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*Society of Emeritus Professors
& Retired Scholars*

The Society's Twelfth Annual Report

2008



BIRKELAND, CHARLES

Birkeland, C., P. Craig, D. Fenner, L. Smith, W.E. Keine, and B. Riegl. 2008. Geologic setting and ecological functioning of coral reefs in American Samoa. Pages 737 – 761 In B. Riegl and R.E. Dodge (eds.) Coral Reefs of the USA. Springer, NY

Birkeland, C. 2008. Coastal saltwater ecosystems. Pages 133-151 In D. Mueller-Dombois, K.W. Bridges, C.C. Daehler (eds.) Biodiversity assessment of tropical island ecosystems. PABITRA manual for interactive ecology and management. Bishop Museum Press, Honolulu. 255 p.

Smith, L.W., H. Wirshing, A.C. Baker, and C. Birkeland. 2008. Environmental versus genetic influences on growth rates of the corals *Pocillopora eydouxi* and *Porites lobata*. Pacific Science 62: 57-69

Given the Science award by the Academy of Underwater Arts & Sciences

Chaired dissertation committees for two students that received their PhDs in 2008:

Meyer, A.L. 2008. An ecological comparison of *Cephalopholis argus* between native and introduced populations. 125 p.

Smith, L.W. 2008. Environmental and biological characteristics of shallow back reef pools: implications for coral resilience. PhD Dissertation. 173 p.

Fishery LAS (Local Action Strategy) Steering Committee (NOAA, State of Hawaii) 2005 – 2008

Chair (organizer) Diagnostics Exam Committee 2008 Department of Zoology, University of Hawaii

Graduate Admissions Committee 2008-2009 Department of Zoology, university of Hawaii

I taught in Spring 2008, Zoology 410, Corals and Coral Reefs, 3 credits

2008 September 9 talk in Invertebrate Zoology (Zool 475) (Julie Brock) on corals, tropical and temperate

2008 May 8 Bishop Museum Research Seminar Series International Year of the Coral Reefs “Importance to Coral Reefs and the Fishery of Leaving the Big Fish”

a) Live Radio interview (20 minutes) with Clement Paligaru on ABC Radio Australia



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- b) Live television interview with Beth Hillyer on KHNL "University Marine Biologist Issues Warning for Fishermen"

2008 August 22 All Islands Committee represented American Samoa and Hawaii presented a concise view of management solutions.

9 September 2008 talk in Invertebrate Zoology (Zool 475) (Julie Brock) on corals, tropical and temperate.

CALDWELL, MICHAEL F.

ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTIONS

A. Teaching - Taught "Introduction to Exceptional Children" Spring, Summer, and Fall 2008 -College of Micronesia -FSM=Chuuk State Campus

B. Distance Education Facilitation- served within a "back-up roll" (the regular local Chuuk on site SDSU facilitator became ill) for the San Diego State University special undergraduate coursework being delivered within Chuuk State. This was undertaken on a voluntary basis.

SERVICE:

A. Professional Service - In Residence Consultancy =(Chuuk State School System, Weno, Chuuk, FSM) = Consultant/advisory programming and technical assistance directed towards expanding the Chuuk State School Staff systems staff capacity towards meeting IDEA _USDOE guidelines December 15, 2007 to December 14, 2008.

B. Service to the University of Guam-On going interaction with UOG officials in relation to regional and Chuuk State matters -teacher education-IDP (met with Chair of Department of Education, Acting AVP), and Acting President; Distance communication -education, UOG Regional Communication (TADAO- Bruce Best) and Regional Individuals with Disability Matters :CEDDERS (several training meetings on campus, as well as Chuuk, and Palau).

COMMUNITY SERVICE

1) Regional Continued service as President and Board Chair of the Academy for Culture and Education of Yap (NGO) with some ongoing support services to Yap and other regional patients receiving medical services at St. Luke's in Metro-Manila.

2) Ongoing involvement with Palau Community College (invited and



attended PCC Spring Commencement relative to PCC Yap Early Childhood Graduates and SDSU graduates).

