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JUNE 16 2005 TENTATIVE PD SEMINAR CANCELLED

The Society Executive announces with regret that it has not been possible to organize an additional PD seminar for June 16 as hoped. The intention had been to repeat the presentations and workshops from the highly successful April 27 seminar on Systems Projects Delivery. Unfortunately, both PM Stacey Cerniuk, PMP and the Society executive have other commitments which could not be deferred to pursue this possibility. A June seminar had not been contemplated when the annual program was planned last November.

We know this will be a disappointment to the many PMPs who have been frustrated in their attempts to register for the three sold out seminars so far this year. One of the keys to offering more PD opportunities through the Society will have to be more help from the PMPs, especially volunteers for the role of Seminar Project Manager.

The good news is that the repeat of the February seminar, Ethical and Legal Issues in PM, will go ahead in October as previously announced.

REMAINING PD SEMINARS
PLANNED FOR 2005

The three PD seminars currently planned for the remainder of the year are:

September 28 - Facilities & Infrastructure
Alberto Cayuela, PMP, Project Manager
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October 26 - Legal and Ethical Issues in Project Management, a repeat of the sold-out February 22 seminar Contact Michael Vande Guchte, PMP

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November 22 - Initiating Systems Projects & AGM Sylvia Van Dommelen, PMP, Project Manager svandommelen@fincentric.com STRICTLY VOLUNTEER - YOUR ROLE IN THE SOCIETY

The Society is based on the principle that we learn from each other, and each of us has valuable experience to share, or facilitation and management skills to contribute.

Unless a volunteer Project Manager steps forward from the ranks of the local PMPs, a seminar does not proceed.

We do have volunteer PMP presenters and workshop leaders for the remaining seminars, but more are needed. Each PMP is a candidate for any of the roles on a seminar.

In addition to the Project Manager, these are the roles on the management team for each seminar. Additional volunteers are invited for all. One person may be asked to do two or more jobs:

Technical Program
Binder Co-ordination
Facilities and Food
Registration and Collection
Evaluation Report

Please contact the appropriate PM above, or Society President Ray Parent, PMP,

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