

## University of Hawaii—Hawaii Community College

Hilo, Hawaii

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<b>Scholar:</b> To be recruited	<b>Host Institution Financial Support:</b>
<b>Country of Origin:</b> Turkey	<b>a) In-Kind Support:</b> \$8,000.00
<b>Program Dates:</b> 08/01/2017-05/15/2018	<b>b) Salary Supplement:</b> N/A
<b>Discipline:</b> Linguistics and Turkish Culture	<b>Estimated S-I-R Grant Amount:</b> \$31,752.50
	<b>Travel Cost:</b> To be determined

### Institutional and Program Summary:

The University of Hawaii-Hawaii Community College (HawCC) is a two-campus college, located in the communities of Hilo (east) and Kona (west) on the island of Hawaii. As of Fall 2016, HawCC had a total enrollment of 2,951 students (both full time and part time) and has approximately 110 faculty members. The College offers more than 25 associate degrees and more than 35 certificate and noncredit programs ranging from liberal arts to Hawaiian Studies, health services and the intensive study of English.

HawCC seeks a scholar to teach courses in Linguistics and Turkish Culture. In the fall semester, the scholar would teach two courses: Introduction to the Study of Language and Turkish Language and Culture. In the spring, the S-I-R would teach Introduction to Language and Turkish Language and Culture once again but via videoconference with the other campus. The S-I-R will be invited to give a joint presentation at the fall convocation about the Fulbright program. There will also be opportunities to participate in events surrounding the International Education Week where the theme will be Mythology around the World.

Outside the department, the S-I-R will be invited to give talks at other Community Colleges on Oahu (Kapiolani Community College, Windward Community College Leeward Community College among others). There will also be opportunities to affiliate with the Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages International Associations to participate in their quarterly workshops. Additionally, the S-I-R will visit local high schools and the Department of Education to talk about Turkish culture.