



**Dear Hawaii Interested Parties,**

As BOEM prepares for future renewable energy projects offshore the West Coast and Hawaii, we are initiating a proactive outreach initiative with the Department of Energy's National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) to educate both our BOEM OCS Renewable Energy Task Force members and the public on offshore renewable energy technologies best suited for areas on the Pacific Outer Continental Shelf, and the multi-faceted complexities of such marine-based energy systems.

The two-day training session will include presentations by experts from NREL on offshore wind and marine hydrokinetic (MHK) technologies and will also include technical expert panel discussions. The first day of the training, August 13, 2013, will focus on offshore wind technology and the second day, August 14, 2013, will focus on MHK technology. Registration will be held from 8:00 – 8:30 am on both days of the workshop. The workshop sessions will begin at 8:30 am and be adjourned at 5:30 pm on day one and 5:00 pm on day two.

This **FREE** two-day training session, which is open to the public, will be held at:

**Hawaii Imin International Conference Center – Keoni Auditorium  
1777 East West Road  
Honolulu, Hawaii  
August 13-14, 2013**

\*\* Please RSVP by August 2nd as space is limited. Contact John Smith at

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To join via webinar please use the following:

**Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**

Call-in number: 877-951-7311 Participant passcode: 2620984

URL: <https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join.php?i=PW6246467&p=2620984&t=c>

**August 14<sup>th</sup>**

Call-in number: 877-951-7311 Participant passcode: 8482549

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