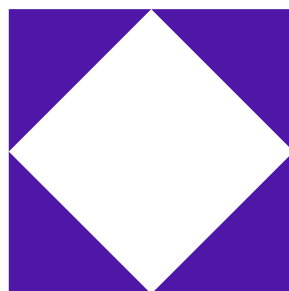
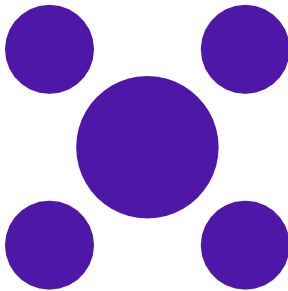






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CHAPTER PRESIDENT

Dear Members of the PMI North Saskatchewan Chapter,

As we conclude the first quarter of 2025, I would like to take a moment to reflect on the strong start to the year and share some exciting updates about what lies ahead.

A key highlight of this quarter has been the expansion of our service offerings for members. In addition to our existing services, we are pleased to introduce the following new initiatives:

- **Monthly New Member Orientation** – Helping new members integrate seamlessly into our community.
- **Speed Networking Sessions** – Providing opportunities to connect with fellow professionals.
- **In-Person Supper Learning Sessions** – Facilitating engaging discussions on key project management topics.
- **PMP Study Groups** – Supporting aspirants in their certification journey.



Additionally, PMI introduced a revised Single Membership Model at the end of February 2025. This model consolidates PMI global and chapter memberships into a single renewal, granting members enhanced access to both local and global PMI resources. We believe this change will strengthen networking opportunities and enrich the overall membership experience. More details about this transition can be found on our website: <https://www.pminorthsask.com/pmi-new-membership-model>

I would also like to extend my sincere gratitude to our dedicated Board of Directors and volunteers. Your efforts have been instrumental in fostering a vibrant and engaged chapter. Due to the overwhelming interest in volunteering, all Board, Director, and Committee positions are currently filled, with a waitlist in place. I encourage you to stay informed about future openings as they become available.

As we move forward into the year, our focus remains on delivering greater value to our members and strengthening the project management community within our chapter. Thank you for your continued support and engagement.

Warm regards,

Rohan Suresh, MBA, PMP
Chapter President
PMI North Saskatchewan

CHAPTER RESOURCES

Chapter Resources: Supporting Your Growth

At PMI North Saskatchewan, we are committed to empowering our members with the tools, knowledge, and connections they need to excel in project management. Our website, pminorthsask.com, is your go-to hub for valuable resources, events, and professional development opportunities.

Explore Our Website:

Monthly Capacity Building & Networking Events

Our monthly Capacity Building and networking events (virtual or in-person) are designed to provide interactive learning sessions that will strengthen your expertise and connections. Visit the [events](#) page to see what is planned for each month. Emails are sent monthly to remind you of upcoming events, so keep an eye out for these.

PMI-NSC Blog

Stay informed with insightful articles covering industry trends, events happening within the project management community, and leadership tips and best practices from experienced professionals (from our luncheons). You can find more on the [Blog](#) under the News section.

Mentorship Program

Get matched with a mentor or mentee to gain guidance, share experiences, and accelerate your career growth. Learn more on the [Mentorship Program](#) page.

Webinars

Did you miss the chance to join any of our past events? Access expert-led virtual sessions on emerging project management topics, past luncheon recordings, and professional development day events available on-demand on our [Webinars](#) page under the Events section and earn **PDUs!** Claim your PDUs through the PMI.org website once you finish viewing.

And Many More...

Enhance your skills with training opportunities in our [Career](#) section from our sponsors and PMI.org. Stay up to date with the chapter through the Quarterly Newsletters; and many more.



