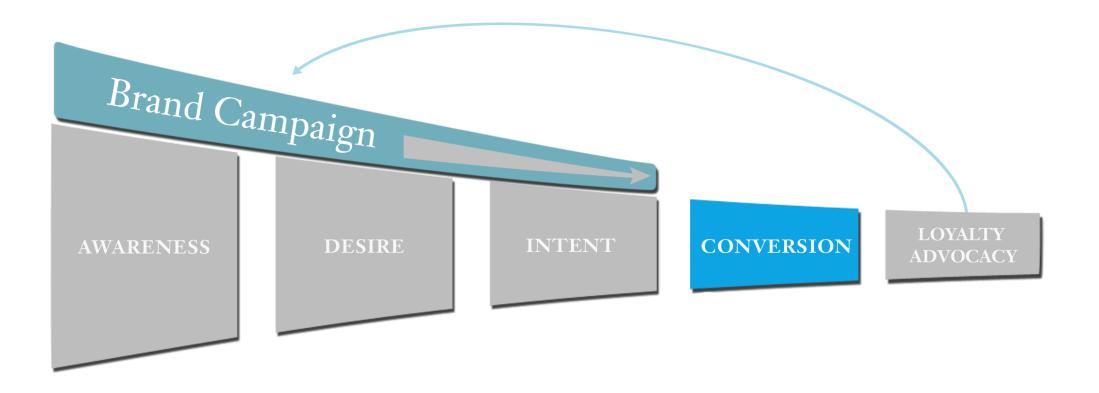
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## **Breaking through the Noise**



