

Jim Foti

Athletic Resume – Updated October 15, 2025

Birth date: December 05, 1966, Height: 5' 6", Weight: 155 pounds

ATHLETIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS

HAWAII WATERMAN HALL OF FAME – Inducted 2017

OUTRIGGER CANOE PADDLING

OC-6 - Distance

HAWAII

Molokai Hoe

OPEN DIVISION

1ST Place Molokai Hoe: 1995, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2005

2nd Place Molokai Hoe: 1997, 1998, 2001, 2003

3rd Place Molokai Hoe: 1991, 2008

4th Place Molokai Hoe: 1990, 1993, 1999, 2002, 2011

5th Place Molokai Hoe: 1992, 1994, 2006, 2009, 2014

6th place Molokai Hoe: 1989, 2007

7th place Molokai Hoe: 2016

8th Place Molokai Hoe: 2013

11th Place Molokai Hoe: 2015

14th place Molokai Hoe: 2012

18th place Molokai Hoe 2018

20th place Molokai Hoe: 2010

26th Place Molokai Hoe: 1986

MASTERS 50 DIVISION

3rd place Molokai Hoe 50s - 36th overall. 2017

KOA DIVISION

2nd place Molokai Hoe 26th overall. 2019

Queen Liliuokalani Race in Kona

1st. Place Queen Liliuokalani: **1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2005**

3rd. Place Queen Liliuokalani: **1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 2000, 2010**

4th Place Queen Lilio – Open unlimited **2016**

AUSTRALIA

1st. Place Hamilton Cup Australia: **1996**

3rd. Place Hamilton Cup Australia: **1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 2005**

CALIFORNIA

1st. Place Catalina Channel: **1992, 2001 ~ 2025 (50-59 age group)**

2nd. Place Catalina Channel: **1993, 2002**

NEW YORK

Liberty Cup

1st Place: 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001

TAHITI

Hawaiki Nui Va'a

1995 Team Hawaii

1997, 1998, 1999 Lanikai Canoe Club

2000 Team Hawaii - 7th Place (3rd place 3rd leg)

2001 Team Hawaii - 4th Place (first place 3rd leg)

2007 Team Hawaii - 6th Place (3rd place leg 2 as a paddler)

Tahiti Nui Va'a

2013 Team Kanaka Ikaika - 6th Place – COACH

Hong Kong

Around The Island Race (ATIR) OC-6 - 2019 1st place overall

Around The Island Race (ATIR) OC-6 - 2025 1st place overall

Singapore Ocean Cup

2022 1st Place overall. Open men - Team Foti

IVF World Distance Championship

2023 Samoa – 1st place 50's

OC-6 - Sprints

Hawaii State Championships

- 1st Place: Age Group – Boys 14 in 1981, Boys 16 in 1982,
Senior Men (Open) - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004,
2008, 2014, 2015
40's – 2018, 2019
50's – 2022, 2023, 2025
- 2nd Place Senior Men (Open): 1990, 2001
40's – 2023
50s and 55s 2024
55s - 2025
- 3rd Place Senior Men (Open): 2006

Walter J McFarlane Race – July 04 – Waikiki

* 1st place **Senior Men**: 1990, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2007, 2012, 2014, 2015

* 2007 awarded 1st place career steering wins – 53 total as of 2006. 82 total wins as of 2025 – maintaining 1st place.

Hamilton Island Australia

1st. place Hamilton Cup – Australia: 1995, 1996, 2005

3rd. Place **Hamilton Cup Australia: 1990, 1991, 1992**

IVF - WORLD SPRINTS V6

Open Elite Men

- 1st Place - Tahiti 1500 meter. 2004
- London 1500 meter. 2022
- 2nd Place - Samoa 1500 and 500 meter 1994
- Fiji 1500 and 500 meter 1998
- New Zealand 1500 meter 2006
- 3rd Place - London 500 meter 2022

50 Men

- 1st place - London 1000 and 500 meter 2022

OC-1 Distance

Kaiwi Challenge Relay

1st. place: 1993, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998

2nd Place: 1999, 2000

3rd Place: 1994

Molokai Solo

1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2010

1999 – 4th Place

Tahiti V-1

Super Aito

1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000

1996 – 4th place

Te Aito Nui – Bora Bora

2001

Catalina Channel Relay

1st place. **1998, 2001**

3rd place. **2007**

Kanaka Ikaika Poai Puni Series:

1st place 1996

Queen Liliuokalani – Kona

1st Place. 1994

Hamilton Cup Australia

1st Place 1996

2nd Place 1995

Periplo di Bergeggi – Savona, Italy

2nd place 2000

Allwave Cup – Giglio, Italy

2002 - 2016 off and on

Dragon Run – Hong Kong

1st place 50+ 2019, 2023

Singapore Ocean Cup

2nd place - 2022

OC-1 Sprints

2nd. place Hamilton Cup Australia: 1996

1st. place VII Periplo di Bergeggi - Savona, Italy: **2000**

STAND UP PADDLING

29th - Battle of the Paddle – Waikiki 2010

6th (2nd 80-99) - Molokai to Oahu Relay – 2011, 2015,

17th – Quicksilver Paddlefest Surfvivor race 2012

2016: 3 person relay M2O

Maui Jim Waterman's Series

2nd Place 2019

3rd Place: 2016, 2017, 2018

4th Place: 2013, 2014

5th Place: 2015

Maui Jim Ocean Shootout

2nd place 50 division: 2017

SOCCER

Since 1974 with AYSO in Hawaii

HYSA Champions 1983 and 1984 – Komets

Hawaii High School State Champion 1984 – Kalaheo High School

University of Colorado Big 8 club soccer – 1984 & 1985

University of Hawaii Soccer – League Champions Fall 1986

Hawaii Men's Open league Champions 1990, 1991, 1992 (Night League), 2004 (MISO)

MISO Men's Master (35+) league Champions Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016

Coaching

Paddling

1986 - Present: Outrigger canoe paddling coach for Lanikai Canoe Club. Youth, adults, male and female.

2009 – 2015: Head Coach for Pogue Sports OC-Camps

2016- Present: Head Coach for Foti Bros. Hawaii Canoe Camps

2004 – Present: Private paddling clinics and personal instruction.

***Accolades**

2019 - 1st Place Lanikai Open Women – HCRA State Championship

3rd Place Lanikai Open women - Na Wahine O Ke Kai

2022 – 1st Place Lanikai Junior 18s – HCRA State Championship

2nd Place Lanikai Junior 16s – HCRA State Championship

2023 – 1st Place Lanikai Junior 16s - HCRA State Championship

3rd Place Lanikai Junior 18s – HCRA State Championship

2024 - 1st Place Iolani Varsity Boys – HHSAA State Championship

2nd Place Iolani Varsity Mixed – HHSAA State Championship

2025 1st Place Lanikai Junior 18s – HCRA State Championship

2nd Place Iolani Varsity Mixed – HHSAA State Championship

2nd Place Lanikai Junior 18s - HCRA State Championship

2nd and 4th Place Lanikai Junior 18 and under – Molokai Hoe.

Soccer

1992-2017: Lanikai Tuesday open men 1992 – 1995.

2006 – 2010: Broozers 35+ Co-Ed.

2008 – 2013: AYSO youth. From U6 – U10.

2014 –2017: Le Jardine Soccer Academy – Assistant coach for U10 and U12.

Interests: Ocean Sports, Soccer, Traveling, Reading, Family, Cooking, Eating

Academic: Bachelor of Arts - Economics Degree, University of Colorado 1989.
Kalaheo High School 1984