CALLAGHAN, PAUL

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association

Sierra Club

American Association of Individual Investors

American Philatelic Society

International Society of Japanese Philately

National Sporting Clays Association

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Chair, Scientific and Statistical Committee, Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council (The scientific advisory standing committee relative to management of fishery resources within the U.S. 200 mile exclusive economic zone), 1981 - Present.

Member & Acting Chair, Steering Committee of The Pacific Fishery Research Program, School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology, University of Hawaii, (A committee responsible for the annual award and review of several million dollars in pelagic fishery research grants), 1992 - Present.

Member, Society of Emeritus Professors & Retired Scholars, University of Guam, UOG Station, Mangilao, Guam, 1999 - Present.

Member, Social Science Research committee, Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council (A committee responsible for planning and review of Council funded socioeconomic projects), 2002 - Present.

Member, Permanent Advisory Committee to the U.S. National Section to the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission, Appointed for a two year term - June 1, 2008 to May 31, 2010 by the Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Chair, 1st National Scientific and Statistical Committee Workshop, Honolulu, Hawaii, 12-14 November, 2008 (A meeting of fishery science committee chairmen from all eight



Fishery Councils across the United States to develop and coordinate best practices and procedures.)

PUBLICATIONS AND CREATIVE WORK

Still making slow but steady progress on an historic/biographic/novel of my wife's life, "A Far Way to Go," from a small island just north of Peleliu, Palau (population three) to an Associate Professorship at UOG – an interesting journey.

CARLSON, CLAYTON

Biological collecting trip to the Batangas area of the Philippines (under the auspices of the California Academy of Sciences)

Attended Western Society of Malacology conference at Menlo Park, CA, June 2008

Specimens and/or i.d. of Opisthobranch specimens for genetic sequencing for U. Florida, British Museum, Bergan Museum.

CARPENTER, KAREN

Last year I served on a review committee for the College of Natural and Applied Sciences. I continue to do volunteer work in the community with Erica's House and the Guam Coalition Against Sexual Assault and Family Violence. In addition to volunteer work at both of these agencies I am a member of both boards. I am also a member of the board and treasurer for the Guam Symphony Society. I was a presenter at a two day conference sponsored by the Guam Coalition Against Sexual Assault and Family Violence. I presented on both days on the topic of Sexual Assault in the Context of Family Violence.

CARRIVEAU, KENNETH

Committee member, Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars committee on Guidelines for Developing Project budgets.

Gave Benediction @ President, Robert Underwood's Presidential Induction.

2008 Adjunct Chaplain for the Newman Center.

CRITCHFIELD, TED



COMMUNITY SERVICE:

As a major in the Kentucky Wing of the Civil Air Patrol for the past two and one-half years, I have been serving as a mission aircrew member and Personnel Officer of the 214th Squadron at Bowman Field, Louisville, KY.

GILBERT, FRANCES LATHER

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND TEACHING :

A participant serving in the 321 READ program for elementary schools assisting students who are delayed or deficient in reading skills for age levels. I stay with the program three years to assist the same students and follow progress in grades one through three. Most rewarding to help a student in a one to one relationship while charting his progress in acquiring and applying the vital skills necessary in learning to read—word recognition, fluency, vocabulary development, phonemic awareness, decoding and comprehension.

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY:

Community services, Center for Lay Ministries
Volunteer services to assist destitute families and individuals in basic food supplies
Which are donated by local churches and other civic organizations such as Kroger and Dare to Care. The Center is open five days a week. This Christmas past, 2008, the Center prepared and distributed 719 food baskets for pre-interviewed and qualified families and individuals.

HEITZ, LEROY

I Worked with University of Arizona, Cooperative Extension Service in applying the rain catchment model that I developed for use in Guam and Micronesia, for use in Arizona. The model can now simulate use of rooftop rain catchment for landscape modeling with input of over 500 desert landscape plants with various drip irrigation water schedules. It is presently being field tested for use in Cochise County, Arizona and have had interest in applying the model to other counties in the state.

Presently part of a research team on a project funded by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) through Guam EPA. This project is tasked with evaluating whether or not Guam's Groundwater is directly under the influence of surface water.

