

Melanie Sill @

University of Hawai`i
Monday-Friday, Sept. 1-5, 2008

Pulitzer Prize-winning editor of Sacramento Bee

Schedule

Monday, Sept 1, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

UH Campus Center, Room 307.

Ka Leo workshop for students.

Tuesday, Sept. 2, 9 - 10:30 a.m.

Crawford Hall 220.

Journalism 401 class.

Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1:30 - 2:45 p.m.

Crawford Hall 115.

Journalism Ethics class.

Wed., Sept. 3, 9:30 - 10:20 a.m.

Kuykendall Hall 301.

Press and Society class.

Wed., Sept. 3, 10:30 - 11:20 a.m.

Webster Hall 122.

Global Communication class.

Wed., Sept. 3, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Crawford Hall 220.

Journalism 301 class.

Thursday, Sept. 4, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Crawford Hall 220.

Journalism 301 class.

Friday, Sept. 5, 10:30 a.m. - noon.

Kap`iolani Community College,

Lama 110.



Melanie Sill shared the 1996 Pulitzer for Public Service Reporting as the Raleigh News & Observer editor in charge of overseeing "Boss Hog," an investigative series on North Carolina's pork production industry. Sill also organized an award-winning investigative project on the state's juvenile justice system.

She became executive editor of the newspaper three years before one of the most explosive stories to hit North Carolina, the accusations of rape against a group of Duke University lacrosse players. A year later, in 2007, the Sacramento Bee, also a McClatchy paper, hired her as editor.

Sill was born in Nebraska, but grew up in Waipahu, Hawai`i, where she wrote for her high school newspaper, The Cane Tassel. She is a journalism graduate of UNC Chapel Hill and was a Nieman Fellow at Harvard.

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