### **Destination Marketing**

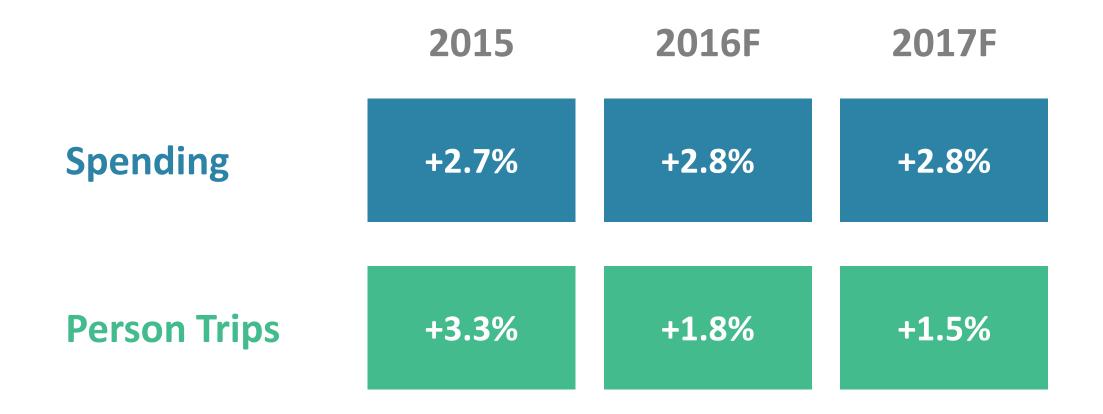




# **Market Situation**



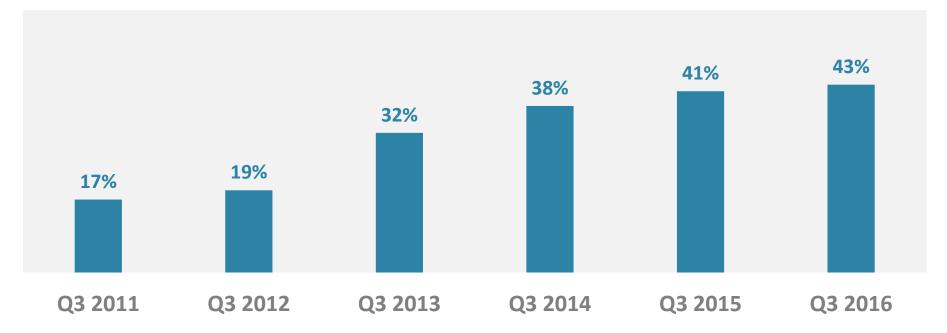
### **U.S. Domestic Travel Forecast**





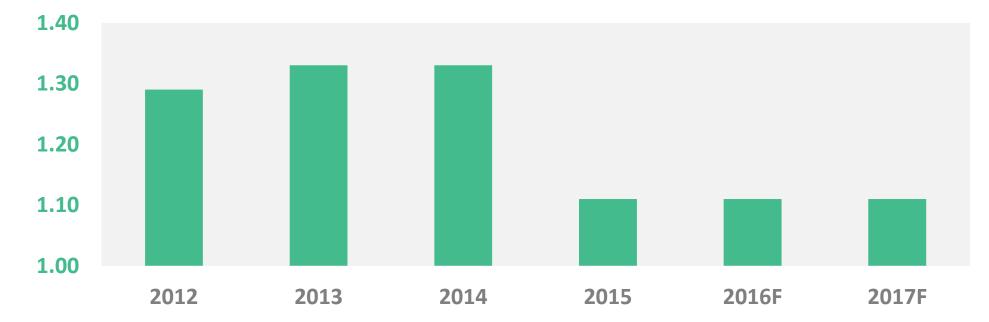
### **Leisure Travel Demand**

Percent U.S. Air Leisure Travelers Very/Extremely Likely to Visit Hawai'i in Next 24 Months





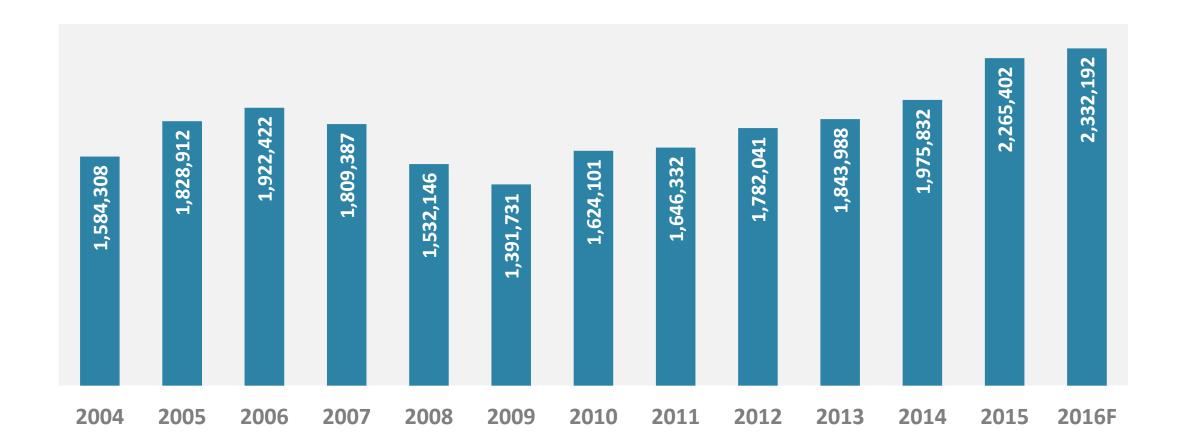
### **Exchange Rate**



### **\$USD-€EURO Exchange Rate**



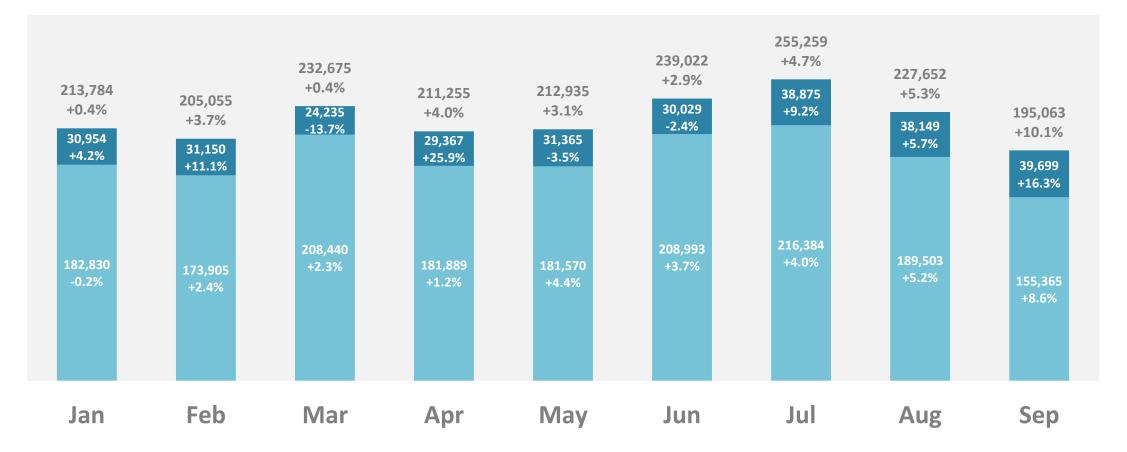
### Scheduled Nonstop Air Seats to Maui from U.S. & Canada





