

*The Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council invites you to attend this free, family friendly event ...*



**FISHERS  
FORUM  
on  
Stock  
Assessments** Hawaii



**Kumu (Whitesaddle goatfish).** Photo by Dr. Dwayne Meadows, NOAA/NMFS/OPR. Wikimedia Commons.

- Learn what goes into a stock assessment.
- Hear about preliminary assessments for Hawai'i uhu, kumu and Kona crab.
- Provide your input. Fishermen and generational knowledge can improve assessments and are part of the ecosystem-approach to fisheries management.
- Enjoy informational tables, presentations, public discussion, door prizes and more!

**March 17 (Tuesday)  
6 to 9 p.m.**

**Harbor View Center,  
Pier 38, Honolulu**

**Can't make it in person?  
Join us by webconference at**

[www.wprfmc.webex.com/join/info.wpcouncilnoaa.gov](http://www.wprfmc.webex.com/join/info.wpcouncilnoaa.gov)



**Uhu (parrotfish).** Photo courtesy of Cassandra Pardee.



**Kona crab** from Kzhr-Kzhr's file. Wikimedia Commons.



**Emceed by Mike  
Buck, host of  
KHNR's Go Fish!**



*The Fishers Forum is part of the Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council's 162nd meeting, March 16 to 18, 2015, Laniakea YWCA, 1040 Richards St., Honolulu.*

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