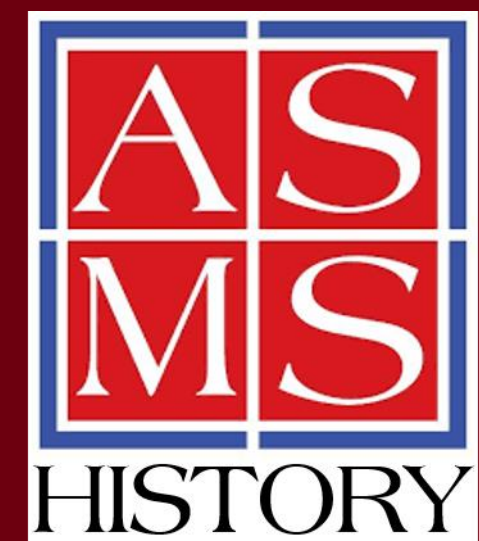


ALOHA 1982: AN ASMS ANNUAL CONFERENCE SET IN PARADISE



OVERVIEW

The 30th Annual Conference of the American Society for Mass Spectrometry was held June 6 - 11, 1982 at the Hilton Village in Honolulu, Hawaii. More than 800 participants made nearly 500 scientific presentations. Twenty ASMS and ASTM workshops were held on topics that included biomedical applications, fast atom bombardment, intercomputer communications, laser mass spectrometry of inorganic ions, nomenclature, orphaned instruments, quantitative mixture analysis, resolution in MS/MS, thermospray, and triple quadrupole instruments.*

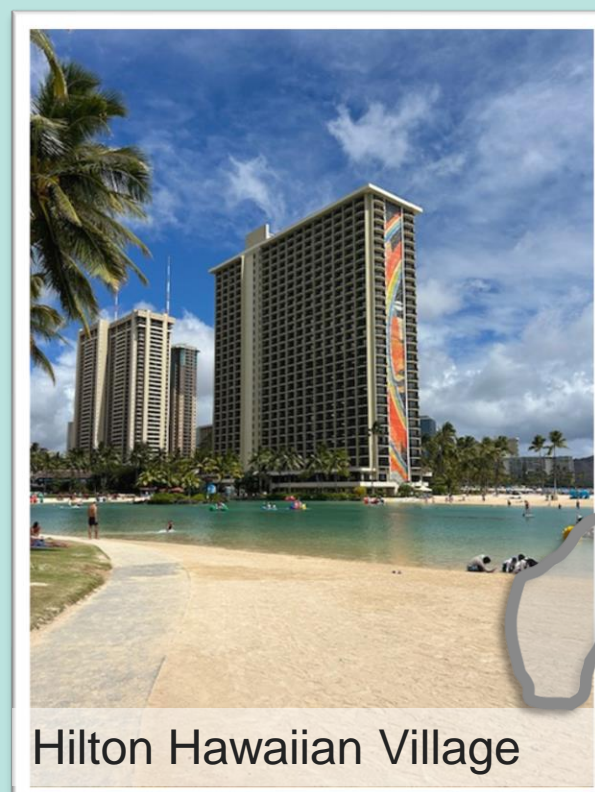
Ernie Bonelli from Hewlett Packard (Now Agilent Technologies) was the VP for arrangements [1976-1978] who developed the conference site. Judith Sjöberg Watson (ASMS office, Lansing, MI) was then in her second year as business manager for ASMS. The conference was planned with the objective of encouraging participation from Pacific Rim countries. It was sponsored in cooperation with The Australian/New Zealand Society for Mass Spectrometry, The Japanese Society for Medical Mass Spectrometry, and The Mass Spectroscopy Society of Japan. A special assistant, Yoko Ohashi, worked in Baltimore with the VP for Programs Catherine Fenselau to bring the conference to the attention of both Japanese mass spectrometry societies and of individual Japanese colleagues. She also provided informal translation during the conference. Attendance and scientific presentations from Japan, Australia and New Zealand were noticeably increased relative to their numbers at mainland conferences. The registration list is available in the 1982 Conference Proceedings.*

The scientific program was planned with morning and evening sessions to let attendees have flexible time in the afternoons. Thanks to having the meeting at a resort hotel, there were lots of recreational activities available: glass bottom boat tours to view the aquatic life of the harbor, very meaningful trips to the U.S.S. Arizona, and Outrigger Canoe Surfing expeditions (it's a lot more work than it looks!). Judith also organized an affordably priced inter-island 5-day tour of Maui and Kauai after the conference.



