

COMING EVENTS – (Topics Subject to Change)

May

Wednesday, May 21 – **General Membership Meeting – Panel Discussion on Enterprise/Portfolio Management**

June

Wednesday, June 18 – **General Membership Meeting – TBD**

July

Wednesday, July 16 – **General Membership Meeting – Integrated Change Control**

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING SCHEDULE

The Board of Directors has announced its *General Membership* meeting schedule for 2003. Be sure to mark your calendar so you don't miss a meeting. Check the chapter website:

www.pmi-honoluluchapter.org

for detailed meeting announcements. In addition, PMI members can expect to receive meeting notification bulletins with details about each meeting approximately 2 weeks prior to each meeting so that plans can be made to attend.

NEXT MEETING:

Wednesday - May 21, 2003

11:30AM to 1:00PM

Location: The Plaza Club

Members \$23, Non-members \$25

Panel Discussion

Panel Members: Natalie Taniguchi, Rick Kooker, Alan Yamashiro, Ku`uipo Laumatia

Topic: Enterprise/Portfolio Management

This meeting will be classified as a Category 3 and is worth 1 PDU – Program # **C16621050301**.

E-mail Roy Uemura at royuemura@hawaii.rr.com or
Phone (808) 433-7093
by May 16th to RSVP.

Symposium Success Story



April 17th proved to be a banner day for the PMI Honolulu Chapter, as it marked the first symposium event in the chapter's history. Coined *Professional Development Day*, the event drew nearly 100 attendees and presenters, including local chapter members, PMI members from other chapters, and an astounding 30 non-members (who, the board hopes, will consider joining PMI and the Honolulu chapter). Participants attended two breakout sessions – a selection of six sessions were offered --in the morning, and converged for a delicious buffet lunch. A lunchtime keynote address on *Project Management: A Global Phenomenon* was presented by Dr. J. Davidson Frame and Dr. Yanping Chen, each offering their unique perspective on the evolution of project management in our global marketplace and including some recent amazing developments in the profession in China. The six breakout sessions were repeated in the afternoon, and participants were able to attend two more sessions. During breaks, a Vendor Fair was held, with AXA Advisors providing information resources and financial choices for planning financial futures and CTA providing information on local staffing resources, training, certifications, networking solutions and software development.

Dr. Frame's presentation included some fun facts on the history of the project management practice. He revealed that project management had American origins, with the Gantt, Monte Carlo, Pert Chart, Work Breakdown Structure, Earned Value Analysis and configuration management all being spawned by American project management practices, predominantly in the military realm. The United States remains the dominant purveyor of the project management practice in the world. PMI, founded in 1968 now has over 100,000 members, more than half of which have been certified as project management professionals. Dr. Chen shared her experiences about the evolution of project management practice in China and revealed that growth in the profession growing very quickly with the involvement of their government. Project management practitioners in China are seeking certification for the inherent rewards and seek the tools of the practice versus the skills. The keynote addressed offered interesting perspectives on the project management profession and its varied evolutionary paths around the world.

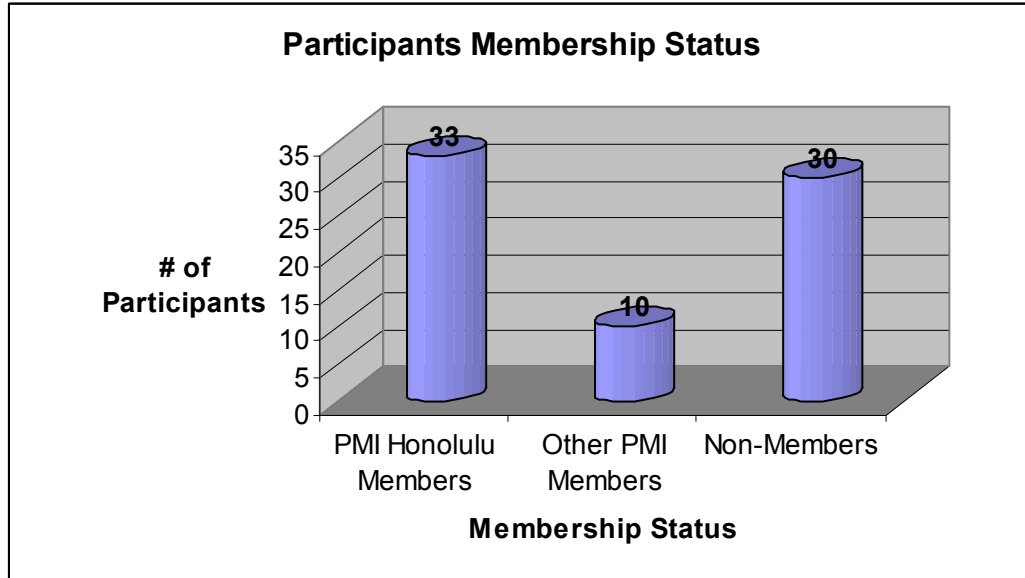
If you missed this wonderful development opportunity, or if you'd like to relive some of the moments or gather some of the tools that were shared, the Professional Development Day presentation materials will be available on our chapter Web at <http://www.pmi-honoluluchapter.org/>.