Presently part of a research team on a project funded by The US Geological Survey. This project is developing a water system hydraulic model for the water supply system for the Island of



Saipan. In October of 2008, I visited Saipan along with Dr. Khosrowpanah to discuss the project with our Saipan counter parts at the Commonwealth Utility Corporation.

We recently published the Technical Report listed below:

WERI, University of Guam, Technical Report #122, August 2008

Development Of Junction Water Demands For The Saipan Water Distribution System Numerical Model.

Author(s) Leroy Heitz /Shahram Khosrowpanah / Mariano Iglecias

I am presently part of a research team on a project funded by The US Geological Survey. This project is using a network of stream gages, rain gages and water quality monitoring devices to evaluate the impact of development in two key watersheds on the island of Pohnpei in the Federated States of Micronesia. In October 2008, I and Dr. Khosrowpanah visited Pohnpei to download data and discuss the projects with our counter parts at the Conservation Society of Pohnpei.

I am co-investigator with Dr. Khosrowpanah of WERI University of Guam on two proposals being submitted for funding by the US Geological Survey. The first project will continue work in Saipan on the water system model we developed earlier. The second project, if funded, will evaluate the hydroelectric potential of various streams on the island of Pohnpei.

HOFF, PATTY JO

Chair of Regent Nominating Council

Attended Western Society of Malacology conference at Menlo Park, CA.,
June 2008

Specimens and/or i.d. of Opisthobranch specimens for genetic sequencing for U. Florida, British Museum, Bergan Museum.

KALLINGAL, GEORGE



Speaker at the Language Arts Conference, conducted by the English Department and School of Education, UOG, at the Holiday Resort, November, 2008

Commencement speaker at DOC's graduation day, June 2008

Commencement speaker at DOC's graduation day, November, 2008

Invited speaker in five schools and junior colleges in Shillong, India, November, 2008

Invited speaker in four schools, institutes and junior colleges in Guwahathi, India, December, 2008

Invited speaker in six schools and junior colleges in Calcutta, India, December, 2008

Taught two courses in the School of Education, UOG, in Spring, Summer and Fall, 2008

Consulting Clinical Psychologist for the Department of Correction

Member of a Sex Offender's Task Force (a standing committee) established by the Guam Supreme Court, 2008

Member of a Task Force (a standing committee) established by the Guam Superior Court Presiding Judge to review and write legislation for civil commitment of individuals with mental illness and who pose a threat to the community, 2008

KASPERBAUER, LARRY

Recording Secretary, Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars, University of Guam.

Treasurer, Commission for Educators Certification, Government of Guam.

Member Board of Directors, KPRG Public Education Radio Foundation Guam.

Member, Rotary Club of Guam.

Chair, KALS Corporation Advisory Council on Nutrition and Meals serving Guam homebound and Senior Center program participants.

Authored article on elderly nutrition and health in KALS Corporation quarterly Health Herald.



Informal Advisement of UOG faculty on topic of Meeting Management and Parliamentary Procedure.

Member , UOG/GPSS Manhalom Project Leadership Team.

KLITZKIE, LOURDES

I continue to be the Advisor for the School of Education Alumni Association and continue to do fundraising for Instructional Technology Program. I also continue to go out to the public schools to promote the University and recruit more alumni to our Association.

KURASHINA, HIRO

ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD WORK

1. Baba Tumon Project in February, 2008.
2. UOG – UH Summer Field School at Ritidian Point in June – July, 2008. UOG and UH shared instruction of the Archaeology Field School.
3. Futenma USMC Air Station Project in December, 2008.

MARC ADVISORY COUNCIL

PHILANTHROPIC PROJECTS

Co-Directing a Philanthropic Project at the Invitation of Abercrombie & Kent, Inc.

Establishment of the Dr. Rebecca A. Stephenson Award at UOG

RESEARCH

Serving as an Invited Panelist by the National Geographic Society

National Geographic Society: <http://traveler.nationalgeographic.com/2008/11/historic-destinations-rated/panelists-text>.

