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SUSTAINABLE FACILITIES AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS 25TH PM PROFESSIONAL DAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2005

The Twenty-fifth PM Professional Day will be held on Wednesday, September 28th, 2005 at the Holiday Inn, Metrotown. Register now with Teresa Marshall at <u>teresa.marshall@ambit-consulting.com</u>. Do not reply to this email; instead, send a new message to Teresa Marshall.

Anyone wishing to volunteer to help can contact the PM for the day: Alberto Cayuela P.Eng, PMP at <u>acayuela@stantec.com</u>. There is an opening in the program for two workshops. We also need one person at the registration desk and one person to compile evaluation results.

Program: A full day of presentations and interactive workshop sessions devoted to PM challenges in implementing renewable energy, sustainable development, and infrastructure renewal projects.Our agenda for the day will include the following presentations and workshop sessions:

THE CENTRE FOR INTERACTIVE RESEARCH ON SUSTAINABILITY - BEYOND LEED PLATINUM. What it takes to make an innovative, high performance building happen - Presentation by Dr. John Robinson and Martin Nielsen, P.Eng, MAIBC, LEED AP

TEAM BUILDING/MULTI-LAYER RESOLUTION & PROBLEM SOLVING ON GVRD PROJECTS - Presentation and workshop on managing stakeholder participation in projects by Mark Ferguson.

A CAPITAL PROJECTS BUDGETING TOOL - Interactive Presentation by Ken Pepin, PMP

## ECOTREK AND OTHER INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL PROJECTS AT UBC-Presentation by Jorge Marques, P.Eng. ECOTREK is the largest energy and water efficiency retrofit in Canada

THE GREEN VISION FOR SOUTH EAST FALSE CREEK AND THE SUSTAINABILITY PRECINCT. How the City of Vancouver is leading the way to a greener, more sustainable urban development future. - Presentation by Tom Osdoba, P.Eng,

THE HYDROGEN HIGHWAY PROJECT -- Presentation and Workshop by Alison Grigg, P.Eng, MBA. The challenges and opportunities of the Hydrogen Highway project.

Call for Workshop Leaders and Volunteers

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We have room for two more workshops at the September 28th PD Seminar. One will follow Jorge Marques's presentation and the other will follow Tom Osdoba's presentation. If you have a workshop you would like to facilitate, please contact Alberto Cayuela ASAP at 604-696-8403 (work) or 778-228-1005 (cell). We prefer workshops that are aligned with the theme for the day, but will consider all topics. WE NEED YOUR HELP!!

In addition, we need one volunteer for the registration desk the morning of the event and one person to compile evaluation results. Email Alberto if you can help <u>acayuela@stantec.com</u>

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Holiday Inn Metrotown 4405 Central Boulevard Salon's A & B Wednesday, September 28, 2005 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM 7:45 AM Registration - Coffee, Juice, Continental Breakfast Buffet Lunch Inclusive fee: \$55 Free underground parking at the hotel REGISTRATION WILL BE LIMITED TO FIFTY (50) ATTENDEES Registration Deadline: Midnight Friday September 23, 2005.

Seminar participants can claim seven PDUs for the day. We now have confirmation from PMI that, in addition to the time they spend as participants, Presenters can claim ten PDUs and Workshop Leaders can claim five PDUs for serving in those roles.

Registration Policy - Fine Print

Registration for a seminar does not open until a registration notice, such as this one, is broadcast. There is no provision for advance registration. Only those applications received after the time of broadcast will be considered.

Every application to register received will be considered a firm offer to register and to pay the full fee. Applications will be accepted strictly in the order in which they are received by the seminar Registration Manager, Linda Molinari. Every application will be acknowledged by email. Once the registration limit is reached, a waiting list will be started. Cancellations

will be accepted up to midnight, Friday, September 23, 2005. Those on the waitlist will be accepted in priority order if spaces become available, and the waitlist candidate will be notified of acceptance by email. A waitlist candidate must cancel to be removed from the waitlist.

