



Aloha Gram

ASSOCIATION OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROFESSIONALS

Honolulu Chapter

President's Message

Diana Shelton, President

It's election time again.....Jim Henry the current President of Region 2 has been elected to serve as our Western District Director. Consequently, he will not be running for any Region office. The same goes for Beth Pirrie, Region 2 Past President also was elected to a Western District Director position, so she will not be running for any Region Office.

Currently I am serving as Secretary of the Region. I have really gotten to know more of what goes on a Region level and National. It's a great opportunity to be involved with other AITP members and help shape our organization.

If you wish to throw your hat in the ring or know of someone who would make a great addition to the Region, please contact me.

We also are looking for candidates to serve on our Honolulu Chapter BOD. We need people who are actively willing to work to strengthen our Chapter. A nomination chair will be sending out more announcements. Feel free to talk to any of the current BOD members to get an idea of what they do.

Chapter News

Board Elections

It's time for elections for the chapter's board of directors. Nominations are currently being accepted. Lori Morden is the nomination committee chairperson. If you are interesting in running for the board, please contact her at: mordenl@hawaiiancement.com or call her at 532-3451.

Voting will take place during the October monthly meeting. Proxies will be available on the chapter website for those who cannot attend.

September Meeting Alert

Our September meeting will be held in-conjunction with the Tech Solutions Today Conference which is jointly sponsored by AITP and HTCA.

The meeting will be held on Thursday, September 11, 2003 at the Sheraton Moana Surfrider Hotel in Waikiki.

The featured speaker will be Peter Kay who will talk about "Spam - Get this junk off my network!!!"

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Tech Solutions Today Conference

Jointly hosted by AITP and HTCA
Sheraton Moana Surfrider Hotel
September 11-12, 2003
8:00 am – 5:00 pm



AITP and HTCA proudly present the Second **Annual Tech Solutions Today** Conference. An exciting two-day technology symposium whose mission is to provide relevant knowledge and know-how to technology professionals to help companies and organizations improve profitability and efficiency. This highly anticipated event is organized into a series of tracks that will focus on how to best solve today's real world issues through the use of information and communications technology.

Topics

Two conference tracks will be available on Thursday, September 11 and Friday, September 12. Topics include: VoIP, Open Source Software, Net vs. J2EE, Free-Space optics, Wireless Trends & Security, Regulatory environment impact on IT (GLB/HIPAA/Sarbanes-Oxley), and more...

Why Attend?

It's difficult to keep up with the latest advances in any area, but as we know, understanding new technology, securing systems, and keeping customers happy is a never-ending moving target. So, take some time away from the stress and strain to hear some new ideas from some excellent speakers and spend some networking time with your professional associates. Enjoy the vendor show.

Who Should Attend?

Managers, professionals, students, and others interested in the application of telecommunications, security, information technology, convergence applications, and other topics in the business environment. The conference will provide interesting ideas for both personal and professional growth

Exhibitors and Sponsors Needed

A number of exhibitor and sponsor options are available for interested companies or individuals. Contact Rhoda Fong at 535-0318 or email her at rfong@inets.com for more information or to reserve your space or become a sponsor.

Schedule of Topics

Thursday 9/11/2003

- 8:00 Opening Keynote: CIO Panel - Leveraging Technology
- 9:00 Break and Vendor Show
- 9:20 Track 1 - VoIP Real World Applications
Track 2 - NET vs J2EEE
- 10:15 Break and Vendor Show
- 10:35 Track 1 - Convergence: Computer Telephony Integration
Track 2 - Open source software; Ready for Prime Time?
- 11:30 Luncheon speaker: Spam - Get this junk off my network!!!
- 1:00 Track 1 - VoIP User Experiences
Track 2 - Wireless Trends & Security
- 1:55 Break and Vendor Show
- 2:15 Track 1 - Hawaii Telecom Update
Track 2 - Web Services
- 3:10 Break and Vendor Show
- 3:30 Closing Plenary: Act 221
- 4:30 Closing Reception

Friday 9/12/2003

- 8:00 Opening Keynote: Wireless Technology and Hawaii
- 9:00 Break and Vendor Show
- 9:20 Track 1 - What's new from the Carriers
Track 2 - Telecommunication & Education Distance Learning
- 10:15 Break and Vendor Show
- 10:35 Track 1 - Engineering Networks to support VoIP
Track 2 - Regulatory environment - IT impact (GLB/HIPAA/Sarbanes-Oxley)
- 11:25 Luncheon speaker: ThinkTech Hawaii
- 1:00 Track 1 - Trends in Financial Services
Track 2 - Security Technology Solutions Health Care Industry
- 1:55 Break and Vendor Show
- 2:15 Track 1 - Free-Space Optics
Track 2 - Disaster Recovery
- 3:10 Break and Vendor Show
- 3:30 Closing Plenary: Gadgets and Handhelds
- 4:30 Closing Reception

More Detailed Information is at www.aitphawaii.org or www.htca.org
Conference schedule is subject to change

Conference Fees

Option 1 - Early Bird Registration - Received by August 15, 2003

Which day you will be attending?