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- Interested in earning a professional certification with worldwide recognition
- Wants to earn **37.5 training hours** towards certification or **37.5 Professional Development Units (PDUs)** towards recertification

Course is presented in 5 weekly virtual sessions:

- **Session 1** (May 15) - Project Management Foundations & Roles, Processes & Domains, Integration Management
- **Session 2** (May 22) - Leadership, Build & Support Project Teams
- **Session 3** (May 29) - Scope & Schedule, Budget & Resources
- **Session 4** (June 5) - Quality of Products, Communications, Risks & Issues
- **Session 5** (June 12) - Procurement, Stakeholders, Business Environment Domain
- **BONUS: Agile Session** (May 8)

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MEMBER EVENTS

Stay engaged with the Chapter through these upcoming events. Mark your calendars and join us to expand your network and enhance your project management skills! Visit the [events calendar](#) to register for these events.

New Member Orientation

This is an introductory session welcoming new members to our chapter. Learn about the benefits of PMI membership, meet fellow professionals, and discover how to make the most of your involvement. New Member Orientation happens monthly on the last Thursday. [More info](#).

April Luncheon & Networking Event | April 15 | In-person

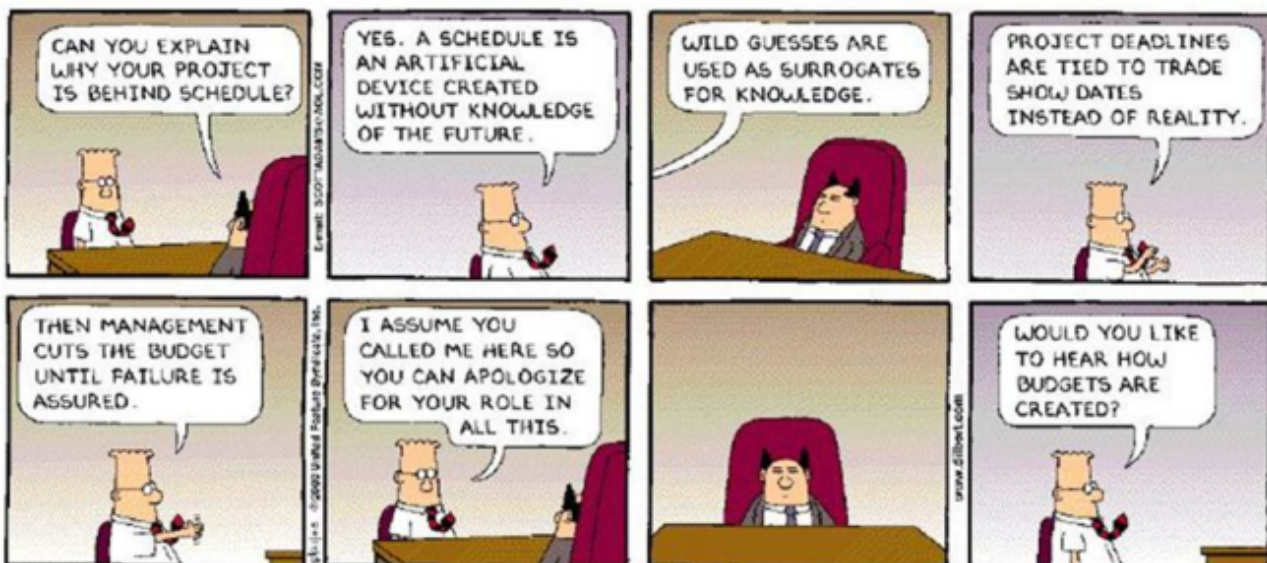
Join us for an in-person luncheon at the Delta Hotels in Saskatoon as Richard Clayton presents on ***Unlocking Success: The Essential Role of Soft Skills in Project Management***. This is an excellent opportunity to gain insights to leverage soft skills effectively and understand their significance in becoming more successful and influential at project management. Registration ends on Monday, 14th April, 2025. [Event Info](#).

May Luncheon & Networking Event | May 13 | In-person

Join us for the May luncheon at the Delta Hotels in Saskatoon as Garricks Elechi presents on ***Leveraging Change Management for Better Project Outcomes***. You will understand the dynamics that affect project-driven change and learn actionable strategies to use. [Event info](#).