The Society is not responsible for ensuring that any registrant has received notification of acceptance. Any registrant who does not show is expected to pay the full seminar fee. Accepted registrants who fail to pay the full seminar fee will be prohibited from registering at future events until the payment is received.

Payment by cheque is preferred. Cash is accepted; please try to bring exact change. No credit cards or Interac (debit cards) are accepted.

The Registration Manager for the September Seminar is Teresa Marshall, PMP, teresa.marshall@ambit-consulting.com

FRUSTRATED APPLICANTS ON THE WAITLIST CONTACT US

The February, April, and May 2005 seminars were sold out within two days of the notice. In fact, they were oversubscribed by more than 100%!

In recognition of the frustration of those who attempted to register, but ended up on the wait list, the disappointed wait-listed registrants will be given the opportunity to register for the October repeat seminar one week in advance of the general notice. Unfortunately, because of a computer mix up, the Society does not have a complete record of the frustrated waitlist applicants. We need these people to identify themselves.

If you were one of those who submitted an application in February, April, or May, 2005, but did not get a seat, please contact Mike Vande Guchte, PMP <a href="mikevg@radiant.net">mikevg@radiant.net</a> . Put "Frustrated" in the subject line of your message.

PD SEMINARS PLANNED FOR 2005

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

- October 26 Legal and Ethical Issues in Project Management, a repeat of the sold-out February 22 seminar Contact Michael Vande Guchte, PMP <u>mikevg@radiant.net</u>
- November 22 Initiating Systems Projects & AGM Sylvia Van Dommelen, PMP, Project Manager svandommelen@fincentric.com

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## ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS INVITED

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Additional volunteers are invited to complete the slate of presenters, workshop leaders, and team members. Please contact the appropriate PM above. In addition to providing items for the technical programs, there are opportunities to assist the project managers in roles such as registration manager, technical program co-ordination, binder production and evaluation report preparation.

SUCCESSFUL PD SEMINAR -MAY 25, 2005

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Linda Molonari, PMP was the Project Manager for the seminar on May 25, 2005, the Society's third for this year. The presenters and workshop leaders for this successful event, "Project Management without Borders", are listed below:

SETTING UP A PMO - Susan Mogan, PMP.

PROJECT MANAGEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING - Cynthia Caine, PMP.

APPLYING ACTIVE LEARNING IN PROJECT MANAGEMENT TRAINING -Rob Clark PMP

USING TRAINING TO MANAGE CHANGE AND OVERCOME RESISTANCE -Anne Schwartz, PMP.

PROFESSIONALS VANCOUVER - ARE WE READY FOR MENTORING? - Dele Omueti PMP.

ARE PM SKILLS PORTABLE AMONG INDUSTRIES? - Linda Molinari, PMP

ABOUT THE SOCIETY - WEBSITE ADDRESS

The Society of PM Professionals is a voluntary, democratic organization of PMP®s in the Greater Vancouver area, who are dedicated to the achievement of their common purposes in the profession through mutual support, co-operation, and collective effort.

There are more than 340 PMPs in the Vancouver area who receive notices of Society events.

The Society holds at least three Professional Development Seminars in Vancouver each year.

The Professional Development Seminars feature technical presentations and workshop facilitation by PMP®s for the purpose of continuing professional development. The seminar is intended for PMP®s. However, a PMP® may invite guests who are committed to the advancement of the Profession. Practitioners who plan to become certified as PMP®s are welcome in particular.

For more information on the Society: <a href="http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/">http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/</a>

CONTACT THE OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

At the November 30, 2004 Annual Meeting, the officers of the Society were elected for a one year term.

President: Ray Parent, PMP rayparent@shaw.ca

Secretary Treasurer: Joan Hambury, PMP joanhambury@shaw.ca

Registrar: Walter Wawruck, PMP wawruck@intouch.bc.ca

If you have not yet filled in a membership application, contact Walter Wawruck, PMP, download one from the website, or complete a form at the May seminar.

Please let us know if you wish to receive notices from the Society at a different e-mail address.