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## FOOD GURUS

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Any and every food-and-beverage industry need for branding, marketing, advertising, public relations is what Food Gurus Hawaii can fulfill for you. For everything to do with food, whether fine-dining or casual restaurant, quick-service chain, private labeling, e-commerce, promotions, events, public relations, and helping farm products get to forks. We've got you.

## ERIKA ENGLE'S SPEAKING POINTS

Getting free coverage for our food and beverage business may be easier than you think, even if you don't know anybody in the media industry. Quick and easy bullet points explaining how, from Food Gurus Hawaii Communications Director Erika Engle, are here for you. And who to contact? You'll find key contacts, too. Food Gurus Hawaii can fulfill every food-and-beverage industry need for branding, marketing, advertising, public relations, and much, much more.

- Decide how you want to spread your news.
- Choose your target medium, or media.
- Investigate to make sure that's the environment in which you want your story told.

• Write a simple news release, the who, what, when, where, etc. Or use bullet points. (Quick is good. Lengthy is bad.)

- Attach a picture, clear in focus, and high-res, at least 1 MB, if you can.
- Click on "send."

• Follow up after several hours, or the following day. You don't want to be a pest, but you DO want to make sure your treasured information didn't get stuck in a spam folder.

### CRUCIAL HAWAI'I MEDIA CONTACTS

### TELEVISION

Hawaii News Now (KGMB-TV, KHNL-TV, KFVE-TV) 847-1112 News Department: News@HawaiiNewsNow.com Sunrise - Anchors' email addresses are online at hawaiinewsnow.com.

KHON-TV 591-4278 News Department: news@khon2.com Wake Up 2Day Take2 Living 808 - contact the sales department

KITV 535-0400 News Department: news@kitv.com Good Morning Hawaii: morningmail@kitv.com

#### RADIO

iHeartMedia http://iheartmedia.com/iheartmedia/ stations?state=HI

H Hawaii Media http://www.hhawaiimedia.com/

Ohana Broadcast Co. http://ohanabroadcast.com/

Salem Media of Hawaii https://is.gd/SalemHI

#### ASIAN MEDIA

Poohko Hawaii 927-5608 CEO/Founder Ritsuko Tsunashima-Kukonu ritsuko@poohkohawaii.com

### **NEWSPAPERS & MAGAZINES**

Honolulu Star-Advertiser/Crave 529-4747 - ask for Betty Shimabukuro crave@staradvertiser.com

#### MidWeek

Executive Editor Bill Mossman bmossman@midweek.com Managing Editor Yu Shing Ting yushing@midweek.com

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