*ASMS members may view the Abstracts and Workshop reports in the Conference Proceedings on the ASMS website

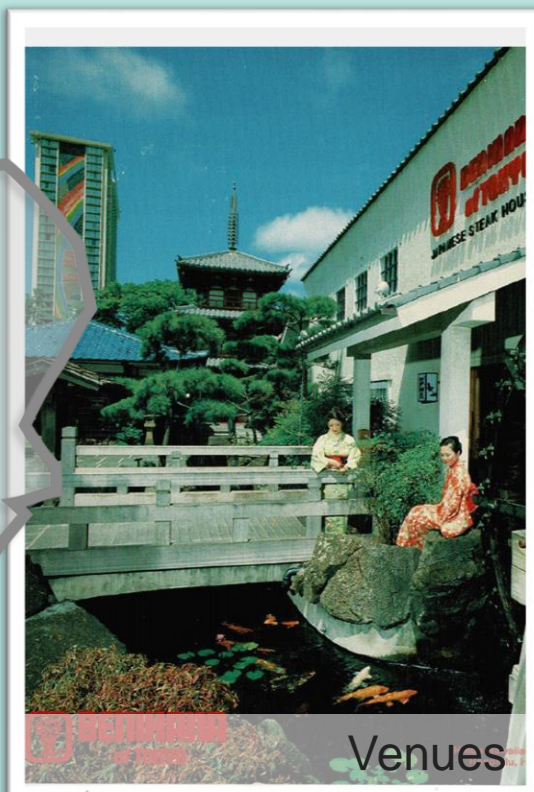
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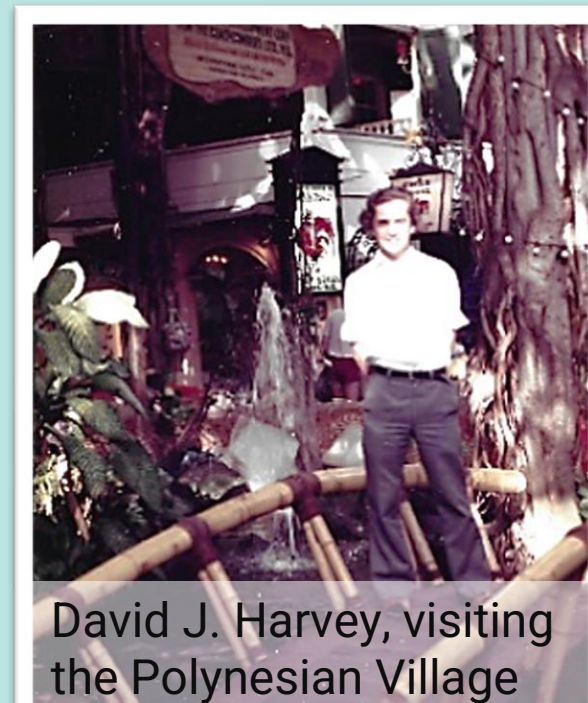
Judith Watson, Yoko Ohashi, Kay McCloskey & Klaus Bieman



