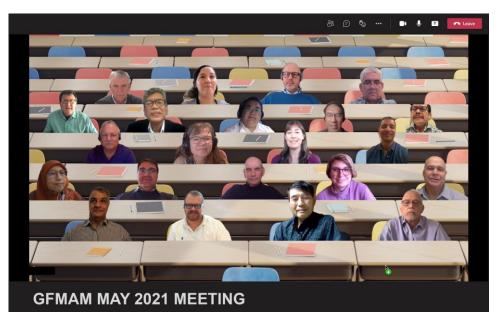


# **GFMAM COMMUNIQUE May 2021**

For over 10 years GFMAM has maintained a pace of two major meetings every year which typically span three working days held in conjunction with attendance and contributions to a member's conference. Due to the "new normal" that has been brought about by COVID-19 the GFMAM intends, going forward, to having at least one of these meetings virtually and the other face to face if possible. Our May 2021 meeting was held virtually with a schedule of 6 x 4-hour meetings over a two-week period accommodating attendees from global time zones.

## Attendees



Front Row: João Lafraia (ABRAMAN), Christian Roberts (IAM), Zensuke Matsuda (JIPM), Celso de Azevedo (IFRAMI)

Second Row: Roznita Othman (MAPMA), Johannes Coetzee (SAAMA), Wout Theuws (EFNMS), Edmea Adell (IFRAMI), John Hardwick (AMC)

Third Row: Bruce Hawkins (SMRP), Cindy Snedden (PEMAC), Susan Lubell (PEMAC), Saad Al Ulaimi (GSMR) Fourth Row: Vlad Bacalu (SMRP), Abdullah Abd Rahman (MAPMA), Tsumoto Nakamura (JIPM), Naoki Takesue (JAAM), Dato' Ir. Hj. Mohamad Zulkefly bin Sulaiman (MAPMA)

Back Row: Dave Daines (AMC), Samira (BEMAS), Wim Vancauwenberghe (BEMAS), Mahmood Mirza (GSMR)

### **GFMAM** has a New Member

We are pleased to welcome a new GFMAM member: MAPMA – The Malaysian Asset and Project Management Association.

MAPMA was formed in 2008 by the Public Works Department of Malaysia. It is a non-profit organization composed of leaders in the public and private sectors, business owners, industry professionals and academia experienced in infrastructure assets development, implementation, and maintenance.





# **Progress on Projects**

### **Recently Completed:**

## **Maintenance Framework Project**

This project was aimed at revising the Maintenance Framework document to a second edition. This project has been completed and published on the GFMAM website under the "Publications" menu. There have been over 100 downloads of the document so far and we invite you to add to that number by visiting: https://gfmam.org/webform/download-the-maintenance-framewo

### Asset Management Landscape Review

The first phase review of the GFMAM Asset Management Landscape document was successfully completed by several member organisations to gauge the need for a full revision. This project engaged a wide range of international organisation members in delivering comprehensive feedback on improvements and changes to be considered in a proposed revision of the current 2nd Edition of the AM Landscape. It was unanimously agreed that the revision process should be commenced under the project leadership of the AM Council. A steering committee will be established to manage the project direction and governance whilst ensuring that members of the GFMAM community are able to actively contribute to the process. There is clear understanding that this project has many stakeholders around the world and that the outcome will be the publishing of a contemporary view on Asset Management (GFMAM AM Landscape 3rd Edition) that can be used to support the development of further thinking and maturity of individuals and organisations with respect to Asset Management. A project aimed at tracking references to ISO 55000 related document (Project 16) will be conducted in parallel to this project. This will ensure that the future changes can be mapped by those member organisations that have used the current version of the AM Landscape to assist in the transition to the 3rd Edition when published.

### **Pending Publication:**

## **Asset Management Maturity Projects**

More organisations are achieving conformance with ISO 55001; and some are starting to explore how they can deliver greater value to stakeholders through increasing their maturity in Asset Management. The GFMAM has three documents pending on the subject of Asset Management maturity that reflect global consensus on what is meant by Asset Management maturity, how to assess organisations' Asset Management maturity and what capabilities are required in assessors approaching this subtle and complex task. The new titles which will be available soon are, "Guidelines for Assessing Asset Management Maturity - First Edition – English", "Asset Management Maturity - Second Edition – English", "Specification for an Asset Management Maturity Assessor - First Edition – English".

## **Assessor Competency Specification Review**

This project was an in-depth review of the current GFMAM document, GFMAM ISO55001 Auditor/Assessor Specification. A technical review group comprising of a cross-section of members

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reviewed the structured competency specification. This project has been completed and will be published soon.

## Asset Management System Scheme Specification

This ISO 55001 Asset Management Scheme document has been sent to Accreditation Bodies globally for consultation and feedback on their interest in the guideline document and possible application. Several responses were received and checked against the Asset Management System Scheme Specification. This project has been completed and will be published soon.

## **Criteria for Evaluating Asset Management Indicators**

This project had as goal to explore the objective criteria and methodology to assess the extent to which a particular measure or indicator is relevant to Asset Management. The methodology considers whether the indicator aligns with the 39 subjects of Asset Management (ref: The Asset Management Landscape – Second Edition, GFMAM) and whether it reflects the 9 benefits of Asset Management highlighted in the ISO 55000 standard (cf. ISO 55000: 2014 Asset management - Overview, principles and terminology, pages 1-2).

The deliverable of this project is a validation model and an online tool to measure the relevance of an indicator to the principles and benefits of Asset Management actions and projects. This project has been completed and is in the process of being published. A formal link to the tool will be available on the GFMAM website in due course.

## **Projects Gaining Momentum:**

### **World Maintenance Day**

This project will be aimed at establishing and promoting a World Maintenance Day by gathering support from many stakeholders and potential supporting organisations. This project is ongoing.

### Asset Management Landscape Revision

As mentioned above the Asset Management Landscape was subjected to a review by the member organizations and a decision was made this meeting to undertake a revision based on the feedback received. This project is expected to engage a broad cross section of professionals from around the world representing each of the member societies.



**Next Major GFMAM Meeting** 

GFMAM is honoured to be invited by JIPM to have the next face to face meeting in Kyoto (Japan) during Nov/Dec 2021, if COVID restrictions allow.

For information on GFMAM and its projects, please visit www.gfmam.org LinkedIn page https://www.linkedin.com/groups/4082396/