## Maui Visitor Arrivals 2016 YTD

### ■ NA Total ■ Other International



Source: Hawai'i Tourism Authority

# Understanding the Target Market



## **Identifying the Target Market**

Studied past visitors

High satisfaction = high likelihood to return, spend, etc.

Created profiles of those we'd like to 'invite back'

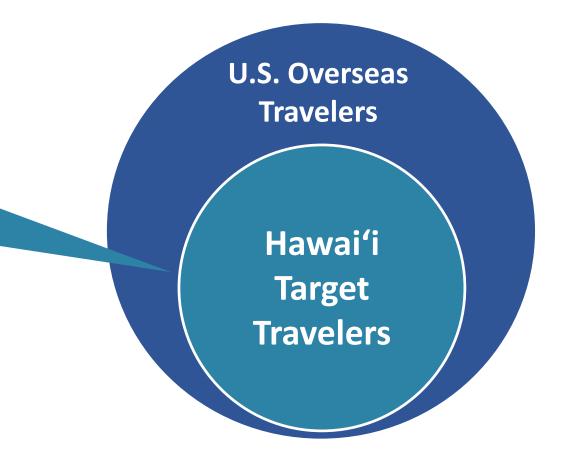


## The Hawai'i Target Traveler

### Hawai'i Target Traveler (HTT)

American overseas travelers who are extremely/very interested in visiting Hawai'i and likely to visit within 5 years.

= 50.9% of all U.S. Overseas Travelers

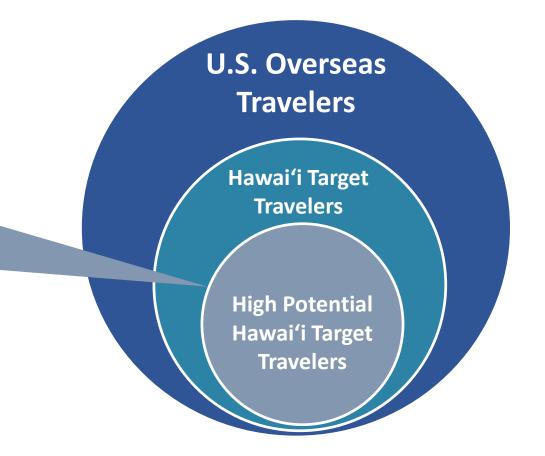


## **Combatting the Recession with High Potential HTTs**

### **High Potential HTT**

Higher income, less price sensitive travelers, likely to visit Hawai'i within two years, in major airline hub markets

= 16% of all Hawai'i Target Travelers





### Hawai'i Target Traveler Never Beens

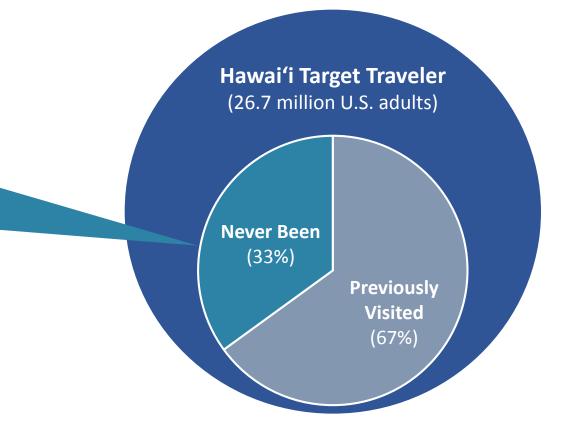
### U.S. Overseas Travelers

(50.0 million U.S. adults)

