



## Lessons from Hawai'i: Cultural Equity Spurs Deeper Child Learning & Development GFE Conference, October 23, 2019

### RECOMMENDED READING

*Related reading on the Hawai'i early childhood education system and the history of philanthropy in Hawai'i, compiled by the Samuel N. and Mary Castle Foundation, Honolulu HI.*

1. The **Samuel N. and Mary Castle Foundation website** provides extensive historical and current information on early education strategies. <http://fdnweb.org/castle/>
1. **Building Early Education Opportunity Through Cultural Equity: The Hawaii Case Study**  
*Q & A with ECFC Member - Al Castle, Chief Executive Officer and Treasurer, The Samuel N. and Mary Castle Foundation, Honolulu HI*  
<https://www.ecfunders.org/building-early-education-opportunity/>
2. Lawrence Fuchs, **Hawaii Pono: A Social History** (Harcourt, Brace & World, (1961).  
This is the best social history of Hawaii covering the re-discovery of Hawaii by Europeans in the 1770's until the beginning of statehood in 1959.
3. Gavan Daws, **Shoal of Time: A History of the Hawaiian Islands** (University of Hawaii Press, 1961).  
This is a solid, general history of Hawaii until the early years of statehood.
4. Alfred L. Castle, "**Philanthropy in Paradise**", Foundation News and Commentary, September-October 2005. Prepared for the 2,000 grantmakers who attended the 2006 Council on Foundations (chaired by Al Castle) conference, this is a short, if now dated, introduction to philanthropy in the 19th and 20th centuries in Hawaii.
5. Alfred L. Castle, "**John Dewey and the Beginnings of Early Education in Hawaii**", Educational Perspectives v 47, pages 23-27, 2015. This academic article is found on-line ([www.eric.ed.gov/?id=EJ1088349](http://www.eric.ed.gov/?id=EJ1088349)). Other titles of books and academic journal articles found at [www.fdnweb.org/castle/files/2016/09/publications-2015.pdf](http://www.fdnweb.org/castle/files/2016/09/publications-2015.pdf)
6. Susanna Moore, **Paradise of the Pacific: Approaching Hawaii** (Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2015).
7. James L. Haley, **Captive Paradise: A History of Hawaii** (2014).
8. Camilla Fojas, Editor, **Beyond Ethnicity** (University of Hawaii Press, 2018).
1. King David Kalakaua, **Legends and Myths of Hawaii** (Tyndale Publishing, 2013).
2. Haunani-Kay Trask, **From a Native Daughter: Colonialism and Sovereignty in Hawaii** (University of Hawaii Press, 1999).
3. Thurston Twigg-Smith, **Hawaiian Sovereignty: Do the Facts Matter** (Goodale Pub., 1998).
4. Sarah Vowell, **Unfamiliar Fishes**, (Riverhead Books, 2012).