



Southern New England Chapter of PMI

Making Southern New England better through Project Management™

Annual Meeting & Chapter Meeting - Tuesday, February 24th

Realize your Potential with Microsoft Project with David Ingram, PMP

Requirements for Deploying Packaged Software and SaaS Solutions with Geraldine Mongold, PMP

Baci Grill, 134 Berlin Rd, Cromwell, CT

Agenda

- 5:00 - 5:30pm** - Registration and Networking
- 5:30 - 6:00pm** - SNEC Annual Meeting - Carin Salonia, President
- 6:00 - 6:30pm** - Dinner
- 6:20 - 8:20pm** - Main Presentations (Two!)
- 8:20 - 8:45pm** - Wrap-up and Networking

Cost: (add \$5 if not pre-registered)

\$30 for SNEC Members

\$40 for Non-SNEC Members

PDU: 2.0

PM for this event: [Mary Frances Gorgas](#).

Registration: Deadline is Sunday, February 22nd



Carin Salonia, our chapter president and the SNEC-PMI Chapter Board of Directors invite you to join them at the February chapter meeting for our Annual Meeting. Carin will review the past year's accomplishments, and answer any questions. *The annual meeting portion of the evening is free for anyone to attend.*

Main Presentations Overview

Realize your Potential with Microsoft Project

Do you feel like you could be doing more with Microsoft Project if you had some mentoring from an expert? Do you occasionally find it challenging to get the tool to do what you want? Have you wondered how the tool automatically schedules the way it does? Want to make sure you are getting the most out of the tool? If so, you will find this presentation very valuable. We will spend time discussing the "Duration Equation" and how the tool uses Task Type, Effort Driven and task data to automatically schedule your tasks the way you want them to. We will also show you how you manage your resource names efficiently, how to use the Timeline view and the power of the built in reports.

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David Ingram, PMP, MCTS, MCP - David is currently a Senior Consultant, Project Manager and Instructor for the PPM Practice at BlumShapiro. He has over 25 years of project experience. In addition to his certification as a PMP, David is a Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS) in Project Server 2010 and 2013, and Microsoft Project 2007, 2010 and 2013.

Requirements for Deploying Packaged Software and SaaS Solutions

Your organization is purchasing software instead of building it. Since the software exists already, they don't need requirements for it, right? Wrong! Requirements are every bit as important in these types of projects as on new development, but the level of detail and the most important types of requirements information are different. This presentation will describe how to define requirements for selecting packaged software applications or software-as-a-service solutions, including a practical solution evaluation approach. We also describe how to define requirements for implementing the packaged software in an organization after it has been selected. Techniques will be described for capturing configuration, integration, extension, data requirements, as well as the inevitable business process changes.

Geraldine Mongold, PMP - Geraldine Mongold is a product manager at Seilevel, a company whose mission is to redefine the way software requirements are developed. As a consultant at Seilevel, she helps customers create software project requirements that meet their business objectives while reducing project scope and cost. A former resident of McLoud Oklahoma, Geraldine now hangs her hat in south Austin, where she spends her free time trying to grow a garden in solid limestone.



President's Message

By Carin Salonia, PMP

Happy New Year!

As I reflect back on 2014, I continue to be so proud of the accomplishments of our volunteer organization. We continue to **deliver high quality meetings, networking events, continuing education, special events and an annual conference and workshop** that attracts over 700 project management professionals. In total, we support and provide service to over **1,700 project management professionals** in our chapter. Our education events achieve a **greater than 95% PMP certification pass rate**, our survey results indicate **high satisfaction** with the chapter services, and event feedback is **highly positive** for relevant content, accomplished speakers and knowledge.

With that pride, comes a realization. With **limited volunteer resources** we must focus and provide only those services that have value and meaning to our membership. What that means is everything we do, every event or meeting we commit to, every communication we send and post on our website is exactly what our members need, value and want from our chapter. That our chapter remains **relevant, timely, engaging and provide opportunities** for project, program and portfolio management to thrive and achieve results. That's why we exist. Our mission is "to provide resources, professional development and networking opportunities to enhance project management". Ultimately, our vision is to achieve "**A better Southern New England through Project Management**" - where project management is valued, utilized and the outcome is through discipline, competency and experience, and attributed to success in Southern New England.

