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ACTIONS BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1. The Chair presented the 2005 budget to the Board of Directors for approval. The budget was approved by the Board by a vote of 7 votes in favor and 0 votes against.
2. The following proposal was presented to the Board of Directors for approval:

“Authorize a program in which the Project Management Institute Design-Procurement-Construction Specific Interest Group, Inc. funds a portion of the travel for its Directors’ attendance of the Leadership meetings. The purpose of this program will be to remove the question of funding from the decision to attend or not attend this function which is important to the creation and maintenance of the vision for the future of the organization. I propose that we budget financial assistance for up to one Director of the PMI Design Procurement Construction SIG to attend the each regional PMI Leadership Meeting each year. The Director that is traveling is expected to use discretion and exercise their fiduciary responsibility to the members of the PMI Design Procurement Construction SIG in making travel arrangements. Expenses to be reimbursed will be limited to round trip air fare and hotel for the period of the Leadership Meeting. Expenses shall not exceed that budgeted for the specific meeting for that fiscal year without prior Board approval. Other expenses that are necessary to conduct a successful meeting (e.g., registration fees, meals, etc.) should be budgeted and reimbursed as a part of the meeting expense and are not included in this incentive program.

The Director’s obligation in return for this opportunity shall be to advance the development of the PMI Design Procurement Construction SIG for the region that they attend. An agenda of the objectives and related activities in which the Director expects to engage should be distributed to the SIG Leadership Team in advance of the

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meeting. The Director will report on the level of success for each objective within thirty (30) days following the meeting.”

Amendment 1 was submitted as follows:

“The air fare to be reimbursed shall be limited to coach or economy class as defined by the individual airline. Hotel reimbursement shall be limited to the rate offered to registered meeting attendees at the primary conference hotel. The Chair will be responsible to ensure that as many Directors attend these meetings as possible and may appoint a non-Director to attend in the event that coverage cannot be achieved with the Directors. Participation in this incentive program is limited to one meeting per person annually. Any deviation from these limitations must be approved by the Board of Directors.”

Both the proposal and the amendment were approved by the Board of Directors by a vote of 6 votes in favor and 0 votes against.

PMI Elections 2005

It's that time again -- time to vote for PMI Directors for the 2006-2008 term. In preparation for your vote, I strongly urge you to review each candidate's education, professional background, and volunteer experiences, as well as their ideas and visions for the future and select the individuals that you believe will best represent our industry and SIG's interest. You can access the election site by visiting <https://www.intelliscaninc.com/pmi2005.htm> and enter your PMI ID along with the validation number sent by PMI Global Operations Center. The deadline is **5:00 p.m. U.S. Eastern Daylight Time, (GMT-4), Monday, 22 August 2005**, so don't forget to make your vote count.

Membership Survey 2005

The DPC SIG Leadership Team is working on a survey to find out your interests and how we can better serve you. We understand that surveys can take time, but this survey will have no more than ten questions and should take just a few minutes of your time. We sincerely appreciate your input, so please keep your eyes open for the survey announcement.

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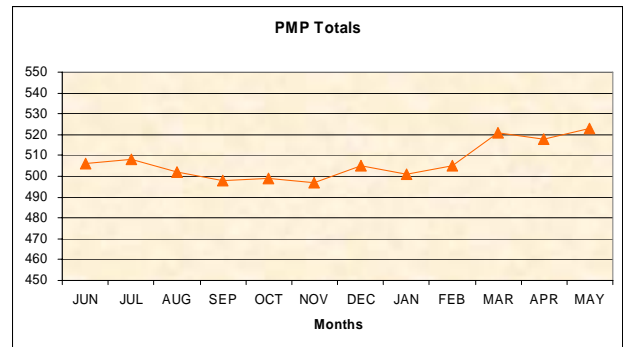
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PMI DPC SIG Membership Report (as of 31 May 2005)

Current DPC SIG Membership: 1,640 [-0.9% since February 28, 2004]

