

Community Food Security Coalition's 2006 Annual conference (Vancouver, Canada) – October 7-11, 2006

MA`O YLT interns Ted Kahawai, Tihare DeMello-Key and EJ Keeler together with Director of Education - Summer Shimabukuro, Farm Co-manager - Manny miles and Professor Cynthia Nazario-Leary were selected to be a part of the youth contingent at the Bridging Borders Toward Food Security Conference in Vancouver, Canada. MA`O youth shared stories and networked with youth organizations involved with food issues from across the country. Hosted by the Vancouver Food Policy Council, the conference was organized by the California-based Community Food Security Coalition and Food Secure Canada. Participants discussed strategies for improving access to affordable, nutritious and culturally appropriate food, and explored opportunities to create more sustainable food systems.