What does this mean?

We will continue to ask you for **feedback**.

We will ask you to **volunteer**, to enable us to provide these services. Coordinate one meeting, write a newsletter article, PM a committee. There are many opportunities for you to contribute.

We will ask you to **invite your colleagues** to a meeting, educational or special event and share the value of being a member of PMI and SNEC.

We will ask you to **participate in networking** and share experiences with other professionals.

We will make **choices**. Sometimes tough ones. To stop doing some things we've always done. To do things we've never done.

We will continue to make this a **highly valued chapter with engaged membership**.

What are our goals?

Engage Membership— Increase awareness of our value proposition and satisfaction with chapter services

Increase member retention

Increase new member recruitment

Increase volunteerism and giving back to our chapter, our community and our profession.

How will we do it?

Communicating and demonstrating the value.

ENGAGING our members, non-members and corporate/academic and non-profit stakeholders.

I'll call it a chapter membership movement.

Join the chapter movement!

Be engaged.

See you in 2015!

Best Regards for a wonderful engaging year,

Carin



Getting to Know the Newest Members of the Board of Directors

Meet Neil Weiss



Q: *What is your current role on the board?*

A: Sponsoring Professional Development - in particular the Continuing Education Committee and Special Events.

Q: *What is your motivation for volunteering with SNEC?*

A: I had been the VP of Continuing Education for 2 years and decided that I wanted to run for the Board to continue to improve my leadership skills while at the same time, to continue to assist and improve SNEC-PMI. I was motivated to volunteer with SNEC because I had a few mentors that helped me get to where I am as a Project Manager and this is my way to "Pay it Forward".

Q: *What is your professional background?*

A: I have over 14 years of project management experience working in the information technology area in the healthcare industry. I am currently in my 17th year working as a Sr. IT PM for United Healthcare within their EPMO supporting financial and payment applications.

Q: *Are you a PMP?*

A: I have been a PMP since 2011.

Q: *What are your goals for the year?*

A: To learn and adjust in my new role as a board member, make improvements where I can, and ensure SNEC-PMI has a successful year.

Q: *What do you wish for the chapter?*

A: I wish for the chapter to continue to improve and grow, and deliver value to our membership.

Q: *Any other things we should know about you?*

A: On a personal and fun note, I love to play fantasy sports and gamble, and am pretty good at it too. This is another way to engage me in conversation, other than Project Management.

Meet Ryan Bell



Q: *What is your current role on the board?*

A: Currently, I partner with Genevieve Guilmette and many talented volunteers to oversee and provide strategic guidance for the Membership and Volunteer portfolios.

Q: *How did you come to become a board member?*

A: I originally sought out becoming a board member as a way to build my professional experience and help my growth as a leader and a project manager. I was excited to get involved with the SNEC-PMI chapter as it aligned well with both of these goals and is an organization I believe in. It has already been a very rewarding experience and I am very glad I decided to run for the position and join this fantastic team.

Q: *What is your professional background?*

A: I have been practicing project management for a little over 4 years and I received my PMP in March of 2014. I started out as a Project Analyst for a small efficiency and effectiveness team and continued through a Project

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Coordinator role before finally becoming a Project Manager, working in my current role in a formal PMO. My focus has been mainly in financial services with a focus on compliance, process improvement, product development and system / process implementation and design.

Q: What are your goals for the year?

A: I want to continue my professional growth in my current roles on the board and in the PMO. I have been pursuing my MBA from the University of Connecticut as well.

Q: How will you make an impact on the chapter?

A: I hope to help bring the chapter into the social media space by helping to develop a policy and strategy for utilizing the technology to increase engagement with our current members and project managers in the community, help existing and prospective members grow as project managers, and raise awareness about the chapter and its many benefits through these channels. An online community is very powerful and I feel it will augment the chapter's efforts in other areas. Work is already underway to develop the strategy and policy documents and I am excited that we have already begun to lay a solid foundation for growth in this area.

Q: Any other things we should know about you?

