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### **45 Energy Efficiency Training Scholarships Available for 2012**

Get certified in the latest clean energy technologies today! The Sustainable Living Institute of Maui (SLIM) and EdVenture (formerly VITEC) at UH Maui College are offering forty-five scholarships in sustainability training for energy efficiency programs this spring 2012. The scholarships are funded by the State Energy Sector Partnership (SESP).

Programs include Green Building and LEED exam preparation, Home Energy Survey Professional (HESP), and the Building Operator Certification (BOC) licensed through the Northwest Energy Efficiency Council (NEEC). These programs prepare students for national certifications in various aspects of energy management.

“This is an amazing opportunity for anyone looking to gain employable skills in the growing field of energy management” said Jennifer Chirico, Executive Director, SLIM.

SLIM and Edventure are seeking unemployed individuals, displaced workers, incumbent workers, and veterans. Applications can be found at [www.sustainablemaui.org](http://www.sustainablemaui.org) or [www.sesphawaii.org](http://www.sesphawaii.org).

Please send applications to SLIM UHMC, 310 W. Ka'ahumanu Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732 or email to [sliminfo@hawaii.edu](mailto:sliminfo@hawaii.edu). **Applications are due by January 2, 2012.**

Other programs that will be offered during the spring 2012 include Entry Level Photovoltaic Design and Installation, Small Wind Energy Design and Installation, and Sustainable Business Marketing and Entrepreneurship. Scholarships are available for all of these programs through Maui Workforce Development Division (984-2091) for unemployed and incumbent workers.

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