Aloha,

This is PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter's first quarter newsletter for 2020 with a message from our new President, announcement of our new logo and website look as part of PMI's global rebranding, PDD 2020 announcement and more.

If you have suggestions for future topics to be included within our newsletters or have general questions about our newsletters, please reach out to publicity@pmihnl.org.

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**Message from the President**

![Photo of a man]

Dear PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter Members,

Well, I think everyone would agree with me that 2020 has been a very unusual and certainly a different year for all. The standard norm has been completely turned upside down where we actually don’t know when the end is in sight. As a Project Manager (the discipline that we all follow), this is a very difficult risk assessment to make, and to figure out how we are supposed to respond to this pandemic that the Covid-19 has presented us with is unfathomable.

As the number of cases continue to rise, and we see the damage this virus is causing in the State of Hawaii, the key question may be what lessons learned are we going to learn from this. Perhaps telecommuting is a viable option for some companies. We need to continue and take care of our kupuna and keiki. Recognize that there are no easy decisions that could be made without state-wide economic impact to our friends and family. We certainly need to focus on following CDC guidelines on protecting ourselves.

As such, in this current challenging time, I would like to ask the PMI community to be a leader and model representative of our community. Please be respectful of the Federal and State guidelines set forth for us, and also of your company’s guidelines.

The Board of PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter is monitoring the situation very carefully, and is
halting any gatherings until further notice. We are actively pursuing more opportunities that could be accomplished virtually.

We do have over 840 members, if you know of an opportunity of how we can help our local community, please directly send me a note at president@pmihnl.org.

Mahalo and be safe,

Yoh Kawanami, PMP

PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter President 2020

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**New Logo and Rebranding**

The Project Management Institute (PMI), a globally recognized professional organization for project management, recently celebrated its 50th Anniversary. As part of celebrating its past, PMI looked into its future, seeking to redefine their role and by extension, an entire profession. PMI defined a new positioning for the future of work. Working together, PMI took their brand from focusing on project management to The Project Economy, a world in which people and organizations collaborate on projects to deliver value. For their visual identity, PMI created a language of symbols for The Project Economy to infuse it with meaning, and to represent what PMI stands for as they continue to lead the profession into the future:

- Watch a short video from PMI: [Welcome to the Project Economy](#)

PMI Honolulu Hawaii Chapter embraced PMI's new vision and look and rebranded its logo
Please visit our rebranded website as we continue to improve it to serve you better: www.pmihnl.org

For more information contact Communications@pmihnl.org.

New Virtual Resource: Olelo Media Library

In collaboration with its Platinum Sponsor, Olelo Community Media, PMI Honolulu recently released a new virtual resource for its chapter members: Olelo Media Library. In addition to announcements on our website of PM-related broadcasts on Olelo that are free PDU education opportunities, PMI Honolulu recently released a new free virtual benefit for its members with ability to browse, search and watch those broadcasts on-demand at any time. Those are free PDU education opportunities allowing our members to view past PMI Honolulu PDD presentations (self-reporting of PDUs required). To access this new member resource:

- Visit our website: https://www.pmihnl.org/
- Login using the Login link in the top right corner and your pmi.org credentials
- Click on Member Area
- Click on the new Olelo Media Library link:
For questions or more information contact Communications@pmihnl.org.

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PMP Exam Update

Update to Project Management Professional (PMP) Exam and Professional Development Opportunities

Dear PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter members,

We would like to share with our membership and Project Management Professional (PMP) candidates an important update from PMI's CEO, Sunil Prashara, in regards to COVID-19. Sunil recently announced via LinkedIn that the launch of the new PMP® exam will be postponed until January 2, 2021. More information is available on the PMI website. This is a very important news to all of us as PMI recognizes the ongoing crisis and we are committed to working alongside with our members, vendors and partners.

We have decided to move our upcoming April PMP Exam Prep course to an online platform and will make necessary accommodations so candidates can prepare accordingly prior to the exam change in Jan 2021. Some valuable feedback was received on other training and professional development needs from our membership and to implement that feedback, we will look to host a Program Management Professional (PgMP), Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP), and other professional development workshops soon. We are always looking for input from our membership and business community. Please let us know your thoughts on training needs, professional development and ideas to serve you better. Contact us at professionaldevelopment@pmihnl.org.

By supporting each other through this difficult time, we can keep learning, growing and moving forward.

Kind Regards,

Benjamin Yuan, PMP

Vice President
Membership Update

Member Statistics as of March 2020

Congratulations to New Certificate Holders

(Jan 2020 - Mar 2020)

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Save the Date

Project Management Institute - Honolulu Hawaii Chapter announces and invites you to:

**2020 Professional Development Day (PDD)**

7 PDUs, engaging talks, great food and networking opportunities you don't want to miss.
**Theme:** The Future in Focus

**Date:** Tuesday, October 6, 2020, 8:00am - 7:00pm

**Location:** Ala Moana Hotel, 410 Atkinson Dr, Honolulu, HI 96814 ([Map](#))

- For more information and to register [click here](#) - visit the event page regularly as more information is coming soon.

For more information, contact specialprojects@pmihnl.org.

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**General Volunteer Opportunities**

- PMIHNL Event Photographer
- PMIHNL Event Support
- PMIHNL Volunteer Coordinator
- PMIHNL Programs Speaker Selection Committee
- PMIHNL Programs Event Manager
- PMIHNL Exhibit Volunteer
- PMIHNL Finance Auditor
- PMIHNL PM Talk Webinar Volunteer

For more information, contact membership@pmihnl.org.

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**PDD Volunteer Opportunities**

PMI Honolulu is seeking volunteers to support the PDD 2020 event (Tuesday October 6, 2020 at Ala Moana Hotel) - Volunteer positions are currently available and shown below:

> Deputy PDD 2020 (Chairperson and 1 volunteer)
> Logistics Committee (Chairperson and 3 volunteers)
> Speakers Committee (Chairperson and 2-4 volunteers)
> Publicity Committee: Collateral, Graphic Artist/Media & Marketing Specialist
> Photographers (1 chairperson, 1-2 volunteers)

**Volunteer Benefits**

All volunteers selected will receive one complimentary registration to all PDD events, meals and refreshments. Volunteers may qualify for PDUs. Qualification for volunteer PDUs will depend on the time spent in support of the project. Eligibility for education PDUs will depend on the breakout sessions you are able to attend.

If you are interested, please submit your name, contact information and committee desired to Cynthia Au at specialprojects@pmihnl.org.

Deadline for volunteering is Friday April 24, 2020.
Upcoming events

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