A: This time of year I dream of skiing every day and try to make regular trips up to ski the many amazing mountains in Vermont throughout the winter months. I am an avid runner and when the weather warms I enjoy golfing, fishing, camping and traveling. Finally, I am engaged to be married in June 2015. This will be a very exciting time for me and my family and is something we are all looking forward to celebrating!

Upcoming Events 2015

There are several events to get excited about and there is plenty to get involved in! This is just a sample of the amazing events offered by your local chapter: PMP Prep, Scrum, Agile, Monthly Meetings in New London, Shelton, East Hartford, and Cromwell - there is a lot to choose from! Whether you live in Hartford, Shelton or Fairfield (or somewhere in between) there is something for you!

[Hartford Eastside Project Management Roundtable - February 2015](#)

[SNEC-PMI Special Event: Progressing From Project Manager to Project Leader](#)

[SNEC-PMI February 2015 Annual Meeting & Chapter Meeting](#)

[SNEC-PMI PMP Exam Prep - Bridgeport, CT](#)

[Microsoft Project 2013 Essentials Training \(via BlumShapiro\)](#)

[Hartford Eastside Project Management Roundtable - March 2015](#)

[SNEC PM Conference 2015 - The Passion and Power of Project Management](#)

[SNEC-PMI Fundamentals of PM class - Bridgeport](#)

[PMI-RMP Certification \(via S3 Technologies\)](#)

PMI Skills for Life presented by SNEC Non-Profit Outreach Team

In March of 2014, the Non-Profit Outreach and Mentoring committee began discussions with Junior Achievement of Southwest New England to see if there would be interest in partnering to deploy the PMI Skills for Life curriculum with a local high school. Those initial conversations paved the way for selecting High School Inc., located in Hartford, as a school to pilot the program. In order to give real life application to the curriculum, the Asylum Hill chapter of the Boys & Girls Club agreed to provide the project. Carin Salonia, SNEC-PMI President, notes “we have long imagined a partnership in the non-profit sector - to bring valuable project management skills training and experience to the community. Working with our Non-Profit Partners, (Junior Achievement, Boys and Girls Club) and PMI Education Foundation, we were able to turn the PM Skills for Life Curriculum into a 11 week capstone program and execute a project in our local community with young adults from our city.”



Over the summer, the team (Carin Salonia, Susan Lach, VP of Non-Profit Outreach, Anita Green, VP of Mentoring, and Vince Cherrone, PM volunteer) worked to create a capstone project for a group of High School Inc. Seniors. This past fall, the team started meeting weekly with the students to learn about project management principles with the project goal of delivering a “Harvest Festival” for the Boys and Girls clubs members. The SNEC-PMI team worked hard to present the material while also guiding the students through the normal process of forming a team, dealing with uncertainties, and managing the pressures which we as project managers are all well-acquainted. This included developing a project charter, risk and issue log, project plan, meeting with the project sponsor, developing a list of stakeholders and providing weekly status reports.

“We can happily report that the project was a success and the event itself was a terrific conclusion to a lot of hard work on everyone’s part” Justin Navarro, who joined the team as an instructor said. “It was really interesting to watch the students grapple first with the process but then ultimately pull the whole thing together.”

As the photos attest, one of the key stakeholders, the children of the Boys & Girls Club, had a terrific time! While just a pilot project, all of the partner organizations learned a great deal from the experience and there is little doubt that there is enthusiasm for offering this program again. Brandon Frame, Program Director, High School Inc., expressed his delight – “the students worked incredibly hard and showed a tremendous amount of enthusiasm and commitment in learning project management life skills – the SNEC team was professional, focused and wonderful to work with.”



Beyond repeating the class sometime in the future with High School Inc., the Non-Profit Outreach team has ambitions to offer this class throughout the state, starting with the New Haven area.

If you are interested in learning more and volunteering for an opportunity like this, please get in touch with Susan Lach via email at: susan.lach@sne-cpmi.org.

