



Aloha,

This is PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter's third and fourth quarter combined newsletter for 2019 with a summary of a great year for PMI Honolulu and its members.

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.

Message from the President



PMI Honolulu Hawaii Chapter had a tremendous year of achievements in 2019. If you were able to attend the Annual Dinner on November 1, you heard about our growth in membership, sponsorship and volunteerism. This year, through consistent and persistent efforts of our Board of Directors and their committees, more members volunteered for more positions than ever before. Our membership grew by 78 to reach an all time high of 843. The Chapter grows stronger with the addition of each member positively impacting our business community in the delivery of professional Project Management practices.

We changed our Sponsorship model from event based to annual so as to recognize contribution for the whole year. We engaged our sponsors in Chapter events and expanded into Educational Sponsor Partners. The business community values the educational and leadership skills we provide to our members.

Perhaps one of our most outstanding achievements are in our Academic Outreach, where elementary, high school and college students are learning how to plan and execute projects with PMI standards here on Oahu.

Look for a change in our Logo as PMI premiered their new global and chapter specific logo at the PMI Congress Conference in Philadelphia for their 50 year celebration.

I send out a sincere mahalo nui loa to our Board of Directors and to our full membership for a great year and the privilege of leading you in 2019. I will be engaged as Past President to support Yoh Kawanami as he steps into his year as President in 2020.

Stay Engaged!

Lee Brightwell, PMP

PMI Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter President 2019

A Year of Firsts in Investing in Our Future

By Academic Outreach Director - Dr. Joslyn Sato, PMP

During 2019, PMI Honolulu engaged in over 25 outreach activities focused on youth K-12 as well as non-profit organizations servicing our Hawaii youth. Over 375 Youth and over 100 Advisors/Adults were impacted from the services and outreach that PMI Honolulu Academic Outreach provided.

The biggest accomplishment for the PMI Honolulu Chapter was hosting our first youth awards - Youth Project of the Year Award and Youth Project Team of the Year Award. In addition, to recognize non-profit groups servicing youth, the Kukui Award was launched to recognize an organization that displays dedication and support in incorporating and educating our Youth with project management. The award winners were presented at our Anniversary Dinner celebration, which brought our Hawai'i Youth and PMI Members together. The dinner also featured an Elementary Student as our closing speaker.

Expanding our reach beyond our immediate future by nurturing our youth will allow us to create a sustainable future.

2019 Youth Project of the Year: Minds Matter

- Submitted for **Youth Project of the Year**
- **September 2018 - April 2019**
- Budget: **\$1,000**
- Budget funding: **Sponsored by an Organization or Grant**
- Number of Team Members: **Five (5)**
- Members' Grade Levels: **11th and 12th**

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| • September 2018 – April 2019 | |
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| • Number of Team Members: Five (5) | |
| • Members' Grade Levels: 11 th and 12 th | |



2019 Youth Project Team of the Year: McKinley High School, Homecoming 2018

- Submitted for Youth Project Team of the Year
- President William McKinley High School
- Dates: October 1-6, 2018
- Budget: \$2,000
- Budget funding: School Funded
- Number of Team Members: Six (6)
- Members' Grade Levels: 11th and 12th



2019 Kukui Award



The Center for Tomorrow's Leaders has 2 programs that support Hawai'i youth. The CTL Ambassador program is incorporated in over 10 local Hawaii High Schools serving over 600 students. The CTL Fellows program brings together 20 students from various Hawaii High Schools. 100 student-led projects are launched each year at the school, local community, and state level. During the 2018-2019 school year, the CTL program began incorporating project management tools and concepts. Students are also guided by mentors creating real experience to build their knowledge and use of project tools to achieve project success. **If you are interested in volunteering with the CTL program as a mentor, please contact AcademicOutreach@pmihnl.org**

2019 Youth Closing Speaker



Showcasing our Hawai'i youth to inspire our PMI members shows the capability we have in empowering them with project management. When they can speak the concepts and use the tools that we use in our professions, we know that our future project teams and project managers will be well equipped to achieve project success.

2019 was a great success and start for us to lead, engage, and empower our future!

Our Asks:

- Share your ideas and contacts so we can get in-touch with other youth serving non-profit groups in Hawaii that could incorporate project management.
- Connect us with other schools and academic leaders that would be interested in incorporating project management.
- Encourage student groups leading projects that use project management to apply for the 2020 Youth Project Awards. Projects must be done during this school year. Applications will be due in the spring.

Contact AcademicOutreach@pmihnl.org for more information or to share your ideas.

PMI HONOLULU, HAWAII CHAPTER AWARDS ANNOUNCED FOR PROJECT OF THE YEAR FOR 2019

By Ben Yuan, PMP, Professional Development Director



The Honolulu, Hawaii Chapter of the Project Management Institute (PMI) presented its award for Project of the Year at its 2019 Annual Meeting on November 1st at The Pacific Club. The award for Project of the Year went to American Savings Bank's (ASB) submission for their American Savings Bank Campus project.

