



PROFILE

Joseph "Joe" Uno has a passion for Visionary Leadership and Strategic Change. He is dedicated to bringing his experience as a successful leader in both the For Profit and Not for Profit sectors to the world's younger leaders.

Joe recently sold his successful construction consulting firm which he founded, managed and grew from a sole proprietor to a multi-million-dollar, twenty-person firm that has become the market sector leader in the Pacific. J. Uno & Associates is well known as the go-to construction cost consulting firm by most of the local as well as multi-national Architectural and Engineering firms in the region.

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SKILLS

Visionary Leadership
Strategic Thinking
Facilitation & Communication
Design & Construction
Outside-the-Box Thinking

JOSEPH UNO

CEC, PMP, CCP

EDUCATION

Hawaii Pacific University

1979 - 1989

Bachelor of Science – Business Administration

Attained this degree by attending night classes over a ten-year period while working full time.

CAREER

Uno Consulting Group - Founder

January 2025 – Present

Recently founded to provide Executive Coaching, Facilitation, and Partnering

J. Uno & Associates, Inc. - Founder & President

April 1989 – January 2025

Founded and grew this Construction Cost Consulting firm to become the leader in the market in the Pacific.

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Executive Coach – Center for Executive Coaching

March 2025

Earned this certification in March as a step in my education as a professional Executive Coach.

Certified Cost Professional - AACE International

December 2016

Became the second Certified Cost Professional in the State of Hawaii.

Project Management Professional - Project Management Institute

October 2020

Attained this certification from the internationally respected Project Management Institute in 2020.

Value Methodology Associate – SAVE International

April 2020

This certification reflects training in Facilitation Skills and Value Methodology.

NON-PROFIT LEADERSHIP

Hawaii Public Radio – Vice Chair

July 2017 – Present

Served on the Community Advisory Board, and the Executive, Governance, and Facilities Committees

Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit (HART) – Board member

July 2020 – June 2021

Was lauded by many for his oftentimes adversarial role on this \$10+ billion-dollar project. Outspoken in areas of cost and schedule where he had domain expertise.

Hookakoo Corporation - Chair

July 2014 – June 2020

Governing Board of three Public Conversion Charter Schools in Hawaii.

Honolulu Habitat for Humanity - Chair

July 1992 – June 1999

Grew the affiliate from one house every three years to having the capacity for multiple home builds per year.