### **HTT Never Beens**

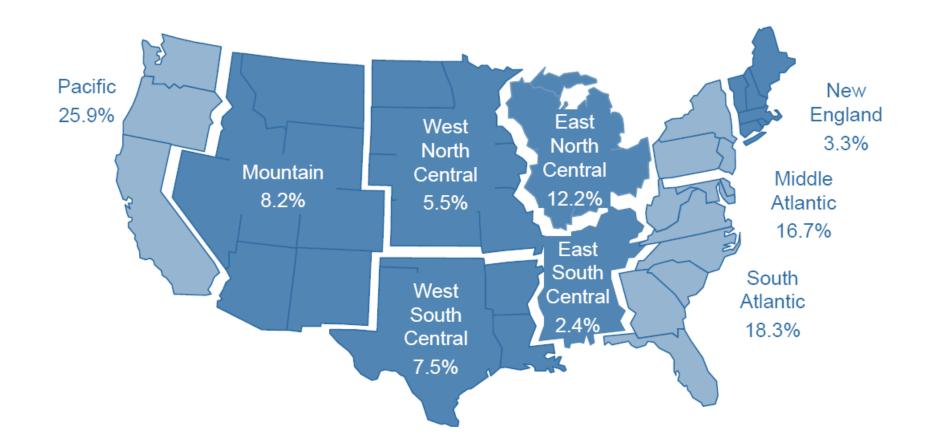
American overseas travelers who are extremely/very interested in visiting Hawai'i but have never visited before

= 33% of Hawai'i Target Travelers





### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Location



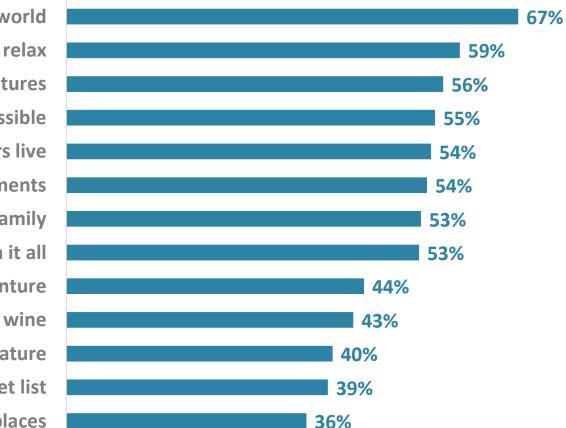


### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Demographics

Household Income	\$97,317
Dependent Children	32.6%
College Graduate	74.1%
Never Visited Hawai'i	32.8%
Previously Visited Hawai'i	67.2%
Median Stay	8.5 nights
Median Spend	\$2,233
Traveled with Spouse	73%
Traveled as Family	30%



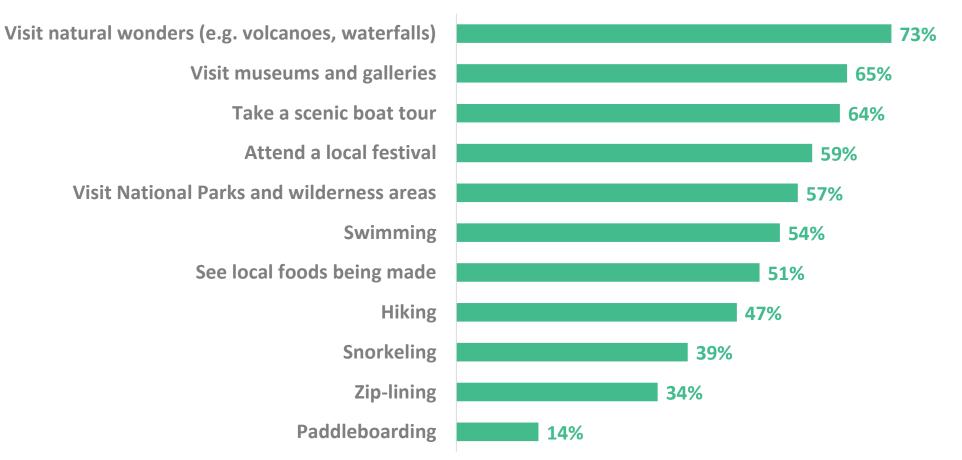
### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Motivations



### "For me, a vacation is time to..."

Learn about the world **Rest and relax** Immserse myself in other cultures See and do as much as possible See how others live **Explore cities & urban environments** Spend quality time with my spouse/family Get away from it all Seek adventure Indulge in food and wine **Experience nature** Check things off my bucket list **Discover off-the-beaten path places** 

### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Activities



### Likely to Do While on Vacation

Source: TravelStyles 2015-16

### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Choosing Hawai'i

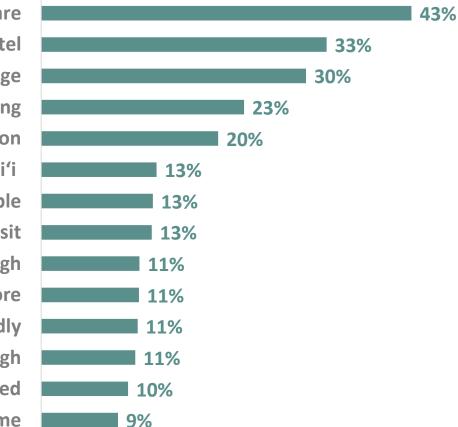
### **Influences for Most Recent Vacation to the Hawaiian Islands**



### Hawai'i Target Traveler Profile Reasons for Not Visiting

### **Previously Considered Visiting Hawai'i but Decided Not To**

Price of airfare Price of hotel Price of the vacation package Flight to Hawai'i is too long Better value at another destination I dont have enough time to travel to Hawai'i Accommodations not available Not sure which island(s) in Hawai'i to visit Hawai'i is not exotic enough Been to Hawai'i before Local people are not friendly Hawai'i is not unique and different enough Hawai'i is too crowded Not enough activities in Hawai'i that interest me



# **Creating a Marketing Plan**



## Hawai'i Target Traveler Media Profile













#### Overall Avid Traveler (MRI) – 56.9MM

- Frequent traveler\*
- 2+ domestic in past 12 months <u>OR</u> 1+ foreign travel in past 3 years
- \$75K+

#### Avid First Timer (MRI) – 18.2MM

- Frequent traveler
  - 2+ domestic in past 12 months OR 1+ foreign travel in past 3 years
- \$75K+
- Visited Mexico <u>OR</u> Caribbean in past 3 years <u>OR</u> Very Likely to Visit Mexico <u>OR</u> Caribbean in the next year
- **NOT** Hawaii in the past 3 years

#### Culture & Arts Traveler (MRI) - 18.5MM

- Frequent traveler
- 2+ domestic in past 12 months OR 1+ foreign travel in past 3 years
- \$75K+
- Statements
  - Foreign travel great way to learn about other cultures
- I like to learn about art, culture and history

#### Outdoor Recreation Traveler (MRI) – 35.7MM

- Frequent traveler
  - 2+ domestic in past 12 months OR 1+ foreign travel in past 3 years
- \$75K+
- Statements On vacation any of the following:
- General sightseeing
- Go to beach
- Play golf
- Running/jogging
- Sailing
- Scuba diving
- Skiing (cross country/downhill)
- Play tennis
- Visit National Park
- Fishing
- Hunting
- Backpacking/hiking
- Bicycle riding
- Other outdoor activities

#### Golf Traveler (MRI) – 5.2MM

- Frequent traveler
- 2+ domestic in past 12 months OR 1+ foreign travel in past 3 years
- \$75K+
- Play Golf 1+ Month

#### Romance Traveler (MRI) - 1.7MM

- Female
- Age 18-34
- \$75K+
- Married 1year or less **OR** Currently engaged to be married



## **Selecting Media**

### Audience Research

- TravelStyles USA, TNS TravelsAmerica
- HVCB Custom Research Studies: HIBI, Heatly Custom Research Study

Additional Audience Research

- Nielsen
- eMarketer
- Forrester
- Mintel
- CEB Iconoculture
- Proprietary research and tools
- Syndicated Media Research: *MRI*, *Simmons*, *Mendelsohn*

### Media Consumption Research

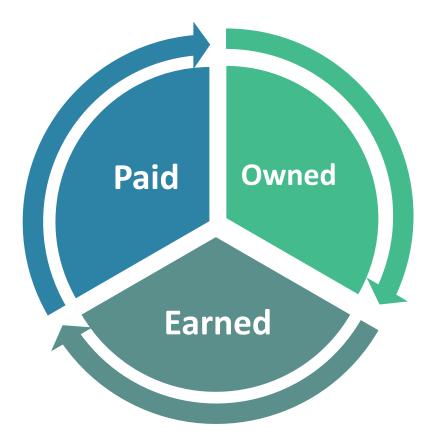
- Syndicated Media Research: *MRI*, *Simmons*, *Mendelsohn*
- Nielsen
- SRDS & Alliance of Audited Media
- ComScore

