

Nation of Hawai'i Rising: Hawaiian Nationalism, Peaceful Coexistence, and Aloha in Contemporary U.S. and Global Politics



**Thursday, April 19, 2018
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Fordham University School of Law
Room 3-03
150 West 62nd Street
New York, NY, 10023**

*****Pizza plus cookies and candies
from Hawai'i will be provided.*****

This talk will focus on the history of the Nation of Hawai'i (from an occupation at Kaupo Beach to the sovereign land base *Pu'uhonua o Waimānalo*); the *pu'uhonua* model for land occupation and the practical exercise of Hawaiian National Sovereignty.

The Nation's different economic development projects and partnerships such as the Nation of Hawai'i's cryptocurrency *Aloha Coin* (the national monetary system for Nation of Hawai'i), will be discussed as a means of creating an independent Hawaiian economy and building socioeconomic capacity for the Hawaiian people.

Speakers:

**Brandon Maka'awa'awa,
Deputy Head of State, Nation of Hawai'i**



**Lindsay Kukona Pakele,
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