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Subject: May 18, 2011 PD Seminar - Register Now

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 At [nucklaus@yahoo.ca](mailto:nucklaus@yahoo.ca) to Register  
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MAY 18, 2011 PD SEMINAR
 PROJECT ORGANIZATION
 54th PM PROFESSIONAL DAY
 FIRST NOTICE

The 54th PM Professional Day will be held on Wednesday, May 18, 2011 at the Holiday Inn, Metrotown. Register now with Heidi Nucklaus, PMP at nucklaus@yahoo.ca. Do not reply to this email; instead, send a new message to Heidi Nucklaus.

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

THE POWER OF VOLUNTEERISM: PROJECT MANAGEMENT IN ACTION

Karin Niescheri & Bob Prenovost, PMP
 Bob and Karin will present an overview of volunteer project management initiatives in the not for profit sector, drawing on lessons learned from recent PM-Volunteers.org projects. Using a case study, this presentation will highlight how project managers can use their professional training, experience and network to help community organizations deliver outstanding project results, on time and on budget.

PARTNERING FOR EFFECTIVE PROJECT MANAGEMENT A. P. Sukumar,

MBA, Ph.D., S.E., P.Eng, PMP. 'Partnering' concepts have been either extolled by people who have experienced its benefit or have been criticized as a "waste of time" by those who were exposed to ill-managed partnering alliances.. Partnering for a project is not expected to replace a formal contract, but is highly effective in enhancing the effectiveness of a legal agreement.

USING COLLABORATIVE TECHNOLOGIES IN PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Stan Shaw, PMP. This fast-paced, interactive workshop will provide an opportunity to gain first-hand experience with tools for collaborating with teams and stakeholders without major investments in IT infrastructure. Attendees will be given advance access to assigned software products prior to the session. Attendance with a laptop with wireless capability, while not essential, is encouraged.

TEAM MOTIVATION Akber Mohamed, PMP. We all have pretty much the same biological make up, We all have brains, hearts, emotions; yet some team member just punch in the clock and try to get through the day and some team members are willing to give it their all. What is the difference?

MOVING PROJECTS FROM CRISIS TO ORDER: CREATIVE SKILLS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION Rav Gill, PMP

This presentation and workshop will explore the ways in which project managers use creative flair together with careful planning and forecasting to overcome crisis and successfully turn projects around. We will see that chaos is not restricted to an industry, a project, or a specific global community but can occur anywhere and at any time

CMMI BASED PMO. Marko Wolf-Pany, P.Eng., PMP

This presentation explores the integration of the Capability Maturity Model-(CMMI) with the concept of the Project Management Office (PMO). The CMMI approach can be used to guide process improvement across a project, a division, or an entire organization. It helps integrate traditionally separate organizational functions.

APPLYING GENERIC PRACTICES -Marko Wolf-Pany, P.Eng., PMP

This workshop will explore how Generic Practices enable the organization to ingrain processes in the way the work is performed. Generic Practices ensure that the implementation of processes is effective, repeatable, and lasting.

~~~~~ Call for Volunteer ~~~~~

A volunteer is required to assist the Registration Manager - Heidi Nucklaus. Those interested in offering their assistance for the early morning set up and organization of the seminar may contact Heidi at nucklaus@yahoo.com or contact Project Manager, Kim Hunter, below..

For more information on the technical program and presenters, contact the Project Manager for the 54th Professional Development Seminar Kim Hunter, PMP at kim.hunter@navigata.ca

~~~~~ Location ~~~~~

Holiday Inn Metrotown
4405 Central Boulevard
Salon's A & B
Wednesday, May 18, 2011
8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
7:45 AM Registration - Coffee, Juice, Continental Breakfast
Buffet Lunch
Inclusive fee: \$80
Free underground parking at the hotel
REGISTRATION WILL BE LIMITED TO FIFTY (50) ATTENDEES
Registration Draw Cut-off: Midnight Monday May 2, 2011
Cancellation Deadline: Midnight Wednesday May 11, 2011.

Seminar participants can claim seven PDUs for the day. PMI has recently issued new rules for PDU claims by presenters and workshop leaders. See the Society website www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof

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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Registration Policy - Fine Print

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As an incentive - and reward - for service, the November 25, 2009 General Meeting of the Society approved a priority system which gives preferential access to seminar registration. Presenters, workshop leaders, management team volunteers, and retired officers will be given first priority for available seats for a period of time following their service. The remaining seats will be assigned through a lottery as has been done in the past. The list of individuals eligible for first priority seating, along with the rules for assigning available seats, can be downloaded at <http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/A-List.PDF>

For the May 18, 2011 seminar, once seats have been assigned to the presenters, the management team for the day, and the priority applicants, a lottery shall be used to determine which of the remaining 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 May 2, 2011 will be assigned to either an A-list pool or a regular pool. Each application will be given a random priority number within the pool. Available seats will first be awarded to those in the A-list pool in priority sequence. The remaining available seats will be awarded to those in the regular pool in priority sequence. Once the registration limit is reached, the remaining applications will be placed on a wait list in priority sequence, first A-list then regular. Each application received after midnight May 2, 2011 will be assigned the next sequential regular priority number in the order it is received, whether or not the applicant is on the A-list.

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 May 11, 2011. 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. There is an ATM in the hotel lobby. No credit cards or Interac (debit cards) are accepted.

The Registration Manager for the May 18, 2011 Seminar is
Heidi Nucklaus, PMP
nucklaus@yahoo.com

PD SEMINARS PLANNED FOR 2011

Two more PD seminars are currently planned for the remainder of the year.

Contact the Project Manager listed below for more information or to volunteer your services.

September 21, 2011
 "Delivering Infrastructure and Facilities"
 A volunteer Project Manager is invited

November 23, 2011
 "Managing Organizational Change and AGM"
 Jim Marshall, PMP, jim@infocusent.com

There are opportunities for additional presenters, workshop leaders, and Management Team volunteers for these seminars. Those who provide service may earn preferred access to registration in future seminars.

Please contact the Project Manager for a seminar or Duncan Wood, PMP. Society President to participate, duncan67@shaw.ca

SUCCESSFUL PD SEMINAR - APRIL 20, 2011 THE GLOBAL VILLAGE - INTERNATIONAL AND CROSS CULTURAL PROJECTS

The agenda, organized by Project Manager Judy Waywood-Cox, PMP, included these presentations and workshop sessions:

INSIDE JAPAN'S AGILE CULTURE - SELF-ORGANIZING GROUPS AT
 WORK AND IN LIFE - Geoff Wing PMP, CSM

CULTURAL INTEGRATION - Sandro Papile, PMP.

CROSS CULTURAL PROJECTS IN TELECOM - Amabel Li, PMP

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS - NON GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS
 IN KENYA AND HAITI - Marko Wolf-Pany, PMP

FIRST NATIONS HEALTH CARE - Stan Shaw, PMP

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

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 550 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:

CONTACT THE OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

At the November 24, 2010 Annual Meeting, the officers of the Society were elected for a one-year term.

President: Duncan Wood PMP
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Secretary Treasurer: Gary Murphy, PMP
diamond@axion.net

Registrar: Walter Wawruck, PMP
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 May 18, 2011 seminar

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