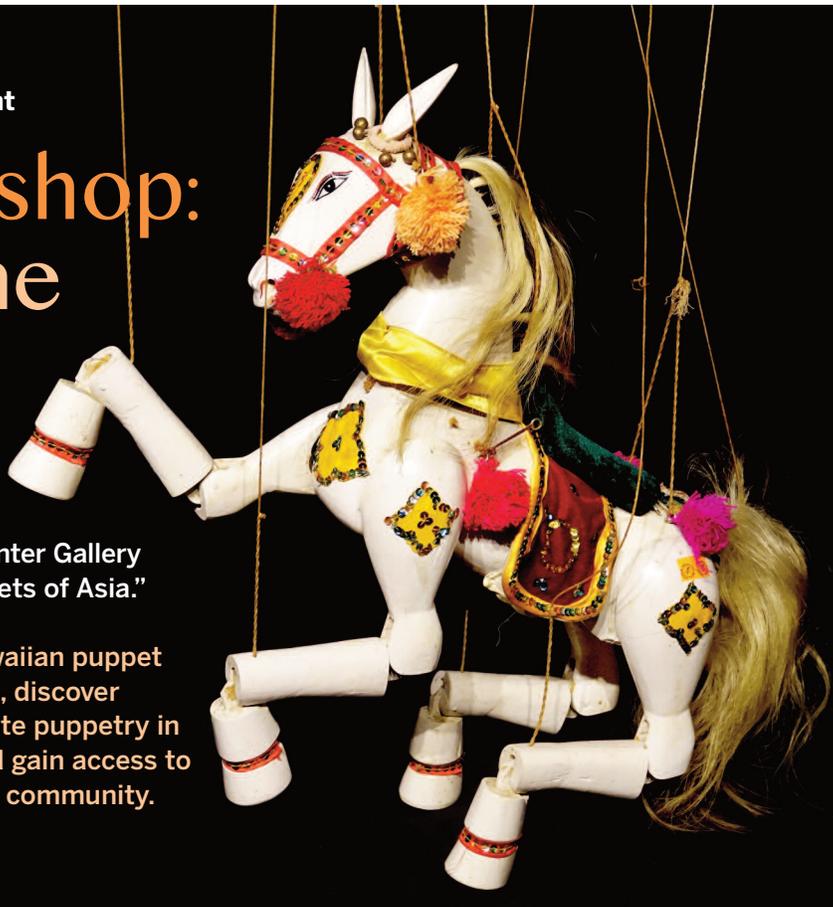


East-West Center Arts Program
and Pacific & Asian Affairs Council present

Teacher Workshop: Puppetry in the Classroom

This interactive teacher workshop is open to all K-12 teachers of Hawai'i and is presented in conjunction with East-West Center Gallery exhibition "Cosmic Characters: Wood Puppets of Asia."

Participants will learn about Asian and Hawaiian puppet traditions, experience hands-on workshops, discover strategies to incorporate puppetry in the classroom, and gain access to resources in the community.



Puppet theatre presents the entire cosmos through character, color, story, sound, and movement. Distinct traditions are found throughout the Asia Pacific region, many of which have been influenced by shamanism, animism, Hinduism, and Buddhism. This

exhibition focuses on the three-dimensional wood puppets that demonstrate the following techniques: string puppets (marionettes), rod (stick) puppets, and glove (hand) puppets. Through these performance forms stories come to life. More than 10 unique traditions from India, Sri Lanka, Myanmar, Thailand, Indonesia, Vietnam, China, Taiwan, Korea, and Japan are displayed. To honor our host culture, Hawaiian puppets are featured. These performance traditions are a place of intersection — a bridge between the past, present, and future — where the divine and human worlds meet and ancient stories are made relevant for the contemporary experience.

This teacher workshop includes programs by:

- Kumu Hula Aulii Mitchell will present about his work with Hula Ki'i, or Hawaiian puppets
- Honolulu Theatre for Youth
- University of Hawai'i at Mānoa Theatre for Young Audiences Program
- Bonnie Kim, "Artists in the Schools Program" Teaching Artist
- Merle Grybowski, PAAC Director of Teacher Training
- EWC Gallery Curator, Dr. Michael Schuster will lead a guided gallery tour and also present about his 45 years of experience with Asian puppetry traditions



\$10 non-refundable registration fee

- Two or more teachers attending from one school is encouraged and will be given priority.
- For neighbor island teachers, roundtrip airfare and one night of lodging at the East-West Center are available—space limited.

Register online:

www.paachawaii.org

(website payment)

or submit check/registration by mail:

PAAC Teacher Workshop
1601 East-West Road, 4th Floor
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Registration Deadline:
March 15, 2019

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