

HAIP Aloha Notes – August 2019



New Officer Installation

On June 13, 2019, two-term HAIP President, Preston Jones turned over the gavel to newly installed President Martha Nobriga. Her fellow officers are: Vice President/President elect Leslie Door, Secretary Ellen Mimori, and Treasurer Takushi Nagayama. The installation meeting was held at the Plaza Club. Preston thanked his hard-working board and Martha introduced her incoming “Champions”.

Education Update

HAIP continues to strive to offer high quality educational opportunities for its members and the insurance industry. On August 1, 2019, HAIP is offering a 3 credit CE course taught by Tammy Toma, entitled: “Communication Techniques & Best Practices After a Hazardous Event.” The class will be held at Dave & Busters from 11:30am to 2:30pm, preceded by a buffet lunch. RSVP: education@haipro.biz

Monthly Meeting News

On July 10, 2019, members and guests learned about the “Upcoming Changes to Producer Appointments for Hawaii”, presented by Martha Im, Esq. and Emily Rakieten.

Our next meeting will be held on August 8, 2019 at 11:30am at the Plaza Club. Martha Khlopin will speak about “Hawaii’s Medicare Programs”. Please RSVP to reservations@haipro.biz.



CONFIDENCE WHILE COMMUNICATING

HAIP provides many opportunities for members to improve their public speaking skills. They can speak at membership meetings, participate in board meetings, and take the annual Confidence While Communicating class. The next class will be taught by former Region VII CWC Winner, Mark Coberly, from Wednesday, September 25, 2019 to October 7, 2019, from 5pm to 7pm (location to be announced). Completion of this class is required in order to participate in the CWC speak-off competition that will be held at the Hawaii State Council Meeting on November 14, 2019. The winner will represent Hawaii at the Region VII Conference competition that will be held in Vancouver, Washington from March 12-14, 2020, with travel expenses paid by HAIP. The Region VII winner will go on to compete at the IAIP International Convention from June 11-13, 2020 in Louisville, Kentucky.

Chenise Blalock is a past winner of the International competition (see photo left). HAIP members Maria Carvalho, Mariah Williams and Mark Coberly have also competed on the international level.

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HAIP Appreciates our long-time members who have contributed so much to our organization over the years. Below: Charlene Mizumoto, Debra Chong, Maria Carvalho, Marian Nakashima, Linda Ipsen, Margo Makanani, Martha Nobriga, Julie Kirk, Martha Loezius (deceased); Katharine Nohr, Connie Eder, Tracy Adams (MAL); and Jan Reischel.