The event progressed seamlessly attributable in no small part to the tireless behind-the-scenes work of the Professional Development Day (PDD) committee members who pulled this successful event together in just a few short months. A phenomenal amount of work is required to coordinate such an event and the committee did an amazing job. Kudos to all members of the Professional Development Day Committee: **Anand Krishnaiah, Beverly Langley, Larry Rowland, Rick Kooker, Robb Gries, and Sally Campbell**. The committee would like to offer special kudos' to their committee chairperson and project manager, **Sheri Yoshida**. Sally Campbell, who was the publicity director for the PDD committee, indicated that the role of managing this special project was "very challenging, particularly since it was in addition to (Sheri's) full-time work and personal responsibilities. Sheri did a great job!"

For those that attended the symposium, the Project Management Institute Honolulu Chapter extends a warm *mahalo* for your attendance and participation in this first-ever event. Your interest and enthusiasm helped make this a very special event, and it underscored the value of project management and the drive for professional development in this area of expertise.

Professional Development Day Statistics

Consider these interesting statistics regarding the 73 participants that signed in representing at least 33 different companies that attended PMI Honolulu Professional Development Day:



Participants By Company for Companies with > 1 Participant





Online PMI® Membership Renewal Now Available for Members!

PMI is pleased to announce that an online membership renewal process has been implemented. Now, if you wish to renew your membership, you will have the option to log onto the Members Area of the PMI Web site at www.pmi.org and choose "Member Log On" to complete the renewal process at any time or place convenient to you!

You will be automatically alerted within three months of the expiration date of your membership each time you access the Members Area of the PMI Web site. Likewise, if your membership has expired, you will be alerted that your membership is no longer current. In either case, you may take the opportunity to renew your membership or rejoin online.

The online renewal process also allows you to update your demographic and contact information; renew or join PMI Components (chapters, specific interest groups or colleges); add or renew airmail service if you reside outside of North America; and make a donation to the PMI Educational Foundation.

Important: Please take a moment and visit this newly enhanced PMI Members Area at www.pmi.org and validate your contact information. Please pay particular attention to ensure your preferred e-mail address is correct. The PMI Board of Directors and the PMI Certification Board Center election process, via the Internet, is fast approaching. Please verify your e-mail address prior to 31 May 2003 to ensure that you receive important communications as well as the opportunity to vote ~ one of the many benefits of PMI membership.

Important Information for Project Management Professionals

To offset rising administrative costs, PMI will be reinstating the processing fee for Project Management Professional (PMP®) certification renewal effective 1 January 2004. The fee will be \$75.00 (US) for PMI members and \$150.00 (US) for non-members. The fee, to be submitted with the Application for Certification Renewal, will be applicable during each Continuing Certification Requirements (CCR) cycle. This application is sent to PMPs after they have completed and submitted the required Professional Development Units (PDUs) for their renewal.

Please note: All Applications for Certification Renewal sent to PMPs on or after 1 January 2004 will require the inclusion of the processing fee. If a PMP is sent the application prior to 1 January 2004 and returns it after the implementation date of the processing fee, he/she will not be required to submit payment with their application. Information regarding this fee will be included in an upcoming issue of PMI Today®, a future revision of the CCR handbook, and the certification section of PMI's web site (www.pmi.org). Questions regarding PMI's Certifications and Continuing Certification Requirements can be directed to the PMI Certification department at +1-610-356-4600 or pmihq@pmi.org.

