



ASSOCIATION OF FLIGHT ATTENDANTS – CWA, AFL - CIO
HAWAIIAN AIRLINES MASTER EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

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Dear Flight Attendants,

Rest in Love McKenna ❤️

We share the sad news of the loss of one of our Flight Attendant family McKenna Vierra. A Flight Attendant with Hawaiian Airlines for over 4 years while working towards getting her license to become a pilot – McKenna had a love of flying! She lived life to the fullest, overcoming adversity with strength and grace. It was a privilege to work alongside such a beautiful soul. We send our condolences and love to McKenna's friends and family. Please know AFA EAP is always available. You can find your local committee members at: <http://www.hawaiianafa.org/eap>

Union Plus Free College Program

With Union Plus Free College, you and your family members can earn an associate degree or complete a bachelor's degree fully online from a public, accredited college, with no out-of-pocket cost to you. This can save you thousands of dollars. The Free College program covers any amount for tuition, fees, or books that is not covered by federal or employer education grants. You can go back to school while you continue to work. Online classes let you work on your own time and at your own pace during the semester. And you graduate from a respected, accredited academic institution.

Fall Semester starts August 16 – Click on the link for more information

<https://www.unionplus.org/benefits/education/free-college>

"I have always wanted to finish my degree. I completed some college in the early 2000's but shortly started at Hawaiian and dropped out of higher education. Although I do not regret my decisions, I am so grateful to our union for allowing me the opportunity to continue my education, even if years later. The flexibility of online classes works with our flight attendant schedules. I encourage anyone who has thought about college to try it! It's free! We are so lucky to have this benefit thanks to our union."

Flight Attendant and LAX Local Council President Josh Aoki

INFLIGHT SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Degree programs include:

- Accounting
- Associate of Arts
- Business Management with optional certificate programs in Advertising; Cyber Security; Data Science; Digital and Social Media; Entrepreneurship; Environmental and Conservation Studies; Finance; Hospitality: Food and Beverage Management or Hotel and Event Management; Human Resources; Information Systems/IT Help Desk; Labor Studies; Marketing; Programming and Development
- Criminal Justice
- Teacher Education (Associate of Arts)
- Healthcare Administration
- Health Services
- Individualized Study
- Paralegal
- Professional Office Management
- Social Work

Bachelor's Degrees offered:

- Business Management
- Teacher Education - Early Education (Pre-K – 5th Grade) and Intervention Specialist
- Criminal Justice
- Interdisciplinary Studies – Humanities

As always please send any questions to the Questions Form link: [TinyUrl.com/AFAQuestionForm](https://tinyurl.com/AFAQuestionForm)

In Unity,

Joni, Scott and Chasity

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