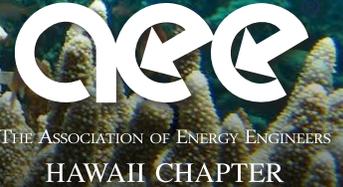


# Letter of Introduction



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Aloha,

My name is Ray Delio, President of the Association of Energy Engineers' (AEE) Hawaii Chapter. I am a clean energy integration expert with two decades of experience directing progressive projects in renewable energy generation, smart grid development and project & program management. As an organization, AEE Hawaii also has a great deal of experience, and a strong commitment and drive, for achieving results in these areas. I hope the following highlights of our recent achievements amply demonstrate how AEE Hawaii can help your organization.

## Highlighting Hawaii's Progress in Energy

The AEE has a long and proud tradition of sharing the knowledge of its experts in energy conservation, energy efficiency, demand reduction and renewable generation. The AEE Hawaii Chapter has sought to build on that philosophy of wider engagement – and so play a full-role in fast-forwarding Hawaii's future – by becoming firmly engaged in providing assistance to a number of important local projects (pro-bono). This includes:

- » Helping to identify and allocate state funding, for CEA and CEM classes. Our goal is to see AEE membership grow from 50 in 2012, to over 500 people in the next 12 months.
- » Being heavily involved in advising the Department of Education (DOE) in developing their bold Energy Efficiency and Sustainability Master Plan (EESMP).
- » Gaining a commitment from the Department for Business, Economic Development and Tourism (DBEDT), and the DOE, to use only CEA and CEMs on facility energy audits.
- » Assisting the Leeward Community College, in establishing a Department of Sustainability.

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Mr R. L'Heureux, the Assistant Superintendent for the Department of Education (DOE) Office of School Facilities and Support Services, has these kind words to say in his Letter of Recommendation for the AEE Hawaii:

*"Overall, [the AEE] was a tremendous contributor to the success of the EESMP. On behalf of the Hawaii Superintendent of Education, I thank both the Association of Energy Engineers and Raymond Delio for their contribution to the DOE"*

AEE Hawaii and R. P. Delio & Co also directed the production of an Exhibit for the recent TEDx Exhibition, 'The City 2.0' in Honolulu. The team's creative insight on the future of education, public spaces, transport and the home was praised by George Carroll, the Event Curator, who said that the exhibits

*"were engaging, enlightening, professional looking and totally congruent with the event's theme."*

### **How can we help?**

I hope the above summary gives you an insight into the strong commitment that AEE Hawaii has for progressing Hawaii's energy future. We are able to similarly assist you in your ongoing efforts to promote sustainability in your organization.

If we can be of help in anyway in realizing your future plans, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely



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