

Ron E. Iwamoto, Senior Group Coach

PCA-HI, Pearl City Aquatics

Coach Ron is the Senior Group Coach at Pearl City Aquatics, Inc. He has coached swimmers at Pearl City Aquatics from 8 to 18 years old since 2010. His training groups consists of the Senior Elite (National) Group, Junior Elite (National) Group, the Senior & Junior Competition Groups & the Senior Development Group. Coach Ron's athletes have earned numerous awards, accomplishments, achievements, & accolades including:

- NCAA Division 1 Collegiate Academic and Athletic Scholarship Swimmers
- USA Swimming Scholastic All-American
- USA Swimming National Top 10 Age Group Times
- Speedo Futures Championship Finalists & Medalists
- Speedo Western Region Sectional Championship Finalists
- Arena Western Zone Senior Championship Finalists
- Speedo Far Western Championship Finalists and Medalists
- Western Zone Age Group Championship Finalists, Medalists & Champions
- Northwest Region Age Group Championship Medalists & Champions
- Northwest Region Age Group Championship Meet Record
- Hawaii High School Athletic Association (HHSAA) State Champions and Medalists
- Oahu Interscholastic Association (OIA) High School State Champions and Medalists
- Interscholastic League of Honolulu (ILH) High School State Champions and Medalists
- Hawaii Senior Fall & Summer Champions & Medalists
- Hawaii Senior Summer Championship Individual High Point Award
- Hawaii Senior Fall & Summer Championship Top 8 Team High Point Awards
- Hawaii Short Course Yards (SCY) & Long Course Meters (LCM) Age Group Champions & Medalists
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Age Group Championship Individual High Point Awards
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Age Group Championship Top 8 Team High Point Awards
- Hawaiian Swimming SCY & LCM State Age Group Records
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Junior Age Group Champions & Medalists
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Junior Age Group Championship Individual High Point Awards
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Junior Age Group Championship Top 8 Team High Point Awards
- Hawaii SCY & LCM Junior Age Group Championship Meet Records
- Invitational Meet Individual High Point Awards & Top 8 Team High Point Awards
- SCY & LCM Individual Age Group Club Records

Coach Ron's athletes have qualified for & competed in numerous regional and national level meets including:

- Speedo U.S. Open Championships
- Speedo Summer Junior National Championships
- AT&T Winter National Championships
- Speedo Winter Junior National Championships
- Futures Championships
- Speedo Sectionals Championships
- Arena Western Zone Senior Championships
- Western Zone Age Group Championships
- Speedo Far Western Championships
- Northwest Region Age Group Championships

Coach Ron has been a member of Pearl City Aquatics since 2005 and is a Past-President of the club. He served on the Hawaiian Swimming LSC Board of Direction from 2011-2013 as the Club Development & Diversity Chairperson & served as the Lead Coordinator for the Team Hawaii Western Zone All-Star Team in 2011 & 2012. He volunteered as a USA Swimming Official from 2009-2015 and has been a registered USA Swimming & ASCA certified coach since 2010. He currently serves on the Senior Swimming Committee for Hawaiian Swimming.

Coach Ron is a life member of the United States Judo Federation & competed nationally in Judo in the 80's & 90's. He is a former instructor & coach for the Salt Lake Judo club & has coached numerous state and national champions. He holds a 2nd degree black belt in the sport that he competed in since the age of 9, & was a champion, medalist & finalist in numerous state & national judo championships at the age group, high school & senior levels.

Coach Ron owns Iwamoto Engineering Consultants, Inc., a locally owned professional structural engineering consulting firm he founded in 2002 (originally as Iwamoto & Associates, LLC), developing engineered designs for building structures. He volunteers in numerous professional organizations, including the State of Hawaii Professional & Vocational Licensing Board for Engineers, Architects, Surveyors & Landscape Architects. He provides engineering outreach to numerous elementary, intermediate, high school, & college students in Hawaii. He is a Past-President of the Structural Engineers Association of Hawaii (SEAOH), the Hawaii Section of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) & was selected as the 2018 Hawaii Society of Professional Engineers' Engineer of the Year and the 2019 ASCE Region 8 Dale Nelson Engineer of the Year. In whatever free time he has, you can find him on the golf course.