### **Final Filters**

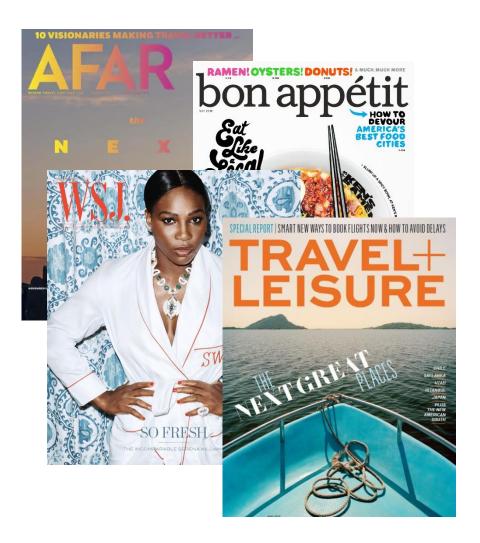
- Performance on custom brand lift study: *TNS*
- Efficiency
- Environment
- Targeting Capabilities
- Custom Opportunities



### Let Hawai'i Happen Media Mix



## Paid Media – Print & Digital





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### Paid Media – TV & Cinema







### **Owned Media – Social Channels**



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884 posts	176k followers	291 following
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Hawaii Aloha and welcome to Hawaii's official Instagram feed. Be sure to tag your favorite Hawaii moments with #LetHawaiiHappen www.gohawaii.com

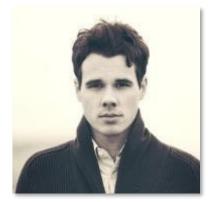


### **Earned Media - PR**



San Francisco Chronicle

### Let Hawai'i Happen – Influencer Program



Cole Rise +1M followers



Taylor Burk +223K followers



Kate Patterson +18K followers



Tiffany Mitchell +173K followers



Pete Halvorsen +178K followers



Jordan Herschel +411K followers

### Let Hawai'i Happen – Content



J.	jordanherschel Lanai, Hawaii	Follow		
	Editor, Flattan			

15.2k likes 10w jordanherschel Early morning walks on the beach are always a good way to start the day.

#### @gohawaii @visitlanai #lethawaiihappen

view all 62 comments lis.akrikke looks like a guy made of rock smoking a cigar gabemckinney Sweet shot man foundsight Damn so awesome kathryn\_dyer\_Looks amazing







Log in to like or comment



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Finally got an opportunity to put my camera down and get in the water. Who better to surf Makaha with than the legendary Keaulana family? It was my first time Oahu's westside, I was checking out the soon to be opened Four Seasons property (@fsoahu). Ha'a (@haakeaulana) and her father Brian Keaulana invited me out to their home break, for what I thought was going to be a surf and shoot session. Then Brian pointed to this giant board on his truck...we're going out on this.

If you haven't heard of Brian Keaulana just google the name, legend. He's the guy Navy Seals ask for water training and led the water safety team for the #EddieAikau a few weeks ago, yeah...

### Let Hawai'i Happen - Maui



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Four Perfect Pins: Maui

with Kyson Curammeng

Take the scenic route. Experience unpredictable moments. Meet remarkable people. There's more to your Hawai'i vacation than you think. Maui photographer Kyson Curammeng inherently knows this. He fell in love with the islands as a boy and has devoted his craft to capturing the turquoise waves, ginger-riddled mountains, and beaches he calls home. Follow Kyson on Instagram (@)kysoncurammeng], and read on for his top Maui spots.

O HALEAKALĀ

"My ideal day begins with a morning trek to the monumental volcanic crater known as Haleakalā. I like to arrive while stars are still in the sky and then hike up for the stunning sunrise."

SAM SATO'S, INC.

"My go-to for an authentic Maui breakfast in Wailuku. Their famous dry mein, or boiled noodles with char siu pork, is flavored with secret seasoning and incredibly addictive."

