



iDigBio

Integrated Digitized Biocollections

# Biodiversity Digitization in the Pacific

## An iDigBio-sponsored Workshop

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Bishop Museum

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# Welcome!

## A few logistical details

**Wiki:** (<https://www.idigbio.org/wiki/index.php/PacificDigitization>)

**Twitter:**

**Adobe Connect (Kevin Love):** <https://idigbio.adobeconnect.com/honolulu>

Being broadcast and recorded

Be observant of remote audience; use microphone to make comments, ask questions

Chat box for remote participants

**Collaborative Notes:** <http://tinyurl.com/paccollab>

**Efficiency:** Starting on time, staying on track!

**Meals:** Lunch is provided; breakfast and evening on your own; for those traveling to Honolulu, no receipts required for meals

**Attendees:** <http://tinyurl.com/pacattendees>

**Shuttle to Bishop:** 7:45 a.m. (David Jennings)

**Wireless:**

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# Commonalities across digitization processes provide the organizational paradigm for this workshop.

A focus on distinct processes closely associated with particular preparation types or disciplines.

**Vs.**

A focus on processes common across disparate preparation types and disciplines to foster serendipitous discoveries and knowledge transfer across domains.

## A Few Examples

Fish vs. fluid preserved arthropods  
Broader applications for whole-drawer digitization  
Insect soups and unsorted fossils  
Flat sheets, packets, invertebrate paleontology, and Odonates  
Georeferencing  
Imaging workflow software, e.g. Adobe Lightroom



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