughters, Anna, Leonie, Katherine, and Anita. After a troubled marriage and the death of her husband in 1928, she became the sole supporter of her family. She was a cleaning lady for a doctor at a clinic at Pukoo, near Kilohana School, and grew most of her family's food in her home garden. She also enjoyed gathering limu and making lauhala mats, baskets, and hats.

A self-educated woman, she was fiercely independent. Today, many of her descendants, including Nā Puuwai's founder, the late Billy Akutagawa, work in the health industry. The Grace Hagemann Scholarship honors the legacy she left her 'ohana, of the value of education and service to others.

## ELIGIBILITY

- High school graduate
- Resident of Moloka'i
- Dedication to apply training to improve the health status of underserved and rural communities.
- Acceptance into a postsecondary program OR training in a healthcare profession that leads to a degree or certification\*

\*A postsecondary program or training in a healthcare profession refers to educational pathways that individuals can pursue to obtain a degree or certification in a healthcare field.



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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name

First Name

Last Name

Address

Street Name

City

Postal Code

Phone

Home Phone

Mobile Phone

Email

## EDUCATION

High School

Name

Graduation Date

Program/  
University

Name

Enrollment Date

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School GPA:

Class Rank:

SAT/ACT Score:

Additional or Specialized coursework:



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## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- List any extracurricular activities or clubs you have participated in during high school, including any leadership roles you held.
- Briefly describe your involvement and any achievements or awards you received.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE & VOLUNTEER WORK

- List any volunteer work you have done in your community or any service organizations you have been involved with during high school.
- Briefly describe your involvement and any achievements or awards you received.



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## PERSONAL STATEMENT

Write an essay (500-1000 words) that addresses the following:

- Why do you want to attend college and pursue your chosen major/field of study?
- What are your long-term career aspirations and how do you plan to achieve them?
- How will receiving this scholarship help you achieve your academic and career goals?
- Is there anything else you would like the scholarship committee to know about you that is not included in your application?

## LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Submit two letters of recommendation from teachers, counselors, or community leaders who can speak to your academic achievements, extracurricular activities, community service, or personal character.

**Please submit completed application and supporting documents to:  
[hanaola@napuuwai.org](mailto:hanaola@napuuwai.org)**

I certify that all answers given herein are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize the investigation of all information provided in this scholarship application, as it may be necessary for the purpose of evaluating my eligibility and making a scholarship decision.

Name & Signature

Date