

5th PIANGO Council Elects New Board

The 5th PIANGO Council which was held at the PNG Institute of Public Administration, Port Moresby from 17th-19th October, elected a new Board to take PIANGO forward in the next 3 years to 2008. The new Board members bring with them diverse interest and management skills to steer PIANGO into its new strategic direction.

Chairperson

Adimaimalaga Tafunai of SUNGO. Adi is the Director of Women in Business of Samoa. She served as Board Member from 2002-2005 and was the Hon. Treasurer.

Members

1. **Sereana Saukalou of FCOSS.** Sereana, who served in the last Board as the Hon. Secretary, is the Unit Manager of the Microfinance Programme of FCOSS, Fiji.
2. **Madeleine Ayawa of UTLN Kanaky,** who was also re-elected, is the President of the Kanaky NLU, UTLN.
3. **Claire Baiteke is the Deputy Chairperson of KANGO.** Claire is a long time NGO leader in women's organizations of Kiribati.
4. **Douglas Ngwele is the Chairperson of VANGO.** Douglas also heads the Lakalakabulu Council of Chiefs of Ambae island, Vanuatu.
5. **Drew Havea is the Chair of the Tonga CSO Forum,** the Chair of Board of Tonga National Youth Congress and the Tonga Youth Volunteer Service. Drew worked for Peace Corps in Tonga for 25 years.
6. **Ahohiva Levi, a Board member of NIUANGO,** is a retired civil servant now engaged in organic farmers' association in Niue.