#### ROAD TO HANA

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"As a local, one of my favorite things is to drive Maui's Hana Highway. I stop at every waterfall for a refreshing dip in the cool water that's found its way down from the mountains."

#### MAUI TROPIX SURF CO.

"Hit up this surf shop for locally made goods you can't get anywhere else. From their iconic Maui Built clothing to handcrafted surfboards, it's the ultimate Hawai'i shopping experience."

Get inspired at #LetHawaiiHappen







# **Measuring Marketing Impact**



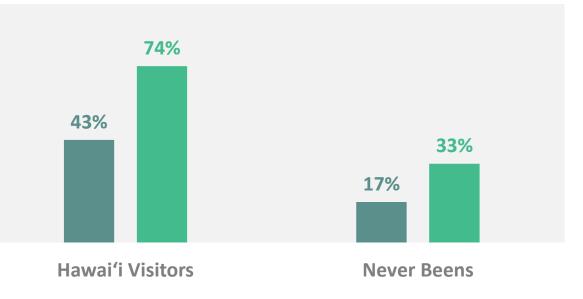
## Let Hawai'i Happen Campaign Impact



Nearly two-thirds (65%) of U.S. Avid Travelers recall at least one of HVCB's marketing efforts (paid, earned, or owned advertising).

Percent Planning to Visit Hawai'i in Next Two Years

Not Exposed to HVCB Marketing
Exposed to HVCB Marketing

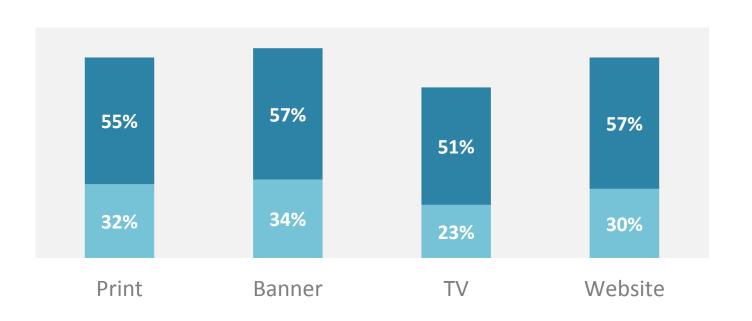




## **Maui Brand Perceptions**

Much More Positive

How does HVCB's paid advertising and owned media change perceptions of Maui among targeted travelers?



