

1970 CCH BATESL GRADUATES



MICHAEL FOLEY

Michael was born in Salem, Oregon but attended elementary and East High School in Salt Lake City, Utah.

After completing two years of undergraduate work at the University of Utah Mike spent two and one half years in Samoa as a missionary for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. After his return Mike decided to enter the TESL field and transferred to The Church College of Hawaii.

He has been a special instructor at the college for the past year, and also directed the Samoan zone of the Asian and Pacific Intensive Language Training Mission. He was valedictorian of his class and graduated magna cum laude.

He is presently TESL consultant to Kentron, Hawaii, Ltd. He has accepted a full-time East-West Center grant to work on a master's degree in TESL and Intercultural Communications.

He is married to the former Sally Ann McShane of Pearl City, Oahu.



ROPETI LESA

Ropeti was born in Satitua, Western Samoa. He attended the Maris Brothers School (elementary) and Pesega High School (The Church College of Western Samoa).

Ropeti came to CCH in September 1964 and originally majored in Industrial Education. He changed his major to TESL in 1968 and completed his requirements in December of 1969.

He is presently working in the TESL Program at Kaaawa and Hauula Schools.

He plans to go on for a master's degree after two years of teaching experience.

Ropeti is married to the former Phyllis Henley and has one son.

THE BATESL

Candidates for the degree program must complete all general and area requirements for a regular bachelor of arts degree. Americans and other native speakers of English are expected to acquire some knowledge of the cultures and languages of Polynesia and/or the Orient. Non-native speakers of English pursue competence in English throughout their entire undergraduate program.

In addition, all majors must complete at least four semesters of an approved foreign language. (Foreign students may count English as a foreign language.)

All students must take the normal sequence of education classes if they wish to become certified teachers in TESL and in English. Supervised teaching in TESL is done in the multi-racial public schools of Hawaii.



JUANITA BENIONI

Juanita was born in Honolulu, Hawaii. She attended the Kamehameha Schools in Honolulu and graduated from Venice High School in Los Angeles, California.

She originally majored in English but changed to TESL in 1967.

She has been teaching during her senior year at The Church College of Hawaii in the ELI Department.

Juanita and husband, Patoa Benioni, have signed two year contracts to teach in America Samoa.

She has entered the Master's degree program in TESL at the University of Hawaii.



GEORGE HUNT

George Hunt was born in Vaitaloa, Western Samoa and attended Apia Primary and Pesega High Schools. He came to Hawaii in 1962 and attended Kahuku High School.

Originally a physical education major, (throughout his college years he was a star varsity rugby player) George changed to an English major and then entered the TESL program when it was introduced at CCH.

During the past semester he has been a TESL instructor at Laie Elementary and Kahuku High Schools, in addition to conducting an early morning ELI class at CCH.

George is married to the former Bethel McKinnon of Australia and is the father of two girls. He has signed a contract to teach English at his former school, The Church College of Western Samoa (Pesega Secondary).

CURRICULUM

REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING FOUR HOUR COURSES:

- LINGUISTICS** 205 Phonetics and Phonemics
- 305 Morphology and Syntax
- 405 Advanced Linguistics
- ANTHROPOLOGY** 310 Polynesian Culture
- ENGLISH** 220 Criticism of Shakespeare
- 310 Shakespeare and Con-
 temporary Dramatists
- 320 Amer. Lit. to 1900:
 Major Authors
- 321 Literature in Polynesia
- 329 Twentieth Century Lit.
- METHODOLOGY** 466 TESL Methods
- 499 Supervised Student
 Teaching in TESL
 (10 hours)



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