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Subject: APS STEP UP ambassador applications with *3 Feb. deadline*

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Below is information about the APS STEP UP program. Note that the deadline to apply is Feb. 3. The current ambassador in Hawaii is Stephanie Lee at Iolani. Its website is https://engage.aps.org/stepup/home
The ambassador application is at https://engage.aps.org/stepup/get-involved/ambassadors/application

I'd like to share with you a stipended opportunity for high school physics/physical science teachers through an NSF-funded program, the STEP UP Ambassadors.

Please see the details below, and be sure to apply this weekend if you are interested (deadline extended through Feb 3).

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STEP UP description: ?STEP UP is a national community of physics teachers, researchers and professional societies. We design high school physics lessons to empower teachers, create cultural change, and inspire young women to pursue physics in college.?

Ambassador program goal: To empower fellow teachers to inspire young women to pursue physics through implementation of the STEP UP curriculum in classrooms.

Ambassador application description: STEP UP Ambassador Application: STEP UP is a national movement to empower high school physics teachers to inspire young women to study physics and is looking for applicants for the STEP UP Ambassador Program. We are looking for interested high school teacher leaders to become part of a national group to help train others in using STEP UP lesson plans and resources. Participants will attend the STEP UP Summit at the AAPT Summer 2020 meeting in Grand Rapids, MI to meet with their fellow Ambassadors. Together, they will help introduce hundreds of teachers to STEP UP resources throughout the year, reflect as a cohort, and provide vital feedback to STEP UP program partners. Ambassadors will earn a \$1,500 stipend, workshop support, and recognition for their year term. Check out our 2019 Ambassadors and apply today!