

# Majuro, Republic of the Marshall Islands



## ATOSSCOM



Association of Terminal Operators,  
Stevedoring and Shipping Companies of Micronesia

**51st Annual Conference, July 7-10, 2026**  
University of the South Pacific

**RAISING THE STANDARD: BUILDING A SAFER, SMARTER, AND  
SKILLED MARITIME WORKFORCE ACROSS MICRONESIA**

### Conference Program

**Tuesday, July 7**

**Registration**

11:00 – 1:00 p.m.

**Stevedoring and Terminal Operators Meeting, *Toeak Bar & Grill***  
*Sponsored by Association of Terminal Operators, Stevedoring and Shipping Companies of Micronesia (ATOSSCOM)*

5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

**Early Registration, *Marshall Islands Resort***

6:30 p.m.

**Dinner Reception, *Marshall Islands Resort***  
*Sponsored by RMI Ministry of Transportation, Communications & Information Technology, and RMI Ports Authority*

### Wednesday, July 8

8:00 – 9:30 a.m.

**Registration/Morning Refreshments**

*Sponsored by Federated Shipping Company, and Kosrae Terminal & Stevedore Company*

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

**Call to Order**

*Lee Cabrera, ATOSSCOM President*

**Opening Ceremony**

Presentation of Colors

National Anthem

Invocation

**Welcoming Remarks**

*Lee Cabrera, President, ATOSSCOM*

*Jerry Kramer, Chairman, Majuro Stevedore & Terminal Company*

*Carlson Apis, Chairman, Micronesian Shipping Commission*

**Keynote Speaker**

*Honorable Hilda C. Heine, President, Republic of the Marshall Islands*

10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

**Introductions**

Each member will have a few minutes to introduce themselves and their guest. Briefly highlight current issues and developments.



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- 11:30 – 1:00 p.m.**      **Lunch – University of the South Pacific**  
*Sponsored by Saipan Stevedore Company, and Port Authority of Guam*
- 1:00 – 1:20 p.m.**      **Retirement Plan – A Strategic Advantage for Micronesia’s Maritime Workforce**  
*Candy Chamberlain, President & CEO, ASC Trust Corporation*
- 1:20 – 1:40 p.m.**      **Building Maritime Capacity Through Student Consulting Partnerships: Lessons from MSTCo**  
*Joseph Mertz, Professor & Director, Technology Consulting in the Global Community, Carnegie Mellon University*  
*Student Consultants: Johnny Gallick & Jarrett Huang*
- 1:40 – 2:10 p.m.**      **Conference Break & Refreshments**  
*Sponsored by WAAB Transportation Company, and Truk Transportation Company*
- 2:10 – 2:30 p.m.**      **Maritime Security and National Resilience: A Shared Responsibility for the Republic of the Marshall Islands**  
*Christopher DeBrum, Director, National Security, Republic of the Marshalls Islands*
- 2:30 – 2:50 p.m.**      **Yap Sea Port Improvements**  
*Gillian Millar, West Region Operations Manager, Maritime & Coastal Engineer*
- 2:50 p.m.**              **Adjournment of First Meeting Day**
- 6:00 p.m.**              **Dinner Reception, Jitak Likatu Bar**  
*Sponsored by Pacific International Lines (PIL), Mariana Express Lines (MEL), CTSI Logistics, Eurasia Pacific Lines, Pacific Coast Agency, Sea Air Transportation Agency, Sea Land Shipping Agency, Pacific Shipping, Inc., and OIC General Agency*

## Thursday, July 9

- 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.**      **Morning Refreshments**  
*Sponsored by Micronesian Shipping Commission*
- 9:30 – 9:50 a.m.**      **Tuna Export Industry in Micronesia**  
*Glen Joseph, Executive Director, Marshall Islands Marine Resources Authority*
- 9:50 – 10:10 a.m.**      **Invasive Species**  
*Juda Langrine, Assistant Chief, Division of Quarantine, RMI Ministry of Natural Resources and Commerce*



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- 10:10 – 10:30 a.m.**      **Embracing Change for a Safer Workplace**  
*Adrian Ng, Safety Technical Manager, Swire Shipping*
- 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.**      **The Importance of Safety & Health Training**  
*Davey C. Doby, Certified Instructional Trainer, EnviroSafety Training & Consulting Services*
- 11:30 – 1:00 p.m.**      **Lunch – University of the South Pacific**  
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## ATOSSCOM BUSINESS

- 1:00 p.m.**
- I. Roll Call - Steven P. Muna, Secretary**
  - II. MSC/ATOSSCOM Discussions**
  - III. Adoption of Minutes – October 13-16, 2025**  
50th Annual Conference, Republic of Palau
  - IV. Financial Reports - George Torwan, Treasurer**
    - 1. Bank of Guam Accounts Checking and BGIS TCD
    - 2. 2026 Budget
    - 3. Regular/Associate Membership Dues Paid
    - 4. Regular/Associate 2026 Dues Received
    - 5. Past Due Accounts
    - 6. Proposed 2027 Budget
  - V. Old Business - Lee Cabrera, President**
    - 1. Alfred Santos/Kuniwo Nakamura Memorial Scholarship
    - 2. Water Transportation Training Program
- 2:45 p.m.**      **Networking & Refreshment**  
*Sponsored by Pohnpei Ports Authority*
- VI. New Business – Lee Cabrera, President**
    - 1. Election of Officers (Vice President/Treasurer)
    - 2. Association of Pacific Ports – Reciprocal Membership
  - VII. Host for 2027 Annual Conference**
  - VIII. Open Discussion**
- 4:30 p.m.**      **IX. Adjournment of Conference**
- 6:00 p.m.**      **Dinner Reception, Marshall Islands Resort**  
*Sponsored by Matson Navigation*

## Friday, July 10

- 12:00 p.m.**      **Farewell Picnic, Enemanit Island**  
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