SNEC Participates at Cigna Diversity Day

By Svetlana Veprinsky, Board Member

On December 8th, leaders and members of SNEC attended the 2014 Cigna IT Diversity Strategic Partners Open House in Bloomfield, CT. According to Aaron Crosson, Head of Information Technology Special Solutions at CIGNA Healthcare "The IT Diversity Strategic Partners Open House is a chance to meet local associations that support Information Technology, Business, Project Management, and Public Speaking! These organizations represent diverse groups, including African American/Black, Hispanic/Latino, LGBT&A, and more.

Employees will be able to build their awareness of the diverse organizations available to them, network with participants of these groups, and learn how to become members. Current Cigna Employees within the Technology Solutions Group, Infrastructure Solution Group, Human Resources, Product, Informatics, and more will be present and available to answer questions about their experiences with these organizations first hand."

For the chapter, this event also facilitated an opportunity to network and open doors in establishing strategic partnerships with some of the represented associations.

Following are some pictures from the event:



SNEC Special Event - *Progressing From Project Manager to Project Leader*

SNEC-PMI SPECIAL EVENT

Progressing From Project Manager to Project Leader presented by Anthony Reed

EARN 8 PDUs

Wednesday, February 18, 2015

7:45 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Registration, Breakfast & Networking

8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Event

Mass Mutual Center, 1277 Main St, Springfield, MA

Cost: \$350 for SNEC Members / \$400 for Non-SNEC Members

Cost includes all day session, breakfast, lunch, snacks and beverages

CORPORATE DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR 10 OR MORE REGISTRATIONS



Course Information:

Companies today are struggling to maintain morale while doing more with work with fewer monetary and human resources. This isn't an easy task. Preparing for and completing a marathon is the perfect backdrop for examining the problems and challenges faced by today's business leaders. While all certified marathons are the same distance, the dangers, terrain, altitude, and weather offer unique and varying challenges. You quickly learn that hills build character.

The manager should weigh the advantages of a short term sprint with finishing in the long run. You must become a marathoner, who successfully uses their knowledge to mentally and physically push towards new limits.

The presenter implemented a \$12 million project for \$2.6 million. He shares his experiences as a corporate IT executive and finisher of over one hundred 26.2-mile marathons to show you methods to lead people using marathon techniques and strategies.

You'll learn how to:

- Motivate yourself and your team members without a budget
- Manage stress
- Manage the negative, victim mentality
- Embrace fear and risk to move outside your comfort zone
- Develop leaders and staff members
- Manage people, who don't report to you
- Work with stakeholders and manage their expectations.

Speaker Background Information:

Anthony Reed, CPA, PMP has over 25 years in project management and IT executive positions. His area of expertise is implementing multi-million dollar, international business applications. He's spoken at over 120 US and international project management, human resources, IT, accounting, and supply chain engagements, since 2009. *PMI Today*, *Runner's World*, *Southern Living*, and the *Journal of Accountancy* are a few of business, IT, travel, and sports publications, which have featured this award winning speaker.

He holds two graduate (management and accounting) and two undergraduate degrees (management and mathematics). He's taught project management, IT, accounting, and business college courses and seminars. And **he's authored five books and over fifty business and technical articles**, including over ten in *ComputerWorld*. His latest book is *Running to Leadership: What Finishing 100+ Marathons On All Seven Continents Teaches Us About Success*.

Anthony shows how he fuses marathon risk taking and endurance with project management strategies to motivate multigenerational, global teams through difficult projects.

If you have any questions, please contact Iris White, PMP, at 860-965-8204(cell) or email: Iris.White@sneec-pmi.org.

WE NEED YOUR INPUT – CHAPTER MEETING VENUE, TOPICS and VOLUNTEERS!

By Don Black, PMP

You may have noticed that there hasn't been a SNEC-PMI chapter meeting since September. That meeting was very well attended and in fact, was our highest attendance at a chapter meeting in a couple of years!

So with good news like that, you may wonder why we did not schedule any more in 2014. The reason is simple. We experienced significantly lower attendance at the majority of our chapter meetings in 2014. There are likely many reasons why 2014 chapter meetings were not well attended, but rather than try to guess, we'd like you to tell us your thoughts. Your input is critically important to continue to provide opportunities to network, share experiences and continually learn from engaging speakers and topics. Continuous improvement is important to our chapter and your input and interest to volunteer to support these meetings is vital. Please take a moment and complete the survey below as we continue to plan for 2015! And while you are at it, please [register](#) for our upcoming February chapter meeting!