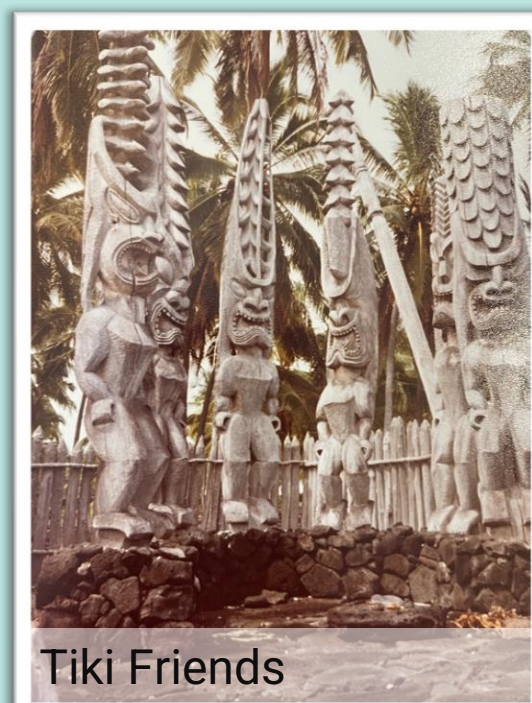
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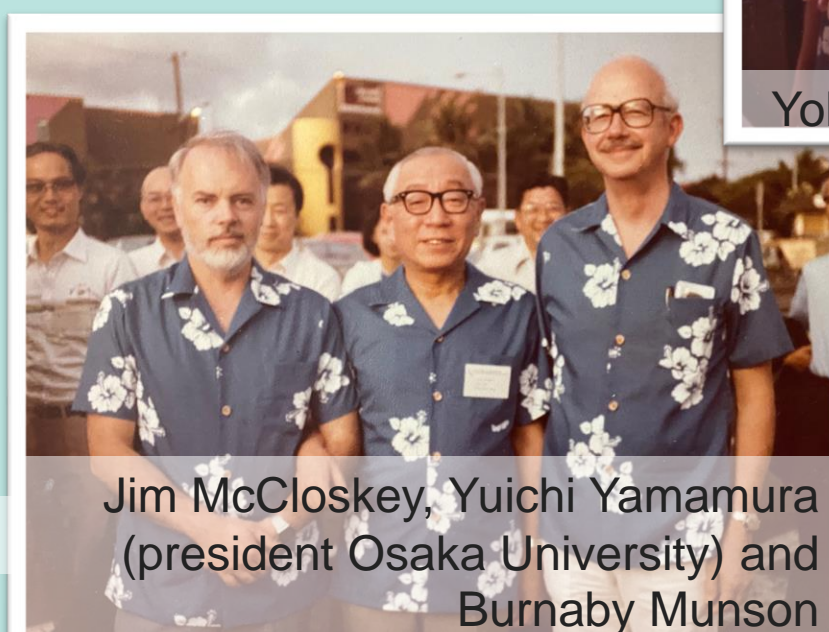
Most of the Delegation from Japan



David J. Harvey, visiting the Polynesian Village



Tiki Friends



Jim McCloskey, Yuichi Yamamura (president Osaka University) and Burnaby Munson



Yoko Ohashi



Partial ASMS board with (Front) Hilton staff, Judith Watson, Yoko Ohashi (Back) J. Throck Watson, Catherine Fenselau, Fred Lampe, Burnaby Munson, Tom Aczel, Keith Compson, Terry Ashe, & Peggy Frisch



Front: Charlie Wilkins, Ben Freiser, Ruth Hein, & Richard Hein



Frank Field & Hank Fales



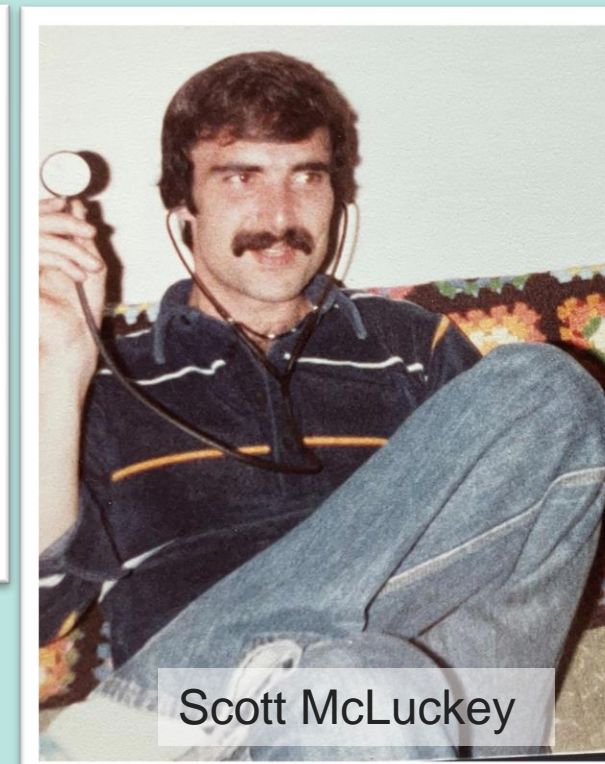
Catherine Fenselau & Frank Field



Burnaby Munson (president), & Jim McCloskey (past president)



