

Projects and ActivitiesFri Mar 29 02:58:08 HST 2024

Name	Predicting Risks of Island Extinctions Due to SLR: Model- based Tools to Mitigate Terrestrial Habitat Losses in the NW Hawaiian Islands
Capability Area: Variability/Cha nges	- Understanding Climate Variability and Change - Projections (modeling and downscaling)
ECV	Surface (e.g., SST, SSH, salinity, ocean color)(e.g., surface water, glaciers and ice caps, land cover, biomass)
Timeframe	- Multi-decadal (scenarios)
Status	- Ongoing
Focus Area	- Coastal Inundation/Sea Level Rise, Extreme Weather, and Community Resilience - Marine and Terrestrial Ecosystems
Regions	- Central North Pacific - State Of Hawaii - North Western Hawaiian Islands
Description	Collection of topographic data for selected islands and development of DEM models. Map current and future habitat for seabirds based on static (bathtub) SLR on most islands and dynamic (inundation) SLR on Laysan and Midway.
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Projected Timelines	2012-2013