Current DPC SIG PMPs: 523 [1.6% since February 28, 2004]



Welcome our New Members:

March

Hussein A. Ahmed El Obey, M.D.; Yousef H. Al Hosani; Suleiman s Al-Medeiheem; Mazharuddin Ansari, P.E.; Michael L Black, P.E.; Paul Cheng; Thomas E. Coalson, II; Nicholas D. Dartnall; Cindy P. Davis; Chandrahasan Dharmalingam; Mohamed S. El Shrkawi, Sr.; Ronald P Erikson; William S. Fanning; Dries Ali Dion Goosens; Steven W. Green; Antonio C. Grilo, Ph.D.; Muhammad Farooq Hafiz Qureshi; John David Harrison, PMP; Scott J. Hernishin; Greg R. Hurley, P.E.; Ernest C. Inglehart; Carl F. Lange; Gary L. Mills, II; Donal G. Morrissey, B.Eng, M.P.M; Brian J. Nuss; Kevin Parikh, PMP; Young Soo Park, P.E.; Jennifer C. Porter; Javier Puerta; Stephane Racloz; Hardy E. Reider; Emerlito C. Rivera; Marcelo M. Roldos; Yair Rosenberg; Roberto M Sahlit, Sr.; Luke G. Santee; Bassam E. Shehadeh; Ravi S. Sondh; Brian J. Tarallo; Craig T. Taylor; Gaby B. Tayoun, Esq.; Graham Howard Smith Todd; Jolanda M. Vergouw; Bruce F. Walker, PMP; Carol Warkoczewski; Dewey R. White; Friedrich J. Wieser; Stephen J. Wilson; William L. Wilson; Wickham Zimmerman

April

Helder Aguiar; Reyad A. Al-Tourah; Mary A. Atwell; Miguel A. Baez; Goutam Banerjee; Gary L. Barnes; Sam R. Bays; John Aman Blanchard, P.E.; Clark F. Euale, P.E.; Cynthia R. Fells; Didi Frenchel; Judith F. Furie; Steven W. Gallant; Mário A. Gomes; Nishant H. Gujarati; Jorge I. Herrera; James M. Jordan; Robert G. Knudson, PMP; Ray S. Leonard; Michael F. LeStrange; Obinna P. Metuh; Frank Miceli; Levi E Morales, P.E.; Jonathan R. Percy; Jonmark Pierce; Richard D. Piercy, PMP; Ravi Rambujoo; Sannaapu V. S. Swamy; Rodrigo M. Sada; Ashish Sareen; Arafat J. Shartuny; Charles A. Sims; Kepton K. Smith, PMP; Rajagopal Srinivasan; James M Stankey; Laura M. Wayman; Mark A. Wilson

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May

Shanavas Abdul Majeed; Dr. Artem V. Aleshin; Waleed M. Alqahtani, P.E.; Oby F. Arnold, III; Marguerite A. Aulik, PMP; Emad Awwad; Curtis A. Baker; Felix F. Barraza; Robert E. Bronson; Lucian G. Constantin; Camille Crichton-Sumners; Lucy H. Crosby Price; John D. Currey, Jr.; Charlotte J. Dunning, PMP; Abdulkarim H. El Mahmoud; Jeffery F. Fidler; Ben Q. Fowler; Robert K. Gey, P.E.; Kelly Gutierrez del Arroyo; Tony Gyuro; Thomas J. Haag, P.E.; John C. Hart; C. Victor Hunt; Augustus M. Hunter, P.E.; Mehdi Jamili; Gwendolyn A. Jewiss; Leonard Kozlov; Eric E. Krieg; Jean-Frederic Lalonde; Michael C. Liu; Sharon D. Long; Mauricio Lopez; Chris C. McCarty; Walter A. McGrosky; Lisa I. Montemayor; Carl A. Morris, Jr.; Richard N. Murray; Carlos D. Nascimento; Robert W. Natsch, Jr.; Rebecca Neth Townsend; Josef M. Niedermuller; Ahmad S. Noorzay; Rita M. Norat; Mukesh B. Oza; Ryan Keith Palazzo, PMP; Omar C. Peck, Jr.; George I. Perumayan; Mark J. Popplewell; Michael A. Provenzano; Felix Reinberg; Sian M. Richards; Denis G. Robert; James P. Roensch; David Sabatier; Guillaume Savard; Atul R. Shah; Dennis A. Shomko; Klaus M. Steinke; Alberto S. Szajnman; Kay Hwa Tan; Debbie Taylor; Jihad Usta; Jeffrey L. Whelan, P.E.; Darryl O. Wilkinson; Jack Wong; John F. Ziemann