Jeff Shabanowitz & Polynesian Villagers

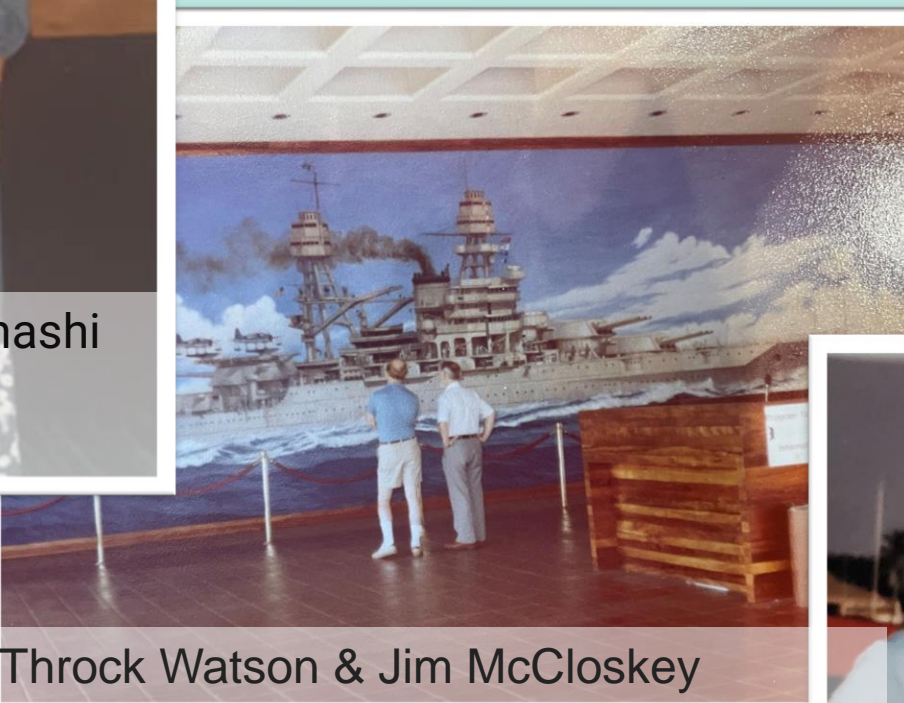


Scott McLuckey

This was my last ASMS meeting as a graduate student and I had a lot of research I wanted to present. My thesis advisor declined to support any graduate students to go to Honolulu, so I ate ramen noodles for a few months and went on my own dollar. Kelsey Cook's talk on electrohydrodynamic ionization and high mass multiply charged ions was the highlight of the meeting for me and planted the seed for my career-long interest in the chemistry of high mass multiply charged ions. After I got home, my advisor recognized the value of the conference and did reimburse my expenses.
—Scott McLuckey



(Enke Group) Front: John Chakel, Carl Myerholtz, John Stults Back: Rick & Katie Yost, Jim Morrison, Chris Enke, Hugh Gregg, & Dick Crawford