Archaeological and Ethno-historical Research on Marae of Atiu, Cook Islands

An Invitation to Submit a Paper to the IPPA Bulletin by Dr. William Ayres of the University of Oregon

Participation in the Oral Historical Accounts of Taiwanese Immigrants on Guam



PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Honorary Board Member of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Guam

Chairman of the Media Committee of the Board of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Guam

Editor of the 2008 Directory of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Guam

Editor of the Newsletter of CCCG

Member of Task Force to Revamp the CCCG Website

Member of the Szechuan Earthquake Disaster Relief Fund Raising Task Force

Member of the Task Force to Support Ms. Elizabeth Randall

VISITS TO UNESCO'S WORLD HERITAGE SITES

1. MACAU Historic District, including the ruins of St. Paul's Cathedral built from 1582 to 1602, in June 2008.
2. Shuri Castle in Naha in December, 2008 where Commodore Mathew Perry stopped in 1853 en route to Yedo (present day Tokyo).
3. Kiyomizu Temple in Kyoto in June, 2008. Kiyomizu Temple, well known for its massive wooden stilts that support the temple, was built in 1633. No single nail was used in constructing the massive foundation structure.

VISITS TO CHINA'S HERITAGE SITES

1. The Historic District of Zhu Jia Jiao. It represents a well preserved 400-year-old village built along the Cao Gang River.
2. Da Guan Yuan -The Grand View Garden. It is a classical garden modeled on the famous Chinese novel "A Dream of Red Mansions" by Cao Xueqin. It is located in Gingpu District of Shanghai.
3. Yu Yuan. It is located in the center of the Old City of Shanghai. Believed to be built in 1559, it is considered one of the most lavish Chinese gardens in the region.
4. The Shanghai Museum at the center of the modern City of Shanghai.

VISITS TO TAIWAN'S NORTHEAST COAST SITES

1. Taroko Gorge National Park.
2. Ami Village, a habitation area for one of Taiwan's indigenous ethnic groups.
3. A Ranch Resort owned by Shin Kong Group of Taiwan.



USSBA NOMINATIONS

US/GUAM – INDONESIA RELATIONS

US/GUAM – TAIWAN RELATIONS

US/GUAM – JAPAN RELATIONS

Invitation to the Official Residence of the Japanese Consul General

Invitation to the Japanese Emperor's Birthday

Invitation to the Reception On Board the JS Muroto at Apra Harbor

Invitation to the Send-Off Reception for JET Program Recipients

Lecture to 150 Josho Keiko High School Students

Meetings with Academic Leaders of Ok

LEON GUERRERO, FRED

I continue to serve as UOG endowment board chair and vice chair of the GovtGuam retirement fund board .

MACAULEY, JOYCE

PRESENTATIONS

November 5 - 7, 2008 How much structure is too much? Analysis of structure in asynchronous discussion boards. Sloan Consortium (Sloan-C) International Conference on Online Learning, Orlando, Florida.

March 13 -15, 2008 Beyond computer literacy: College students learn from senior citizens. Gulf -South Summit Regional Conference on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. Nashville, Tennessee.

March 3 - 7, 2008 Shouting through the fingertips: Computer-mediated discourse in an asynchronous environment. Society for Information technology and Teacher Education Annual International Conference, Las Vegas, NV.



November 21 - 23, 2008. Shifting our thinking: Creating rich online discussions. National Council Teachers of English Conference, San Antonio, TX.

June 12-14, 2008. Committing to civic engagement: Bottom-up and top-down. American Democracy Project National Meeting, Snowbird, Utah.

RESEARCH

Principal Investigator for the Full Circle Literacy Project, a cross-generational literacy initiative. The purpose of the Full Circle Literacy Project is to involve senior adults in activities with college students that involve literacy learning: reading, writing, and computer literacy.

National/International Professional Activities

Member, International Reading Association's Diversity Committee

Co-editor for online journal, Reading, Language Arts Teacher Educators, a peer edited journal focused on the teaching of literacy courses at the graduate and undergraduate level.

Sam Houston State University Major Activities

MARSH, JAMES

I am responding to the request for a yearly report on professional activities, which in my case fall in the area of community service. During calendar year 2008 I led more than 60 tours at the Honolulu Academy of Arts, for both adults and school children. This is the fifth consecutive year that I have led more than 60 tours at HAA. I am also active in committee work and other activities with the HAA Docents Council.

