## OCET Update August 2014

- We recently hired 3 casual hire APT's for the OCET unit: Scott Xianbin who is proctoring non-UH testing; Kari Yoshimura who is working on special projects and motorcycle training; and Wendy Leimamo Lind-Strauss who is developing programs in West Hawaii
- On August 1<sup>st</sup>, OCET began accepting on-line registrations from the public for our classes through the statewide Destiny registration system. It is John Morton's goal to have one systemized non-credit registration so reports could be gleaned from his office.
- Some new initiatives that we are working on include: Water/Wastewater training and Food Industry fundamentals non-credit courses offered in partnership with UH Maui College; agriculture, facilities maintenance and Hawaiian culture training for Kulani Prison; and process technology and industrial maintenance program offered through the Rural Hawaii grant.
- Dennis Higashigushi, a Oahu based trainer who recently trained the staff at Honolulu Airport and TSA, will be on our campus presenting a half-day "Achieving Excellent Customer Service" training on Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m.-12 noon. Don't miss out on this opportunity!
- As we indicated on Assessment Day, in September we will be sending out a survey to all faculty and staff to collect feedback on our services.