PROJECT OF THE YEAR

PMI Honolulu's 'Project of the Year' is awarded to an impressive project by which exemplary project management practices and team leadership helped overcome obstacles and ensure project success.

2019 Project of the Year winner: Beth Whitehead, American Savings Bank Campus

The ASB Campus is the first brand new commercial building to grace downtown Honolulu in nearly 25 years and is the single biggest investment (budget of \$100 million) ASB has ever made in its teammates. That bank's goal was to create an innovative and dynamic space that would allow it to bring together more than 650 teammates from five locations, allowing it to work better together for its customers, community and each other.

Key project deliverables included:

- Build a single workplace for all of ASB's operations and administrative support teams that fosters an environment of collaboration, innovation and efficiency, with the goal of creating a better experience for customers, the community and ASB teammates.
- Get stuff done the right way (which was not always the cheapest or fastest option) to create a really cool space that all teammates could be proud of.
- Effectively execute a change management and communication strategy designed to help teammates adopt, support and champion a new and better way of working, while improving the bank's already strong company culture.
- Manage the logistics of moving 650 team members from five separate locations into one building without impacting bank operations and customer service levels ? and still ensure a top-notch teammate experience.
- Complete construction on time and on budget - by December 2018.
- As newcomers to the Kalihi/Chinatown community, serve as good neighbors by developing strong relationships within the area.

You can view the ASB project video shared at the awards [HERE](#).



Pictured above (from left to right): ASB Teammates Tod Fujioka, Christine Daleiden, Nikki Yuen, Vivian Fisher, and Tom Cesar.

2019 Project of the Year Runner Up: Chuck Coleman, Hawaiian Airlines New Route Boston (BOS)

Hawaiian Airline's submission was a new, non-stop route between Boston (BOS) Logan International Airport and Daniel K. Inouye International Airport (HNL), which represents an opportunity for the following reasons:

- BOS remains the largest Hawaii market without non-stop service
- Eastern US markets have more 1-stop competition, but also have greater growth potential
- Overall market outlook is stable with moderate growth

*BOS to HNL is the longest non-stop flight within the United States at 5,095 miles one-way.

Project Scope: An enterprise wide project touching all parts of the organization:

- Airport Operations - Hiring of new staff/vendors, supplying a new station, establishing new relationships with state agencies and airport management, etc.
- Maintenance and Engineering - Hiring of new staff/vendors, supplying a new station, establishing new relationships with state agencies and airport management, etc.
- IT - New infrastructure to support station operations as well as system wide updates for reflect the new station for flight operations, revenue management, crew scheduling, etc.
- Corporate Real Estate/Facilities - New infrastructure to support station operations and new leasing and contract activities.
- Flight Operations - Establishing FAA certification for new routes, training staff, ensuring Safety Risk Assessments (SRM) successfully completed across all disciplines within Flight Ops, establishing new crew hotel and transportation contracts, etc.
- Corporate Communications - External sales launch announcement and internal operations launch communications, etc.
- Marketing - Establishing new marketing vendor engagements in local markets, national marketing campaign, social media, etc.
- Cargo - New cargo contracts.
- Catering - New catering contracts.
- Loyalty - Updates to Hawaiian Miles database, system wide updates to accrue/redeem Hawaiian Miles.



Pictured above: Hawaiian Airlines Team and support (from left to right) - Hunter Praywell, Atilla, Bhawna Mundotia, Michelle Quach, Kathleen Coleman, Chuck Coleman, Bob Westgate, Katelyn Shelly.

AWARDS CRITERIA

Project of the Year. Similar to last year's awards, the criteria focused on a common-sense understanding of an impressive project:

- A significant mission
- Well-coordinated efforts

- Significant challenges overcome
- Best practices employed
- Faithful achievement of anticipated scope, schedule, and cost

Evaluations were based not only on a 5-page application form but also project artifacts as a project charter, schedule, risk register, and lessons learned for each candidate project.

To witness the applications and excellent project management done here in Hawaii, you may view the finalist submissions (available to chapter members only):

Project of the Year:

Winner: American Savings Bank Campus - Beth Whitehead

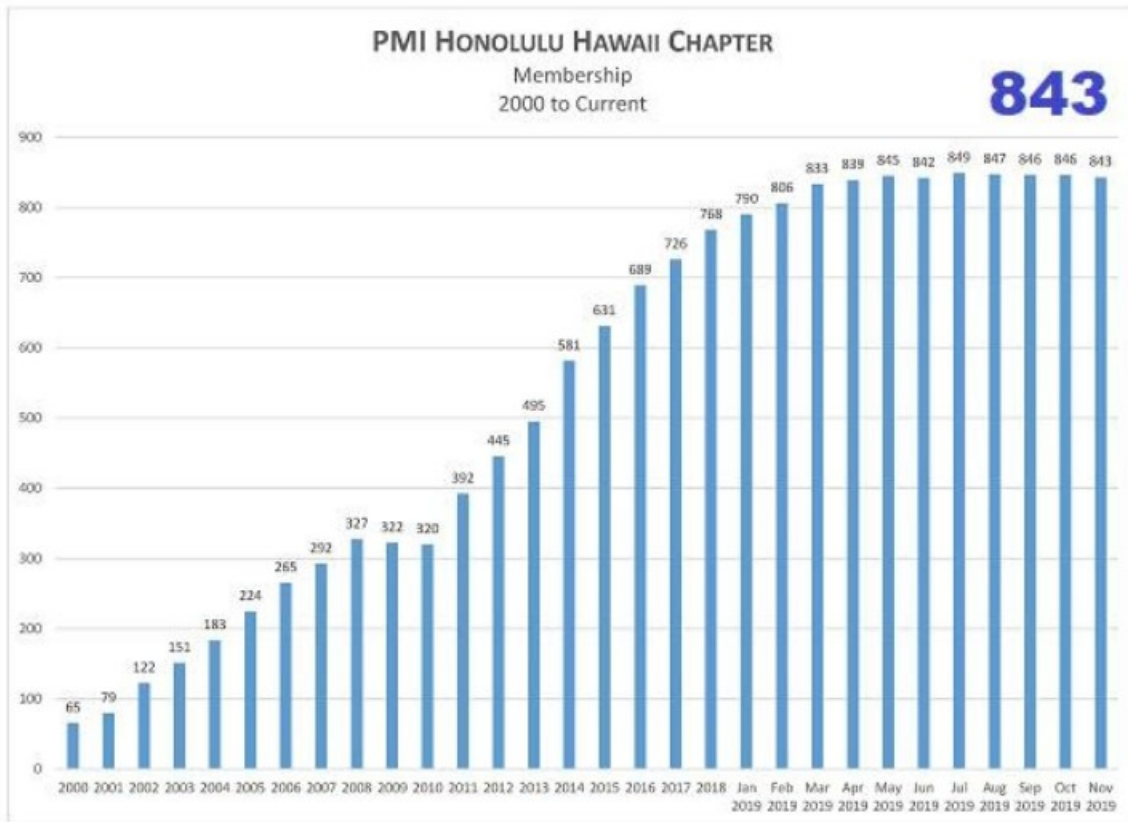
1st Runner up: Hawaiian Airlines New Route Boston (BOS) - Chuck Coleman

Judging of all candidates was done completely outside the local chapter by PMI senior chapter leaders from around the world who served as volunteer judges. These international judges conducted a structured evaluation process to select the finalists and ultimate winners of the Project of the Year award.

This year's PMI HNL awards committee consisted of Nikki Yuen (Committee Lead), Vivian Pham, and Ben Yuan.

Questions or inquiries may be directed to professionaldevelopment@pmihnl.org.

Member Statistics as of November 2019



Certificate Holders as of November 2019

| Credential | | Total Certificate Holders as of November 2019 | New Certificate Holders from December 2018 - November 2019 |
|--------------|---|---|--|
| PMP | ® | 536 | 59 |
| PMI-ACP | ® | 20 | 2 |
| CAPM | ® | 15 | 6 |
| PMI-PBA | ® | 7 | 1 |
| PgMP | ® | 1 | 1 |
| Total | | 579 | 69 |

Congratulations to New Certificate Holders (from December 2018 - November 2019)

| CAPM | PgMP | PMI-ACP | PMI-PBA |
|------------|---------|---------|----------|
| Fernand B | Greta B | James S | Ikechi N |
| Joshua B | | Nino W | |
| Eric B | | | |
| John K | | | |
| Rebecca S | | | |
| Gilberto S | | | |

New PMP Certificate Holders:

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|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|
| Roy-Alan A | Nathan D | Rochelle I | Lehi M |
| Neil A | Mike E | Shari I | Quincy M |
| Brandon A | Eric E | Patrick J | Eve M |
| Stevie A | Jesse E | Nicole J | Gordon M |
| Fernand B | Franklin F | Nicholas K | Larry N |
| Keana B | Jocelyn G | Jessica K | Edward O |
| Nonito B | Jamie G | Robert K | Wesley O |
| Nicholas B | Natalia G | Edward K | Matthew O |
| Daniel B | Kelli G | John K | Rong R |
| Michael C | Sheldon G | Andy L | Travis R |
| James C | Lonnie H | BRYAN L | Roy S |
| Elizabeth C | Michael H | Chris L | Amy S |
| Sally C | David H | Elizabeth M | Maureen S |
| Julian C | Eric H | Edward M | Jason S |
| Christine D | David H | Amy M | |

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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

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Upcoming events

**Wednesday January 15,
2020**

General Membership Meeting &
Luncheon: Transforming the
Ride of the Future: Preparing for
Urban Air Mobility

[Learn more >>](#)

**Thursday January 16,
2020**

PM Talk with Kane Ng-Osorio:
Introducing Smartsheet

[Learn more >>](#)

Saturday January 25, 2020

CAPM EXAM PREP
WORKSHOP

[Learn more >>](#)

Monday January 27, 2020

Spring 2020 PMP Exam Prep
Course (Honolulu)

[Learn more >>](#)

Monday April 27, 2020

Summer 2020 PMP Exam Prep
Course (Honolulu)

[Learn more >>](#)

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