NELSON, STEPHEN G.

PUBLICATIONS:

Edward P. Glenn, Alfredo R. Huete, Pamela L. Nagler and Stephen G. Nelson
Review: Relationship Between Remotely-sensed Vegetation Indices, Canopy Attributes and Plant Physiological Processes: What Vegetation Indices Can and Cannot Tell Us About the Landscape Sensors 2008, 8(4), 2136-2160; DOI:



10.3390/s8042136

TEACHING:

Co-taught a 4-unit undergrad/graduate class "Aquatic Plants and the Environment"; member of two PhD committees and one MS committee. Department of Soil, Water, and Environmental Science, University of Arizona

RESEARCH:

Co-investigator-Inland shrimp culture, University of Arizona, funded by USDA; water-use efficiency of halophytes, funded in-house
Project manager, halophytes for biofuels, funded by NASA through UA and Axion Business Solutions

Other:

President of Sonora Winds (a Tucson-based wind ensemble, non-profit organization)

RANDALL, RICHARD

PUBLICATIONS:

2008 Siegrist, H.G.Jr., M.K. Reagan, R.H. Randall, and J.W. Jensen. Geologic map and sections of Guam, Mariana Islands at 50,000 Scale along with 9 Quadrangle Maps at 24,000 Scale (A revision of the U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Geologic Survey Map published as Plate 1 in Geology of Guam, Professional Paper 403-A, 1964) Water and Environmental Research Institute, Univ. of Guam, through the Guam Hydrologic Survey Program.

2008 Richard H. Randall. Holocene Reef and Beach Development at Tumon Bay, Guam, with emphasis on the development and origin of the backshore storm deposits in the vicinity of Naton Beach. University of Guam Marine Laboratory, Technical Report No. 79, xxp.

RESEARCH:

2008. Biological and Geological Investigator, Micronesian Area Research Center, University of Guam, contract to provide a brief geographic description of the Tumon Bay Guam, Naton Beach area that includes the adjacent fringing reef platform, beach and storm deposits, and adjacent



landward outcrops of limestone; and provide a Holocene chronology of events that led to the deposition of the unconsolidated storm and beach deposits at the excavation site, March 2, 2008.

PUBLICATIONS AND CREATIVE WORK

The following two manuscripts are being worked on in my spare time.

2008 In preparation. Autobiography (Under revision to keep under 600 to 700 pp)

2008. In preparation. A novel tentatively titled "Rural Route 1 Wolf Creek Falls, Indiana. 375p. (7 Chap. Finished plus 4 more to go).

SAJNOVSKY, ROBERT M.

ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTIONS: PUBLICATIONS/ TEACHING

PUBLICATIONS

"*Calendar of Arts Events*", updated weekly, aired and published on KPRG's website.

Art work submitted and displayed at Agana Shopping Center and Guam Premier Outlets as part of Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities exhibit for National Arts Recognition Month (Two pieces - October, 2008)

Art work donated and displayed at Guma Ma'ami's Silent Art Auction, May 2008. Sale proceeds donated to Guma Ma'ami.

Art work donated and displayed at the ISLA Center's Silent Art Auction, November, 2008.

TEACHING

Taught Introduction to Art (AR 101) Fall Semester, University of Guam. (3 Credit Hours)

Converted 35mm slide collection to digital power point presentations for AR 101 class lectures. Over 2500 slides converted.

Taught four courses on Boating Safety for the Coast Guard Auxiliary (see item 2-a below, under Service to the Community)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION AND UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY



Completed second term as Chair, Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars for the University of Guam. (term ended in March, 2008)

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Continued 14th year of co-hosting, along with my wife, Dr. Cynthia Sajnovsky, "Airing the Arts", a weekly 30 minute program for KPRG, Guam's Public Radio Station. We interview local artists and discuss current art events in which they are engaged; and I prepare a weekly calendar of current arts events happening on Guam which is aired several times weekly and is also published on the KPRG website.

