

**HONOLULU JAPANESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
APPOINTED POSITIONS, FY 2022-2023**

**ADVISORS**

Susan Eichor, President & COO, aio  
Carrie Okinaga, Vice President Legal Affairs and General Counsel, University of Hawaii  
Kurt Matsumoto, President, Pulama Lanai  
Tyler Tokioka, Chairman, Island Insurance Company

**DIRECTORS – ONE YEAR TERM**

Sheri Morishige, President, Honolulu Japanese Junior Chamber of Commerce  
Scott Miyasato, Senior Vice President, General Counsel, Outrigger Resort Hotels  
Robert “Bob” Furukawa, President, JN Productions  
Rus Murakami, Regional Vice President, SSA Group

**STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS – ONE YEAR TERM**

<b>Budget &amp; Finance</b>	<b>Officer: Blake Isobe</b> Standing Committee Chair: Blake Isobe Standing Committee Vice Chair: Vice-Chair: Joanna Oshiro
<b>Communication &amp; Marketing</b>	<b>Officer: Kristi Yanagihara</b> Standing Committee Chair: Kristine Wada Standing Committee Vice-Chair Int-Ext Comm: Kristin Alm Kamakahi Standing Committee Vice-Chair Social Media: Kristine Wada / Mai Shiomi Standing Committee Vice-Chair, Branding: Crystine Ito
<b>Community Relations</b>	<b>Officer: Mike McMurdo</b> Standing Committee Chair: Lani Shinsato Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Gayle Marumoto <b>Game Changers Event Chair</b>
<b>Government Affairs</b>	<b>Officer: Peter Hamasaki</b> Standing Committee Chair: Peter Hamasaki Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Michael Saines
<b>Japan Business Relations</b>	<b>Officer: Rika Hirata</b> Standing Committee Chair: Yasuhiko Ishikawa Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Alan Kinohata <b>January 6, 2023 Shinnen Enkai Event Chair</b>
<b>KAIKA [Women’s Diversity Initiative]</b>	<b>Officer: Rika Hirata</b> Standing Committee Chair: Tobie Wada Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Gina Maeda
<b>Legal Counsel / HR</b>	<b>Officer: Kurt Murao</b> Standing Committee Chair: Karl Kobayashi Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Brice Ueda
<b>Membership Development</b>	<b>Officer: Brice Ueda</b> Standing Committee Chair: Jennifer Okubo Polido Standing Committee Vice-Chair Corporate Membership: Wesley Yamamoto Standing Committee Vice-Chair Regular Membership: Brandon Miyagi Standing Committee Vice-Chair Retention: John P. Bautista <b>TBD: Membership Gathering Event Chair</b>
<b>Small Business Advocacy</b>	<b>Officer: Derek Kaneshiro</b> Standing Committee Chair: Derek Kaneshiro Vice-Chair: Jenna Teruya Vice-Chair: Mitch Noguchi Vice-Chair: Kailey Wong

**Ways & Means**

**Officer: Marc Nakamoto**

Standing Committee Chair: Marc Nakamoto, Sodexo

Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Dean Yoneshige

Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Richard Park III

**April 13, 2023 Chopsticks & Wine Event Chair**

**October 27, 2023 Samurai Classic Golf Tournament Event Chair**

**Program & Events**

**Officer: Ina Chang**

Standing Committee Chair: Chris Anjo

Standing Committee Vice-Chair: Taylor Kirihara

Standing Committee Vice-Chair: June Fernandez

**July 19, 2023 Inauguration & Generational Award Celebration Event Chair: TBD**

**SPECIAL COMMITTEE**

**Audit**

Deneen Nakashima, Deneen Nakashima CPA LLC

**Laulima Community Service**

As needed

**HJCC GOLF Club**

Bob Nagao  
Richard Park  
Wayne Toma