

talk story with ELIA HERMAN

8pm Wednesday, April 30, 2014

doors open at 6:00pm

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Elia Herman

manages the Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary for the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) and heads DLNR's marine protected species program, providing leadership and direction on a range of marine resource management issues. Born and raised in Honolulu, Elia studied humpback whales and bottlenose dolphins locally before gaining national experience on marine conservation issues at National Geographic, as a Legislative Fellow to U.S. Representative Lois Capps, and as manager of the Global Conservation Initiative at Pew Charitable Trusts. Elia earned her bachelor's degree from Brown University and master's degree in coastal environmental management from Duke University.



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