Continued volunteer work as a Coast Guard Auxiliarist by being elected to serve a second term as the Guam Flotilla Commander and Operations Officer. Duties include: 1. as Flotilla Commander: selecting staff positions personnel to carry out Auxiliary missions, tasking staff to specific goals, preparing agendas and presiding over monthly meetings; 2. as Operations Officer: organizing boats and crew for Group Guam search and rescue exercises, regatta, safety and training patrols, and preparing calendar of on-water patrols for distribution to interested parties.

a. Public Education: Taught most lessons of four CGAUX boating safety courses: Boating Skills and Seamanship, America's Boating Course, Let's Go Sailing, and Sailing and Seamanship.

b. Public Affairs: Appeared with my 20' vessel at a Micro Mall display for National Safe Boating Week on May 23, with the Coast Guard owned 21' RHIB at Armed Services Day on June 09, and in the Liberation Day Parade on July 21, as a representative of the Coast guard Auxiliary promoting boating safety.

c. Was appointed Auxiliary Sector Coordinator, for Sector Guam Coast Guard.

d. Assisted in teaching a five-day Search and Rescue course to active duty Coast Guard personnel at Air Station Barbers Point, Hawaii. Instruction team consisted of three persons from the Coast Guard National SAR School, Auxiliarist James Jung of Kauai, HI, and myself.

e. Was awarded Auxiliarist of the Year Achievement Medal (for 2007) District 14, Division 2, during ceremony in Hawaii, February 2008. Received Meritorious Team Commendation Medal in June 2008, for work on barge, Tamara V, grounding off Hagatna in December 2007.



SINGH, DALJIT

I continue to serve as Professor and Lead Mentor of the Graduate Program in International Business at Northcentral University, Prescott Valley, Arizona.

I was awarded a certificate of Appreciation for Academic Commitment to Excellence for serving as Dissertation Chair for guiding the best dissertation of the year 2008. A certificate copy attached.

Taught and Chaired 30 Ph.D. research candidates during 2008 calendar year.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE:

Appointed to the International Award Committee of the American Society for Public Administration, 2008-2009.

Appointed to Delta Mu Delta, International Business Honor Society's Judges Board for Scholarship Awards 2008.

Appointed to the Employment Law and Human Rights Committee of the European/Mediterranean Research Business Institute (EMRBI) 2008.

Appointed Reviewer for Track on International Human Resources Management, Cross Cultural Management, and Qualitative Research Methods, Academy of International Business 2009 Conference, San Diego, CA.

Appointed to the Alumni Board 2008-210, California State University at Fullerton.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Elected as Delegate, CA Congressional District 21, to the Democratic National Convention, Denver, Colorado, August, 2008, to nominate and elect the Democratic Party nominee for the president of the United States of America (Barack Obama).

Member of the World Community Service and Group Study Exchange Committees of the Rotary Club of Visalia, CA.



STEPHENSON, REBECCA A.

ENDEAVORS IN 2008 LINKED TO TEACHING AND LEARNING

Outside Graduate Faculty Advisor

Ms. Yu-Ping Chen has sought my assistance as her Outside Graduate Advisor. She is a Ph.D. Candidate in the Doctoral Program of the Department of Anthropology at National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan.

Ms. Takae Shibasaki of Guam has also sought my assistance as her Outside Graduate Advisor. Takae is a doctoral student in Education.

ENDEAVORS IN 2008 LINKED TO SCHOLARLY/CREATIVE WORK

Written Work/Publications

A research paper, entitled "Social Science Field Research and Danger", co-authored with Dr. Hiro Kurashina, was presented at the 21st Pacific Science Congress meetings in Okinawa, Japan, June 12-18, 2007.

My work on the "Danger Inquiry" continues. This project was begun while I was still a full-time Faculty Member in Anthropology at UOG, directly linked to the AN/SO 494 Bali Field Workshop that was postponed in CLASS at the beginning of Spring Semester 2006, because of the 2nd bombing in Bali.

Field Research

It was very satisfying to have the opportunity to return to the island of Atiu, Southern Cook Group, Polynesia, for an extensive field research stay in mid-October to mid-November 2008.

Field Grant from A & K for the Orongo Marae Project on Atiu

The field stay on Atiu in 2008 came about because of funding for a philanthropic community development project on Atiu that was sponsored by Abercrombie and Kent, Inc. Dr. Hiro Kurashina and I were invited to co-direct the reconstruction and restoration of two very old marae (sacred pre-Christian religious sites) in Teenui District on the island of Atiu.

