

Elina Paul Attends the PASAI 15th Congress in New Caledonia

On October 2, 2012, the PASAI inaugurated its 15th Congress in Nouméa, New Caledonia. The Congress brought together the heads and representatives from 15 Supreme Audit Institutions (SAIs) and regional audit offices from throughout the Oceania region. FSM National Public Auditor Haser Hainrick was scheduled to partake in the event representing the FSM National OPA. Due to the unexpected loss of an immediate family member, Hainrick was not able to attend. In his place, he selected Ms. Elina Paul who was already in Fiji conducting a training/workshop on communication under PASAI to represent the office.

The PASAI Congress was honored with the presence of the President and Secretary-General of the International Association of Supreme Audit Institutions (INTOSAI), along with representatives of the SAIs from China, France, and other donor partners and stakeholders. The Congress lasted about 4 days with addresses from the President and other presentations from leaders of PASAI. Elina attended all sessions and returned to the FSM National OPA with valuable information obtained during the Congress.