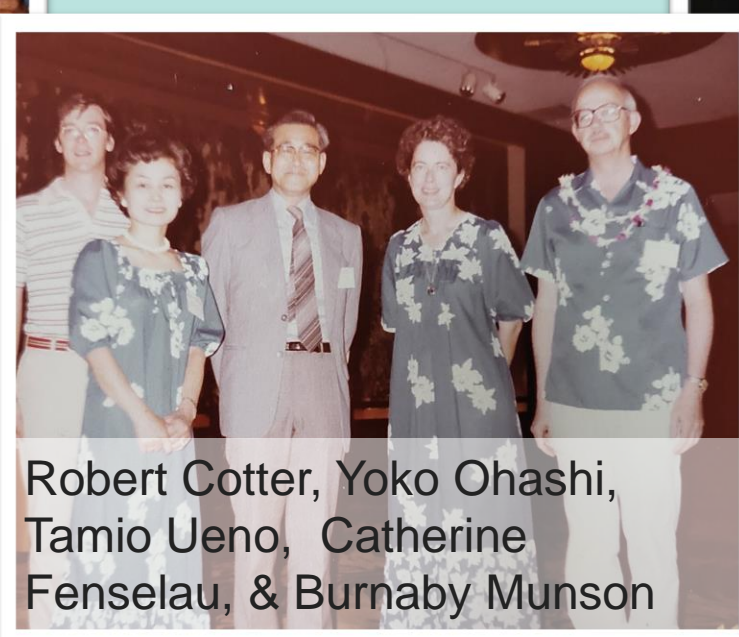
Throck Watson & Jim McCloskey



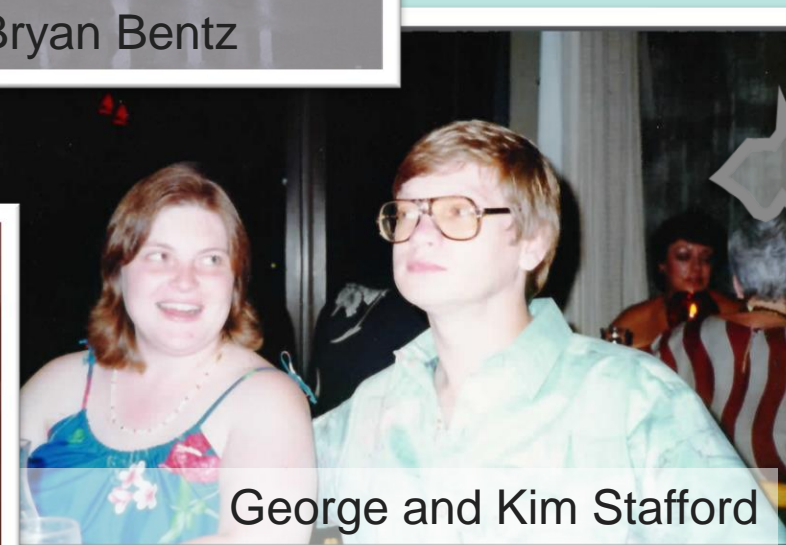
Hisao Nakata, Mamoru Ohashi & Makoto Suzuki



Dottie Lane, Billy Bone, Jane Gale, Charles Magee, & Bryan Bentz



Robert Cotter, Yoko Ohashi, Tamio Ueno, Catherine Fenselau, & Burnaby Munson



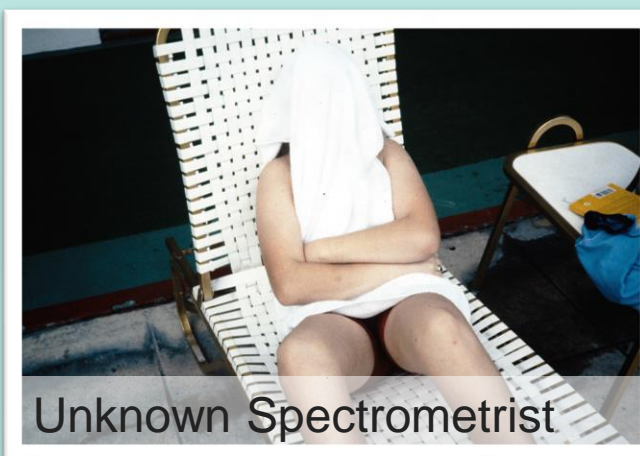
George and Kim Stafford



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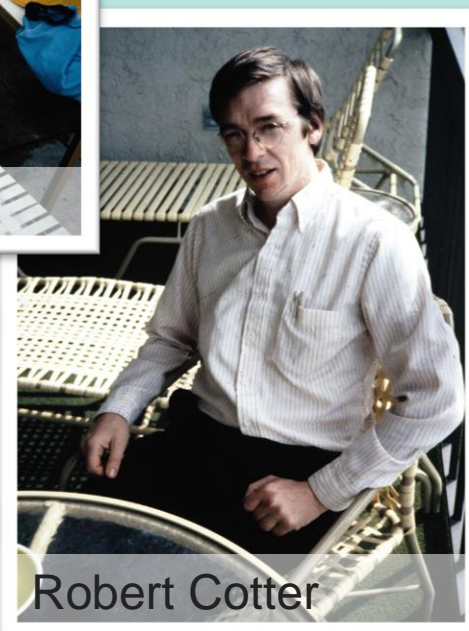
Three Happy Children



Unknown Spectrometrists



Musicians played



Robert Cotter



Yoko Ohashi, Shigeo Serizawa & Yousuke Seyama



Chip Cody

I had the good fortune to win one of the two student travel fellowships to attend the Honolulu meeting in my last summer as a graduate student. I was interviewing at the conference for a job. In the evenings I frequented a local bar/restaurant that had live music. I asked if I could sit in and play piano with the band. The band liked my performance and offered me a job "going from island to island to play in bars."
From a graduate student perspective, that sounded good. However, I was running out of money, so I decided to stick with my original plan and went to work for Nicolet.—
Chip Cody



Charles Magee, William Harrington, Bryan Bentz & Jane Gale



Bryan Bentz, Charles Magee & Jeff Shabanowitz



Dottie Lane



Chuck McEwen



Sharon Pallante, Judith Watson & Yoko Ohashi

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