



Aue! Ua maliliu Toa, Ua talai ofa tau, Ua tagi ai nei le fatu ma le ele'ele. Ua vala'au le Atua ia Fuaialii Tagataese Tupu Tuia.

On behalf of the Oceania Comparative & International Education Society (OCIES) we express our heartfelt condolences and sympathy for the passing of one of our great Samoan leaders, Fuaialii Associate Professor Tagataese Tupu Tuia. Fuaialii has been a key member of our OCIES family and served OCIES for many years, contributing significantly to the ongoing development of the society. A passionate advocate for education in Samoa and across the Pacific region, Fuaialii's integrity, commitment and impact will continue to live on. Fuaialii's drive and passion for improving education, and supporting ECRs in the region, particularly Samoa, are well known, as is also their much enjoyed direct and honest manner of getting things done, which we will all miss.

We express our sincere condolences to Fuaialii's family and to our colleagues at the National University of Samoa.

Ia manuia lau malaga Fuaialii Associate Professor Tagataese Tupu Tuia ma ia maua sou nofoaga mau ile Lagi ma le tatou Matai Sili. O au galuega lelei uma e manatua pea i loto ma agaga. Ou uiga tausaaafia ma agamalū ia avea lea ma faailoga ole filemu i totonu o le tatou sosaiete.

Alofaaga mai lou aiga OCIES.

Sonia and Alex , Co-Presidents

