

Q2 2021 Issues and Programs

We determined the following subjects are of concern to the community:

Arts and Cultural Entertainment

Environmental issues

Community Involvement Issues

Educational Issues

Equity/Diversity Issues

Arts and Cultural Enrichment

Interview with conductor Lidiya Yankovskaya.

She was the guest host of the Hawaii Symphony Orchestra. She discussed being one of the youngest female conductors in the industry, her Ukrainian heritage and how she translated that to her song selection. Aired, June 11th, on Morning Concert around 9:30am, Runtime 11:22.

[Conductor Lidiya Yankovskaya joins Gene Schiller on Morning Cafe](#)

Further concert interviews were cancelled due to the COVID pandemic and the cancellation of arts events in Hawaii.

Environmental Issues

Future Blast

Segment discussing how severy stars later in April will explode as they burn through their fuel, also burning through their fuel faster than normal circumstances. Aired on Stardate, April 7th, at 8:00pm Runtime 2:14

<https://stardate.org/radio/program/2021-04-07>

Hubble Constant

Educational segment on the Hubble Constant, the measuring system astromers us to measure how fast the universe growing, although they don't all agree on it. Aired on Stardate, April 22nd at 8:00pm Runtime 2:14

<https://stardate.org/radio/program/2021-04-22>

NASA Gears Up For Pioneering Drone Flight on Mars

HPR's Dave Lawrence spoke to scientist Christopher Phillips about an airborne helicopter drone that will take a look at the surface of Mars, and how it works. Aired on Stargazer April 5th at 5:06 Runtime 3:00.

[Stargazer April 5 - 11, 2021: NASA Gears Up For Pioneering Drone Flight On Mars](#)

The Ongoing Starlink Satellite Project

HPR's Dave Lawrence spoke to scientist Christopher Phillips about Elon Musk's Starlink project and a little bit on it's background and the controversy that surrounds the project, and the problem with putting too many satellites into the night sky. Aired on Stargazer May 3rd at 5:06 Runtime 2:28.

[Stargazer May 3 - 9, 2021: The Ongoing Starlink Satellite Controversy](#)

Community involvement Issues

Our Community Calendars segment which traditionally runs on KIPO three times a day is temporarily suspended due to the COVID pandemic.

Educational Issues

The Hawaiian Word of the Day

This daily segment introduces audiences to the Hawaiian language through a single word or phrase, and then demonstrates its use in a sentence.

Airs on Classical Pacific Monday through Friday at 3:06pm, Runtime 0:30 Seconds.

Equity/Diversity Issues

Classical Pacific host Louise Keali'iloma King Lanzilotti selects a wide range of Classical Music that's composed and performed by artists from a minority/DEI background. She also incorporates music from around the Pacific Rim with a special focus on music from Hawaii and its history. Classical Pacific airs Monday through Friday from 3pm-6pm.

<https://www.hawaiipublicradio.org/show/classical-pacific>