Degree: Chemistry

Why?: I have a stronger foundation in math and sciences and chemistry interested me most.

Who introduced me?: My honors chemistry teacher in high school really had an impact on me. It was because of her that I enjoy chemistry today.

Define Passion: It’s a feeling that drives me to improve myself in whatever discipline it may be.

My passion: I have a strong passion for a few things but in the world of academia I have a passion in math and science, preferably chemistry.

what’s Hawaiian about it?: If you understand the application of chemistry you are able to do wonders with all this knowledge. I want to someday use this knowledge to create Natural Hawaiian medicine.

Ashlen Kinilau
Chemistry in the eyes of a Native Hawaiian