Book quickly to take the PMP® Credential Examination before the update is released.



Some of you may have received your letters of eligibility and wish to take the PMP credential examination prior to the update that will be released on 30 September. If so, you should book quickly, as seats in testing centers are filling-up. PMI is working with Prometric to increase the number of seats, extend center hours and schedule paper and pencil exam dates in response to heightened demand. Still, space can not be guaranteed at any Prometric Testing Center and candidates' action to book quickly is essential. Candidates who may be closed out of a desired testing location or date are encouraged to revisit [Prometric](http://www.prometric.com) online in case availability has increased. <http://securereg3.prometric.com/>

Applications to take the current PMP examination will be accepted until Monday, 29 August 2005 and testing must be completed by 24 September 2005. Candidates submitting applications after 29 August will take the 2005 Examination. Candidates who do not receive a passing score on the 2004 Examination will be permitted to re-take the 2004 examination for a period of one year from the date of their last attempt; however, these will be the only candidates permitted to take the 2004 Examination after the release of the 2005 Examination. The 2004 Examination will be based on ***A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide)–2000 Edition***, (<http://www.pmibookstore.org/PMIBookStore/productDetails.aspx?itemID=111&v>)

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[arID=1](#)) while the 2005 Examination will be based on **A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide)–Third Edition.** (<http://www.pmibookstore.org/PMIBookStore/productDetails.aspx?itemID=369&varID=1>)

WEBSITE UPDATED

Take a look at the updated DPC SIG website. The new look is very streamlined and more efficient, not to mention very professional. Thanks to Paula Anderson for the update. <http://www.dpcsig.org>

NEWSLETTER EDITORS REPORT

Look forward for the Next Newsletter in October. We are always looking for articles relevant to the DPC SIG. Why not author an article to share with other members? Not only will you be sharing your knowledge and experience but you will benefit by developing your writing and communication skills.

If you have any articles, notices, or comments about the newsletter I would like to hear them. Please email vccommunications@dpcsig.org

MEMBER BENEFITS

Tradeline Inc. is offering discounts to DPC SIG members for the upcoming "[Leading-edge Management Models for Capital Projects and Facilities Management](#)" seminar in San Diego, California, USA 1-2 August 2005.

The [Construction Management Association of America \(CMAA\)](#) is offering DPC SIG members discounts to CMAA conferences.

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D-P-C SIG website: <http://www.dpcsig.org>

D-P-C SIG E-Group: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/dpc-sig>

PMI website: <http://www.pmi.org>

PMP Certification: http://www.pmi.org/info/pdc_pmp.asp

Continuing Certification Requirements: http://www.pmi.org/info/pdc_pmpccr.asp

Exam Scheduling <http://www.2test.com/>

PMI Book Store:

<http://www.pmi bookstore.org>

<http://www.pmi bookstore.org/comingsoon.asp>

Seminars World®:

http://www.pmi.org/info/PDC_eSeminarsWorld.asp?nav=0404

PMI Career Headquarters:

http://www.pmi.org/info/pdc_careerhqoverview.asp?nav=408

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http://www.pmi.org/info/AP_VolunteerOverview.asp?nav=0211



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