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NOVEMBER 27, 2002 SEMINAR
TENTH PM PROFESSIONAL DAY
REGISTER NOW

Wednesday November 27, 2002
Park Hill Hotel, Davie at Thurlow
Continental Breakfast 7:45 AM
Program: 8:15 AM to Noon, 1:00 to 4:30 PM
AGM: 12:45 to 1:00 PM
Fee \$50.00 includes seminar binder, gourmet lunch,
and refreshments
Free Parking
REGISTRATION MAY BE LIMITED BY ROOM CAPACITY

To Register: e-mail Clement Ma, P. Eng., PMP
cma@udl.com

If you have previously registered with Walter Wawruck
or Ann Schwartz, you will receive a confirmation shortly

Program: a full day of presentations and interactive workshop sessions
covering a range of Project Management issues and practices which are
important to every area of practice.

Roger King, PMP, P.Eng. Product Development Practices
- The Xantrex Way! Following the introduction and installation of
a product development process, the elements of the development
life cycle need to be defined and measured. Four project performance
measures that have been adopted by a local product development
company are examined.

Sam Wharton, P.Eng., PMP. Three Court Decisions that Changed
Project Management for Ever. Using a combination of presentations
and workshop sessions in which the participants take on the roles of
a Government Client or a Consultant, this session will examine the
impacts of three landmark court decisions, and their consequences for

project procurement.

Bryan McConachy, PMP, P.Eng. and John Lenahan, P.Eng. The Airport Connector Project - A New Way to Deliver Infrastructure. This prototype partnership between the Province and the Airport Authority successfully delivered a new \$40 million bridge and interchange. The lessons learned will be primarily about structuring project teams for success.

Ray Parent, PMP. Managing International Projects - The Challenges of Global Project Management. Ray presents findings from his own research and experience on the incremental risks and challenges encountered by global projects that are not normally present for domestic North American projects. Groups of participants will work on an interactive case study and will compare their findings.

An Schwartz, PMP is the Project Manager for the November 27 seminar. Please contact her if you would like to be involved in organizing and conducting the seminar schwartz@idmail.com

NOVEMBER 27, 2002
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY

There will be a brief Business Meeting to receive the reports of the officers and to elect the Officers of the Society for the next year. PMP Volunteers are invited for these roles. Contact Walter Wawruck to learn more about these PDU earning opportunities. doorpriz@walter-wawruck.com

OCTOBER 23 PD SEMINAR
SOLD OUT SUCCESS

Forty PMPs and fellow Project Management practitioners participated in October 23 seminar on "How Groups Think and Decide"

The program featured these presenters and workshop leaders:

- Robert Gillis and David Hogan
- Hugh Alley, PMP, P. Eng.,
- Ron Einblau
- John Thorp

BUILDING PROJECTS MANUAL
UPDATE REPORT

The January 23, 2002 Professional Day seminar was devoted to the Building Projects Practice manual. Chris Quaife, PMP and Matti Saar, PMP have played key leadership roles in the task force of industry and professional association representatives who have developed the manual.

The contributions from the presentations and workshops on January 23 are described as the biggest one-day gain for the manual!

Exposure Draft #2 of the Practice Manual is now fully posted on the Practice

Manual Task Force website: www.bcpjprojectsmanual.com The Preface and Executive Summary posted there will allow you to review the history and current status. The Business Plan being developed for the permanent operation of the manual is being modelled on the Canadian Construction Documents Committee, and is likely to involve two levels of association members.

Members of the Society, and all other interested parties, are invited to review the Exposure Draft and to comment on it via the website, or personal contact with any of the individuals on the Task Force. Target for formal issue of the manual is April 2003.

OTHER PDU OPPORTUNITIES

Here are some other events which will be opportunities to earn PDUs towards PMP recertification.

PMI West Coast BC Chapter dinner meetings. One PDU. Speaker and coffee only \$10. Dinner plus speaker \$45 PMI Member/\$45 non-member. Reserve at <http://www.pmi.bc.ca/>
November 20, 2002, Annual Meeting

Regina, South Saskatchewan PMI Chapter.
Professional Development Conference
March 24, 25 & 26th, 2003.
Eighteen to 20 PDUs.

Two days of commercial seminars and one day of symposium papers. Presenters are being solicited . Contact:
Dawn Gillies, PMP: (306) 777-1284 dawn.gillies@sasktel.sk.ca
Sherry Pratt, PMP: (306) 545-4344 dennis.ziegler@sasktel.sk.ca
Watch for announcements at <http://www.pmisouthsask.org/>

Calgary, Southern Alberta PMI Chapter.
Project Management; The Human Touch
a two-day Symposium, May 1 and 2, 2003
The call for papers is now out. contact: Terrance Malkinson
malkinst@telus.net
Watch for announcements at <http://www.pmisac.com/>

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 approximately 210 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, the Society welcomes 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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If you have not yet filled in a membership application, contact Dale
Hawley, PMP, download one from the website, or complete a form at the
November seminar.

Regards,

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Please let us know if you wish to receive notices from the Society at another
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