June Supper & Networking Event | June 25 | In-person

Stay tuned for details about our first supper and networking event in June.



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 **7** 00 AM

 **VIRTUAL**

 **MEMBERS: \$100**
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- 1 10 Speakers**
Industry leaders and experts sharing their knowledge and experience.
- 2 Panel & Peer Discussions**
Engage in discussions on the latest trends and challenges in the industry.
- 3 Networking Opportunities**
Connect with other professionals and expand your network.
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Get more information about 2025 Virtual Spring PDD [here](#).

SPONSOR HIGHLIGHTS

EXP060.3 - Advanced Project Management & PMP® Exam Prep Seminar

Join our Gold sponsor, EXP Consulting, for their upcoming 5-day seminar on Advanced Project Management & PMP Exam prep seminar in May 2025. This seminar will provide opportunity to discuss issues with instructors, identify areas for development and deepen their understanding of advanced project management principles and techniques including Agile principles in order to successfully create and manage projects and pass the PMP® Certification exam. Find more [here](#).

Fundamentals of Project Management by U of S Edwards Executive Education

Jumpstart your projects and map out your project's course and destiny with our silver sponsor, U of S Executive Education's upcoming 'Fundamentals of Project Management' course. This interactive in-person program is hands-on and workshop-based and will be held at their downtown Saskatoon campus on April 7-9. Find more [here](#).

Introduction to Project Management 3-Day Intensive by U of R Centre for Continuing Education

Join our Gold Sponsor, U of R Centre for Continuing Education, for this 3-day intensive intro to project management program. This program fulfils the requirements for the first two courses in the Project Management Certificate program. By completing this accelerated course, you will meet the the two pre-requisite requirements in the program and receive recognition for completing both. With these foundational courses completed, you need only five additional courses to earn the full Project Management Certificate. This will be held in-person in Prince Albert, SK on May 6-8. Find more [here](#).



PMXAI Courses Available On-Demand

Artificial intelligence (AI) is here to stay. Join in leading the AI transformation where the future of project management blends AI and human ingenuity, fuelled and guided by the PMI global community. Stay ahead and lead the future of AI in project management by taking the PMI-provided AI courses for Project Management. These courses are free till 31st March, 2025. More information [here](#).

PMXPO 2025, Available on demand through January 30, 2026

Unlock the skills and insights that empower you to drive meaningful change in your projects and our world. The PMXPO videos, available on demand through January 30 2026, provide new and experienced Project Professionals the opportunity to explore PMI's groundbreaking resources, earn 12+ PDUs, and discover how the project profession is making an impact on the world's biggest challenges. [More info](#).

PMI Infinity AI Tool

PMI Infinity 2.0 is your ultimate AI-powered project management coach designed to deepen your expertise, master complex topics, and elevate your execution to maximise project success. PMI Infinity is an exclusive benefit for PMI members. Learn more [here](#).

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Whether you want to boost your leadership skills, enhance Project Management capabilities, or take the next step in your career, unlock your potential with PMI-provided expert-led courses. These trainings, tailored for Project Managers by Project Management experts, are available both in-person and virtually for free for all PMI members. Learn more [here](#).

The Official PMI Blog

Visit the [PMI Blog](#) for insightful articles on project management. You can start with the articles below.

- [8 Ways to boost Problem Solving skills](#)
- [How to Thrive in a Poorly Managed Organisation](#)
- [From Project to Product, Powered by AI \(Sort of\)](#)

PMI Global Events

Connect with project professionals worldwide, expand your knowledge, sharpen your skills, and build lasting relationships while discovering how maximising project success can elevate our world. Explore a variety of events designed to inspire and elevate your project success. Visit the [PMI events page](#) to learn about and register for such events.

Upcoming events

- Global Summit Series Europe 2025 | 7 - 8 April
- PMI Global Summit Series APAC 2025 | 25 - 26 June