One Day Conference fee \$ 75 ___ Thursday 9/11/2003 ___ Friday 9/12/2003
Two Day Conference Fee \$125

Option 2 - Regular Registration - Received by September 1, 2003

One Day Conference fee \$100 ___ Thursday 9/11/2003 ___ Friday 9/12/2003
Two Day Conference Fee \$150

Option 3 - Late Registration - After September 1, 2003 - collected at the door

One Day Conference fee \$125 ___ Thursday 9/11/2003 ___ Friday 9/12/2003
Two Day Conference Fee \$175

Option 4 - Student Conference Fees - Student attendees - with valid student ID (full-time)

One Day Conference fee \$ 50 ___ Thursday 9/11/2003 ___ Friday 9/12/2003
Two Day Conference Fee \$ 75

Option 5 - Luncheon Only - Luncheon Only - either Thursday or Friday.

Luncheon Only \$25 ___ Thursday 9/11/2003 ___ Friday 9/12/2003
 ___ Vegetarian meal requested

Complete the registration form and return with check to:

AITP - Honolulu Chapter
Conference Registration
P.O. Box 1715
Honolulu, HI 96806

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____

Make check payable to: AITP-Honolulu Chapter

Name: _____ Organization: _____
Address: _____ Title: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
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Reservations are confirmed upon receipt of payment.

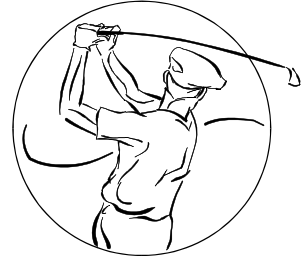
Refund and Cancellation policy on AITP website <http://www.aitphawaii.org>

For questions regarding registration

please call Diana Shelton (808) 522-4427 or email dianashelton@juno.com

AITP Golf Tournament

Date: September 10, 2003
Place: Klipper Golf Course
Kaneohe Marine Base Hawaii
Time: Check-in by 11:00am
Cost: \$60 (green fee/cart/prize/food)
[call Ron for military/DoD prices]



PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO: AITP

In conjunction with the AITP Region II Fall Conference in Honolulu, the Golf Committee has scheduled a tournament at the beautiful and challenging Kaneohe Klipper Golf Course at Kaneohe Marine Base Hawaii. The shotgun tournament starts at 12 noon, will be limited to **only 56** players (14 foursomes), and is open to AITP members and guests. The deadline to sign up is **September 3, 2003**, so send your pairings and checks (payable to AITP) immediately to:

Ron Hirata
3016 Numana Road
Honolulu, HI 96819
Phone: 523-6372 (wk)

The format for this tournament will be announced at the golf course. All golfers should report to the Registration Chairman no later than 11:00 a.m. so final paperwork can be turned in to the golf course on time. The awards ceremony will immediately follow at the clubhouse. Your registration fee includes food and prize... no host bar.

Willing to donate prizes? **We welcome donations.** Please contact

George Leong,
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Phone: 486-8686

INVITE A PROSPECTIVE AITP MEMBER

August Education Meeting
Business Operations Continuity

Sponsored By:

Honolulu Chapter of AITP
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Guest Speaker:
Stan Kubota
Executive Vice President
ND Solutions Inc

Wednesday, August 20, 2003
Ala Moana Hotel
11:30 - 1:00 pm

Reservations Required
Reservation Line: 591-3550
or send e-mail to:
miles.tsuruoka@verizon.com

Discounted rate applies if reservation is placed on or before Aug 15
Members/students \$17/\$19 Guests \$23/\$25
Cost includes luncheon

Stan Kubota, EVP of ND Solutions, Inc. will present and lead an informative discussion on Business Operations Continuity (BOC). He will discuss various business solutions, strategies, and identify key components for a successful recovery plan.

Upcoming Events*

Aug 20	AITP Monthly Meeting	Sept 13	AITP Region 2 BOD Meeting Sheraton Moana Hotel, Waikiki
Sept 10	AITP Golf Tournament	Oct 15	AITP Monthly Meeting
Sep 11	AITP Meeting during the AITP/HTCA conference	Oct 23-25	AITP National Annual Meeting St Louis, MO http://www.aitpstlouis.org/
Sep 11-12 2003	AITP/HTCA Annual Conference Sheraton Moana Hotel, Waikiki		

**To be listed here, please send the name of the event, date, and description to the editor. The deadline is the 25th of each month. They will be published here on a space-available, first come, first serve basis.



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The Aloha Gram is the monthly newsletter of the Honolulu Chapter of AITP. Paid advertising is accepted for a nominal fee and we encourage letters or articles from our membership.

The deadline for article submission is the **25th of each month**. All articles should be submitted electronically either on diskette or sent within an E-mail.

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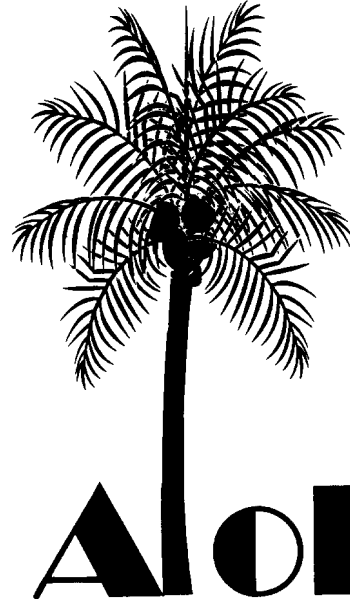
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