Unexpected Tour of Polynesia

The Abercrombie and Kent flagship, the Clipper Odyssey, sailed from Tahiti in French Polynesia to Atiu, Cook Islands, so the travelers on board the ship could see firsthand the outcome of the community development project on Atiu that they had financially supported. Dr. Hiro Kurashina and I were invited to board the ship when it departed Atiu, for its final destination, namely, Lautoka, Fiji.



Pacific Science Association

The 21st Pacific Science Inter-Congress will convene in Tahiti, French Polynesia, in March 2009. Dr. Lan-hung Nora Chiang and I are preparing a paper with Dr. Hiro Kurashina for presentation at the Congress. Our paper will explore the articulated self-identity of longtime Taiwan Chinese residents of Guam.

Invited Panelist by the National Geographic Society

At the invitation of the National Geographic Society, I served as a panelist for their recent Destination Stewardship Survey.

ENDEAVORS IN 2008 LINKED TO UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Establishment of the Dr. Rebecca A. Stephenson Award at UOG

Task Force on Globalization and Human Dynamics

Ongoing activities have kept the Task Force on Globalization and Human Dynamics of Pacific Science Association, based at the Bernice P. Bishop Museum in Honolulu, Hawaii, very attentive.

GovGuam Boards

My appointments as a Board Member of the Guam Historic Preservation Review Board and the Guam Preservation Trust continue.

Likewise, I continue to be an active member of FAWA. FAWA is the Federation of Asia-Pacific Women's Associations, originally chartered in Manila, Philippines, in 1954.

Service to the Guam community for me also includes my longtime membership in AAUW-Guam Branch (American Association of University Women). I'm also an active member of the Guam Council of Women's Clubs, in my position as a Past President (twice) of AAUW—Guam Branch.

TAIJERON, HENRY

Conduct and coordinate WASC mandated assessment projects/activities for CNAS, University of Guam.

WANG, CHIH



PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Admitted to Chinese-American Academic and Professional Association in Southeastern United States and participated in its 32nd Annual Conference held on July 25-27, 2008 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Recognitions:

Selected and included in the *Who's Who in America*, 2009, which was highlighted in the front page of the online *World Journal*, a widely read worldwide Chinese newspaper, on August 13, 2008. p. C12; and reported in the Chinese-American Librarians Association Newsletter, 99 (Winter 2008). <http://www.cala-web.org/files/newsletter/2008Fall.pdf>

Writings (Chinese Essays):

"Ran Jean Published Her *Listen to the Night Sound*." *Atlanta Chinese News*. December 26, 2008. A8.

"Kuan's Andrew Wang." Part 2. *Atlanta Chinese News*. November 21, 2008. A8.

"Kuan's Andrew Wang." Part 1. *Atlanta Chinese News*. November 14, 2008. A8.

"Review of *The Philosophy of Lao Chang* by Lao She." *Atlanta Chinese News*. October 24, 2008. A8..

"Mom Yang Has Gone!--An Essay In memory of Mrs. Yang." *Atlanta Chinese News*. August 15, 2008. A8

"Noise on Green Cards." *Atlanta Chinese News*. July 11, 2008. A8.

"Mom Sun Always in Our Memory." *New Song Journal*. 70 (May 2008). 23-24.

"*The Tale of Genji*: Reading and Excerpt." (in English) *Atlanta Chinese News*. November 16, 2007. C2; November 23, 2007. A9.

WORKMAN, RANDALL

UNIVERSITY SERVICE:



2008 Vice Chair, Society of Professors Emeritus and Retired Scholars

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

2008 Member, Board of Directors, Guam Fo Guang Shang Buddhist Temple.

YAMASHITA, LORRAINE

I am currently serving as the Co-Chair of the Friends of the Richard L. Taitano Micronesian Area Research Center Association, a nonprofit organization established to promote the Richard L. Taitano Micronesian Area Research Center by providing community support through activities and fundraising, thereby enriching both the research center and the community.

I also continue to conduct research on the history of the University of Guam.