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Update your contact information anywhere you have Internet access in [My Profile](#), search for friends and professional colleagues with the [Alumni Directory](#) and take advantage of the [Email Forwarding](#) service. Membership and access to the community is exclusive and free to EWC Alumni and Associate members only. The purpose of the online community is to help members network and share information with each other. If you have any questions or comments, contact us at [alumni@eastwestcenter.org](mailto:alumni@eastwestcenter.org).

Exclusive and free to all EWC Alumni and Associate members, the East-West Center Community is an online community that helps members network and share information with each other.

The online community can be used to: 1) keep your contact information up-to-date anytime, anywhere you have internet access; 2) search for friends and professional colleagues using the online Alumni Directory; and 3) obtain a free [@eastwestcommunity.org](mailto:@eastwestcommunity.org) alumni forwarding email address. Here's how the forwarding email address works: when a message is sent to your [@eastwestcommunity.org](mailto:@eastwestcommunity.org) address, that message will be forwarded to a personal email address you select. If you change your personal email address in the future, you can easily update it here so that emails sent to your [@eastwestcommunity.org](mailto:@eastwestcommunity.org) address will automatically be forwarded to your new personal email address. Your [@eastwestcommunity.org](mailto:@eastwestcommunity.org) email address that you give out to colleagues and friends will remain the same.

Go to [www.EastWestCommunity.org/Alumni](http://www.EastWestCommunity.org/Alumni), login and click on the "My Profile" tab to confirm that all of your contact information is correct and current. You will need to register the first time you access this community.

**EARLY REGISTRATION AND CALL FOR PAPERS DEADLINE APRIL 30TH**



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Be sure to register and submit your abstract for the EWC/EWCA International Conference, September 17-19, 2014 by **April 30th**. Registration fee includes Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, Okinawa Cultural Performance, Aloha Dinner, Lunches, Coffee Breaks, a Half-Day Tour, all Program Sessions and Conference Materials. Rates increase on May 1st. Information about hotel accommodations and optional post-conference tours will be available soon.

To register and for more details about the conference, go to the conference website at [www.eastwestcenter.org/okinawa2014](http://www.eastwestcenter.org/okinawa2014).

**ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS**

Read about some recent achievements our alumni have received.



**Neal Peirce** (Jeff Fell 2012) participated in a Jefferson fellowship program on "Changing Cities: Innovations for an Urban World" and has gone on to create a new service focused on urban issues and innovation as Editor-in-Chief of Citiscope. In this fast urbanizing world, Citiscope spurs innovations to help cities work better for all of their people through the power of independent journalism. For more information, go to <http://www.citiscope.org>.

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**Alex Quade** (Media Program 2004) worked in television for Fox News and CNN produced and directed a short documentary about Special Forces in Afghanistan, "[Horse Soldiers of 9/11](#)," narrated by the actor Gary Sinise and premiered at the G.I. Film Festival in Washington in 2012. "Chinook Down," a [video essay she did for At War](#), was awarded a national Edward R. Murrow Award from the Radio Television Digital News Association in 2013.

**P. Subramaniam** (Program on Population 1992) was honored on Feb 21st with an award and citation for 'Outstanding Contributions to Public Health in India' at the Global Public Health Conference 2014 held at the School of Public Health of the SRM University.

**IN MEMORIAM**

**Kenneth Brown** (former EWC Board of Governors), a noted architect, businessman and Hawaiian cultural advocate who served on the board from 1983 to 1991 and chaired it from '89-'91 passed away in February. "Kenny provided the type of leadership that was in keeping with his philosophy of honoring the peoples and cultures of Hawai'i and the Asia Pacific region," said EWC President Charles E. Morrison.

**EWCA CHAPTERS**

**KALEA (Jakarta) Chapter** - On Feb 4, The Asia Pacific Development Foundation (Yayasan Pembinaan Asia Pasifik) and KALEA (East-West Center Alumni Association in Indonesia) held a Panel Discussion in Jakarta. Panelists included: Prof. Dr. Meutia Hatta Swasono (Penduduk Berkualitas), Ir. Siswono Yudo Husodo (Sumber Daya Alam Hijau), and Prof. Dr. Arief Rachman M.Pd. (Pendidikan).



**Southern California Chapter** recently had a potluck gathering on March 15th. Over twenty alumni residing in the Southern California area attended. Claire Langham Richmond is the Chapter Leader.

**EWC AND EWCA ONLINE NETWORKS**

The East-West Center and the EWCA maintain four main online networks to keep Alumni, Associates and Friends of the East-West Center communicating with each other. Join our Online Networks at:

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-  [LinkedIn](#)  
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