STATE OF HAWAII STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

## **University of Hawai'i**

## **Notice of Intent to Award Contract**

Pursuant to Section 84-15(a)(3), Hawai'i Revised Statutes, the University of Hawai'i hereby gives notice of intent to award a professional services contract to Collaborative Studio LLC, for planning and design services for the Mānoa Agricultural and Innovation Learning Exchange (MAILE) at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa Magoon Facility. The project will consist of renewal of the demolished 4-H Cottage and replacement of three decaying buildings, each to be replaced with new integrated facilities, the Mānoa Agricultural Innovation and Learning Exchange.

Collaborative Studio LLC is a Limited Liability Company, in which Cathi Ho Schar owns 50% of the company. Ms. Schar is a full-time adjunct assistant professor and director of HIDESIGN Community Studio at the University of Hawai'i School of Architecture. Ms. Schar will not be working on the MAILE project in a supervisory capacity, as a point of contact, or in any role where she would be preparing a fee proposal, contract, invoice or related professional services. Ms. Schar will have no connection with the project and will not participate in any decision making role related to the selection or direction of consultants for this project.

The professional services contract shall commence on the effective date of the Notice to Proceed.

Any person wishing to file written objections to the issuance of the contract shall file their objections with the University of Hawai'i, Office of Capital Improvements, 1960 East-West Road, Biomedical Sciences Building Room B-102, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822, within ten (10) working days from the date this notice was posted.

Direct all questions to Mrs. Paula A. Youngling, telephone number (808) 956-9572.

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**Posting Date:**