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Sent: November 5, 2009 1:27 PM
Subject: November 25, 2009 PD Seminar - Register Now

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 Email Registration Manager Vlad Cohen, PMP  
 At [vladcohen@yahoo.ca](mailto:vladcohen@yahoo.ca) to Register  
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 IN THIS MESSAGE:

 First Notice of November 25, 2009 PD Seminar
 "Managing Human Resources in a Project Environment"
 & the Annual General Meeting
 Program Planning for 2010 - Opportunities for
 Presenters and Workshop Leaders
 Successful Seminar Held September 23, 2009
 About the Society - Website www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof
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 NOVEMBER 26, 2008 PD SEMINAR
 MANAGING HUMAN RESOURCES IN A PROJECT ENVIRONMENT
 & THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:
 46TH PM PROFESSIONAL DAY
 FIRST NOTICE

 The 46th PM Professional Day will be held on Wednesday, November 25th, 2009
 at the Holiday Inn, Metrotown. Register now with Vlad Cohen, PMP at
vladcohen@yahoo.ca . Do not reply to this email; instead, send a
 new message to Vlad Cohen.

OUTLINE
 Effectively managing human resources from the outset in any project offers
 the best chance of project success.

Our agenda for the day will include these presentations and workshop
 sessions:

PROJECT MANAGERS: GETTING THINGS DONE - Jim Tucker, PMP

PLANNING A PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM - Walter
 Wawruck, PMP. A participatory workshop in which the seminar
 participants will plan and organize a specific program of
 professional development activities aimed at the educational
 needs of Vancouver area PMPs. Break-out groups will recommend
 topics, knowledgeable presenters, and workshop facilitators,
 with a focus on the needs of practitioners in the various
 fields of practice within our community, such as engineering-
 construction, information systems and technology, new-product
 development, and business process change.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS - Chaired by Denise Holleran-Boswell, PMP. The AGM is open to any Society members who wish to attend, not just the seminar registrants who are there. See more details in the separate announcement.

COACHING AND MENTORING - Sue Drinnan, CEC. An interactive workshop

HOW TO IMPLEMENT PROJECT MANAGEMENT AT A (VERY) FUNCTIONAL ORGANIZATION - Jamal Moustafaev, MBA, PMP

STRENGTH BASED FACILITATION - Chris Dennis, PMP will lead a workshop designed to offer you tips and techniques that every project manager needs to be a successful facilitator.

~~~~~ Location ~~~~~

Holiday Inn Metrotown  
4405 Central Boulevard  
Salon's A & B  
Wednesday, November 25, 2009  
8:30 AM to 4:30 PM  
7:45 AM Registration - Coffee, Juice, Continental Breakfast  
Buffet Lunch  
Inclusive fee: \$75  
Free underground parking at the hotel

REGISTRATION WILL BE LIMITED TO FIFTY (50) ATTENDEES  
Registration Draw Cut-off: Midnight Thursday November 12, 2009  
Cancellation Deadline: Midnight Wednesday November 18, 2009.

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.

This is a full-day seminar. If you register it is understood that you plan to attend for the entire day. If you leave early it is a discourtesy to your fellow professionals. Another PMP from the wait-list has been denied the opportunity to attend, and the presenters at the end of the day are slighted.

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"NOTICE"
LOTTERY SYSTEM FOR REGISTRATION
Registration Policy - Fine Print

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For the November 25, 2009 seminar, a lottery shall be used to determine which applications for registration are chosen for acceptance, in accordance with the rules set out below.

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.

Each application received by the Registration Manager prior to midnight November 12, 2009 will be assigned a random priority number. Applications

will be accepted for registration in priority sequence until the registration limit is reached. The remaining applications will be placed on a wait list in priority sequence. Each application received after midnight November 12, 2009 will be assigned the next sequential priority number in the order it is received

Each application will be acknowledged and each acceptance will be confirmed by email.

Each application received will be considered a firm offer to register and to pay the full fee. Cancellations will be accepted up to midnight, Wednesday November 18, 2009. Those on the waitlist will be accepted in priority order if spaces become available prior to the cancellation deadline. A waitlist candidate will be notified of acceptance by email. A waitlist candidate must cancel to be removed from the list.

The Society will issue an email notice of acceptance to the address provided in the registration application, but is not responsible for ensuring that any registrant has received the 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 applying for registration 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 November 25, 2009 Seminar is  
Vlad Cohen, PMP,  
[vladcohen@yahoo.com](mailto:vladcohen@yahoo.com)

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**CALL FOR VOLUNTEER PRESENTERS AND  
MANAGEMENT TEAMS - 2010 PROGRAM**  
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At the November 25 Seminar, a workshop session will be devoted to planning a program of professional development events for 2010. As input to the workshop, we would like to identify in advance a slate of potential presenters, workshop leaders, and management team volunteers. Please advise us of your availability and willingness to serve. Contact the workshop leader Walter Wawruck, PMP  
[wawruck@intouch.bc.ca](mailto:wawruck@intouch.bc.ca)

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.

Each PMP is a candidate for any of the roles on a seminar.

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

In addition to technical presenters, workshop leaders, and 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

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SUCCESSFUL PD SEMINAR - SEPTEMBER 23, 2009  
PROJECT MANAGEMENT MATURITY IN  
ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION

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The September 23rd, 2009 seminar was once more a sold out event!

The agenda, organized by Project Manager Linda Flegel, PMP, included these presentations and workshop sessions:

VALUE ENGINEERING CASE STUDY

Alady Sukumar, MBA, Ph.D., S.E., P.Eng, PMP

PM AT A CROSSROADS - THE ROLE OF PM IN GREEN BUILDINGS

Alberto Cayuela, P.Eng, PMP, LEED AP

RISK ADJUSTMENTS: PROJECT COST AND ESTIMATION

Jamal Moustafaev, MBA, PMP

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND EXPERIMENTAL DEVELOPMENT (SRED) TAX CREDIT:  
BEST PRACTICES FOR ANY INDUSTRY - George Stefan, PMP

FACILITATING INTEGRATION RIGHT FROM THE START

Chris Quaife, P.Eng, CMA, PMP

Thank-you again, to all the Workshop Leaders, Presenters, Panel Members, Volunteers and Participants for making this a successful event.

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ABOUT THE SOCIETY - WEBSITE ADDRESS

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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 450 PMP®s 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:

<http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/>

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## CONTACT THE OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

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At the November 26, 2008 Annual Meeting, the officers of the Society were elected for a one-year term.

President: Denise Holleran-Boswell, PMP

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Registrar: Walter Wawruck, PMP

[wawruck@telus.net](mailto:wawruck@telus.net)

If you have not yet filled in a membership application, contact Walter Wawruck, PMP, download one from the website, or complete an application at the November 25, 2009 seminar

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