



Aloha Gram

ASSOCIATION OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROFESSIONALS

Honolulu Chapter

President's Message

Lori Morden, President

We've had some changes on our Chapter Board of Directors in the month of March. We sadly had to accept the resignation of two of our Board members, Barbara Nishikawa and Randy Holt. Barbara and Randy will be missed as they contributed a lot to our Board and Chapter. We hopefully will continue to see them at our monthly luncheon meetings.

At this time I would like to welcome our two new Directors, William "Bill" Sodeman, Ph.D., MSIS Program Chair and Assistant Professor of Information Systems from Hawaii Pacific University and Robert Slike, Director and Chief Information Security Office at Hilo Hattie. Both of these gentlemen will bring a lot of experience and fresh outlooks to our Board.

Spyware and adware are becoming just as bad, if not worse, than viruses on our PCs. Companies are now spending more and more hours and money trying to remove and prohibit these items from infiltrating company PCs. Come join us on April 20th at our monthly luncheon at the Hale Koa Hotel to here Bill Musson, Principal Security Consultant for Symantec Corporation, share with

us the history of spyware and adware, how it affects our systems and more importantly - HOW TO GET RID OF IT!

See you on April 20th.

Chapter News

AITP Golf Tournament

Mark your calendar! The AITP Golf Tournament is in the works and will be held May 11th at the Waialeale Golf Course. See the flyer for further details.

Gartner Golf Tournament

The Gartner Golf Tournament will be held Friday, May 27th at the Hawaii Prince Golf Club. Format will be a 4 man scramble. For further information, contact Dale Aiello at 531-5647 or dale.aiello@gartner.com.

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AITP GOLF TOURNAMENT

Date: May 11, 2005
 Place: Waikele Golf Club
 Time: Check-in by 11:45 am
 Cost: \$60 for juniors younger than 60 yrs old
 \$55 if you're 60 or over



Deadline: May 4, 2005

Well, it's the time of the year to take your golf clubs out of storage and go to the driving range to practice because the annual AITP golf tournament is just around the corner. You are invited to a golf tournament at the beautiful and challenging Waikele Golf Club in sunny and beautiful Leeward Oahu. It is open to AITP members and their guests and will be limited to 56 players (14 foursomes). The tournament format will be announced at the golf course. Tee off will be from the front and back nines starting at 12:37 pm. Immediately afterwards, everyone will meet at the clubhouse for award presentations. Tournament fees include green fee, cart, food, and prizes.

The deadline to sign up is **May 4, 2005**, so please send your pairings and checks payable to AITP immediately to:

Ron Hirata
 3016 Numana Road
 Honolulu, HI 96819
 Phone: 808- 523-6372 (office)
 email: rohirata@ksbe.edu

Please include this information with your reservation:

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George Leong, EDP Products Company
 Phone: 808-486-8686

INVITE A PROSPECTIVE AITP MEMBER

April Educational Meeting
The Perils of Spyware

Honolulu Chapter of AITP
The Association of Information Technology Professionals

Guest Speaker:
Bill Musson
Symantec Corp

Wednesday April 20, 2005
Hale Koa Hotel
11:30 - 1:00 pm

Reservations Required/Cost includes lunch
send e-mail to: aitphawaii@aitp.org

- \$10 - Members/students with early reservations (by Apr 15)
- \$20 - Members/students with late reservations
- \$25 - Guests with reservations
- \$25 - Walk-ins (members/students/guests on a space/meal-available basis)

Vegetarian meal requests require 2-day notice
No shows will be billed - Cancellations require a minimum 24-hour notice

With the increased scrutiny on Spyware inhibiting the IT infrastructure, Symantec's Hawaii consultant, Bill Musson, will discuss the history of Spyware/Adware, the motives of individuals writing this software, how it affects your systems, and most importantly how to get rid of it! Bill will also discuss what the major software vendors are doing about Spyware today and what to look forward to in the future.

Mr. Musson is a Principal Security Consultant for Symantec Corporation and is currently contracted to the U.S Government performing support for the Navy-Marine Corps Intranet Network Operation Center on Ford Island. His experience includes firewall and intrusion detection system design and installation, intrusion detection monitoring, network penetration, system vulnerability identification, and risk assessment. He is a Certified Information System Security Professional (CISSP), a Symantec Certified Technical Architect, and holds a B.S. in Computer Science from Hawaii Pacific University

Upcoming Events*

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| Mar 2 AITP BOD Meeting | Apr 6 BOD Meeting |
| Mar 15 Internet Marketing and Ecommerce Demystified
Univ of Phoenix 12p-1p. Rm 101/102 | Apr 20 AITP Meeting (TBA) |
| Mar 16 AITP Monthly Meeting | May 11 AITP Golf Tournament |

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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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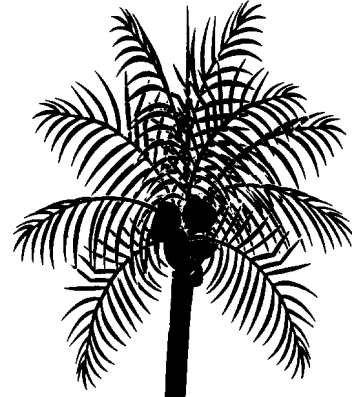
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