North America Keynote Speaker Announced

Pat Lencioni, founder and president of The Table Group, Inc., a specialized management-consulting firm focused on executive team development and organizational health, will deliver the keynote address at PMI Global Congress 2003–North America. A renowned author, speaker and consultant on topics related to leadership, organizational health, teamwork and corporate culture, Lencioni will share his original leadership theories with congress attendees in Baltimore. A brochure containing full event details about PMI Global Congress 2003–North America will mail to all PMI members and Project Management Professionals (PMP®) in May. The congress Web site will be available beginning 6 June, and registration will also open on that day.

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PMI LOCAL NEWS

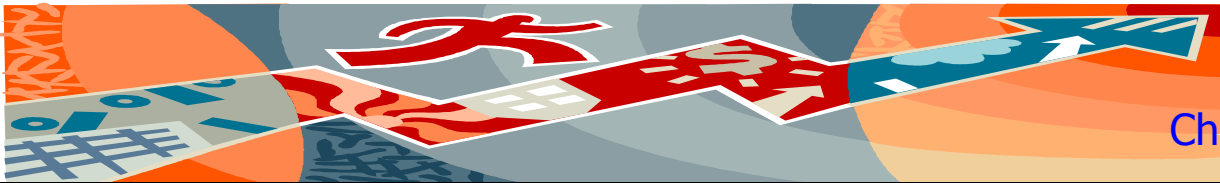
LOCAL HAPPENINGS...

- Roy Uemura, Director of Programs, and his Program Committee have been busily working out the program schedule for 2003. Upcoming plans include presentations On Integrated Change Control by Sally Campbell (July General Membership Meeting); Success Indicators by Natalie Scott; Cost Management by Lester Muraoka; and Scope Management by Richard Polendy (October General Membership Meeting).
- The Honolulu Chapter congratulates **Richard Polendy**, **Sally Hattemer** and **Corey Matsuoka** who were recently certified as PMPs.
- March marked a record month for new members, and brought our chapter membership levels beyond the goal. It looks like the trend is continuing in April. The Honolulu Chapter Board of Directors wishes to offer a warm welcome and Aloha to the new members that joined in March:

- **John Bremmer**
- **Timothy Curtin**
- **Damon Dillon**

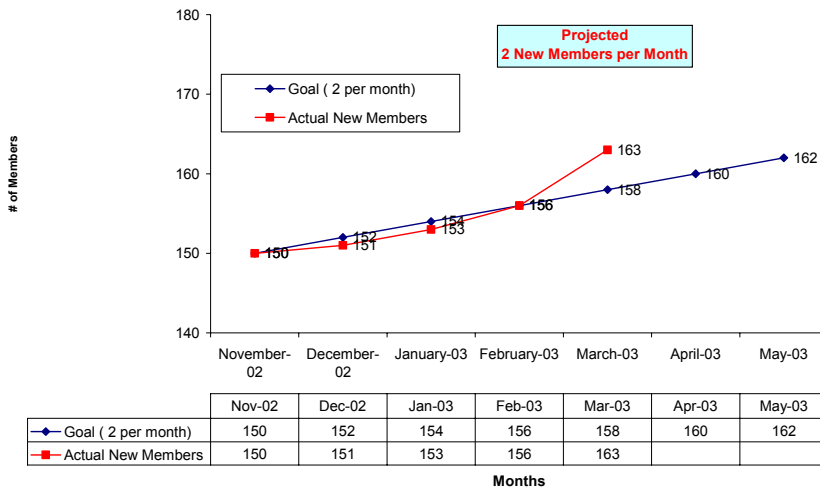
- **Darlynn Donahue**
- **Eugene Hamamoto**
- **Dianne Jordan**
- **Brian Allen Mace**

- **Glenn Mashiba**
- **Julie New**
- **Frank Vretos**



- The Chapter had **\$12,424,59** in its account on 4/27/03.
- Honolulu Chapter Membership as of 4/24/03 = **167** – Please see the table below for trends related to the chapter’s 2003 membership goals.

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