Slightly More Positive



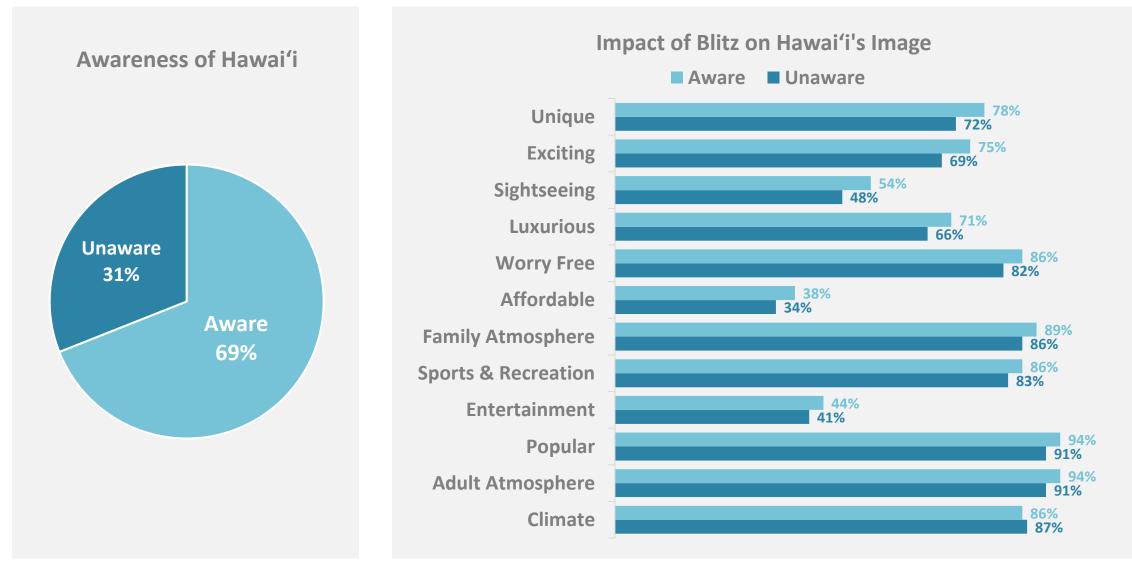


Source: TNS Marketing Effectiveness Study 2015

# Quantifying the Value of Marketing Expenditures



## **Case Study: Los Angeles Blitz**



Source: Longwoods 2010

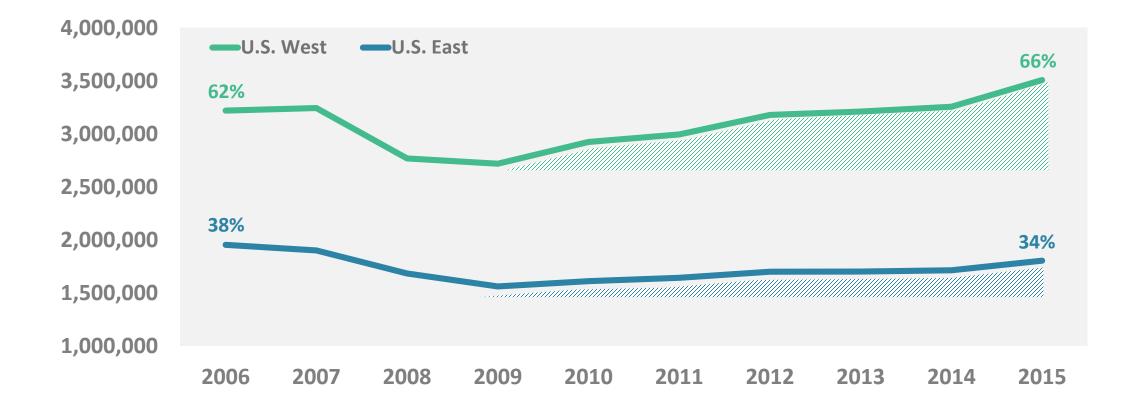
### **Case Study: Los Angeles Blitz**

Economic Impact of Los Angeles Blitz			
Incremental trips due to advertising	32,300		
Average per person expenditures in Hawaii	\$1,275.65		
Incremental spending due to advertising	\$41,200,000		
Taxes generated on incremental spending	\$4,409,000		
Advertising/PR expenditures	\$1,645,740		
Spending generated per ad dollar	\$25.04		
Taxes generated per ad dollar	\$2.68		

# The Case for New York



### U.S. West vs U.S. East Arrivals





### Hawai'i's Market Penetration

			2015		
Rank	MMA	Region	Arrivals	Population	Market Penetration
1	USW	Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim CA	602,222	13,340,068	4.5
2	USW	San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward CA	438,626	4,656,132	9.4
3	USW	Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue WA	321,661	3,733,580	8.6
4	USW	San Diego-Carlsbad CA	187,765	3,299,521	5.7
5	USW	San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara CA	180,272	1,976,836	9.1
6	USW	Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro OR-WA	159,510	2,389,228	6.7
7	USE	New York-Newark-Jersey City NY-NJ-PA	152,180	20,182,305	0.8
8	USW	Sacramento-Roseville-Arden-Arcade CA	129,343	2,274,194	5.7
9	USW	Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale AZ	127,486	4,574,531	2.8
10	USW	Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario CA	115,222	4,489,159	2.6

### Hawai'i Target Travelers by Metro Area



## **Can New York Be Our Third Largest Market?**

Seattle is currently third with 321,661 arrivals

Market Penetration	Total NY Arrivals	Incremental Arrivals (Cumulative)	Incremental Economic Impact (Cumulative)
0.8% (2015)	152,180 (2015)	-	-
1.0%	201,823	49,643	\$103.0 m
1.2%	242,188	90,008	\$186.8 m
1.4%	282,552	130,372	\$270.6 m
1.6%	322,917	170,737	\$354.4 m
1.8%	363,281	211,101	\$438.2 m
2.0%	403,646	251,466	\$521.9 m



## Let Hawai'i Happen

A SALES OF STREET, SALES

Market Activation: New York City

## **Objective**



Grow demand with a long term brand building program in New York against the Avid Explorer A25-34 using Cuisine as the aperture.

Mahale!