Please [click here](#) to complete the survey online.

Background:

We take seriously our responsibility to provide members multiple events in professional development throughout the year. This includes the Annual Conference, 2-3 special one-day events, multiple Education certification offerings, regional meetings in East Hartford, Shelton, Springfield, and Stamford and lastly, chapter meetings. We aim to offer cost effective and affordable options for our membership to obtain needed PDUs, learn or reinforce skills as well as the opportunity to network with your peers. We make an effort to find relevant topics and talented presenters that will expand your knowledge and skills in project management. While we are a not-for profit organization, we have a responsibility to ensure that our events break-even at a minimum so that we can continue as a going concern

The chapter meetings at the Crowne Plaza in Cromwell incur a significant minimum charge from the hotel that requires 64 paid attendees to cover the costs. Except for the September meeting, the remaining chapter meetings in 2014 fell well below that number and some of the feedback we received made it clear you're not always happy with our choices of topics and presenters. In addition, it takes a lot of volunteer time to plan, schedule and facilitate 8 meetings a year, so we're going to focus on quality events rather than quantity.

Our goal for 2015 is to:

1. Host 4 meetings – while this is fewer than previous years, our goal is to plan fewer meetings with topics and presenters that will be of interest and value to you
2. Change the venue to be cost effective. Our February meeting will be held at the Baci Grill in Cromwell
3. Maintain registration prices at or below 2014 levels
4. Extend meeting length for additional PDUs
5. Identify engaging topics and presenters with broad appeal



Register Now for the 10th Annual SNEC PM Conference & Workshops

Early-Bird registration is available through midnight on February 28, 2015!

This year marks our 10th Anniversary of hosting the SNEC-PMI Project Management Conference. The conference committee is already hard at work to make this another successful event. We are planning special 10th Anniversary celebrations in honor of this accomplishment, which would only be possible with your continued support. Please check out the [web site](#) regularly for updates on the conference and to learn more about our 10th Anniversary Celebration! This year's events will be once again be held at the Connecticut Convention Center, and take place on:

Monday, April 27, 2015 - 8:00AM to 5:00PM ([Conference](#))
Tuesday, April 28, 2015 - 8:00AM to 12:00PM ([Workshops](#))



Key Note Presenters Announced!



Dr. Paul Schempp is known as "the Expert of Expertise". Join Dr. Schempp as he shares the characteristics that you can learn and apply to elevate your level of performance. In his presentation, the roles of talent, routines, perception and analysis, decision-making, and innovative thinking will be examined to identify how one can consistently be "Achieving the Extraordinary."

Closing our professional development day in a session entitled "How Did I End Up in Cleveland", Lee Lambert, PMI Fellow will help you tap into your own Performance Management Baseline (PMB) to achieve your personal and professional objectives. By the end of the session, you will fully grasp the importance of the PMB and how it can be used to take you to levels of performance and success that you may never have dreamed possible.



Workshops Announced!

Selection of PM Workshops is complete! SNEC is proud to announce the following workshops will be available on Tuesday morning, April 28th:

- *What Project Managers Can Learn from Great Coaches* with Dr. Paul Schempp
- *[The Realist's Guide] To Getting a Grip on Negativity* with Craig Price
- *The Multipliers Workshop* with Jon Haverly, PMP
- *Sensei Leadership Workshop* with Jim Bouchard

Registration for both Individual Registrants and Corporate Groups is open, and you can get more information and register on the SNEC-PMI Conference [web site](#). See below for a summary of this year's PM Conference and Workshop rates:

Rates are Per Person	SNEC Member		Non-SNEC Member	
	PM Conf	Workshop	PM Conf	Workshop
Early Bird (registrations thru 2/28)	\$270	\$220	\$330	\$280
Early Bird - 2 Day Package	\$440		\$560	
Regular (registrations after 3/1)	\$320	\$270	\$380	\$330
Regular - 2 Day Package	\$540		\$660	
Corporate (10 or more attendees registered and paid as a group prior to 3/1)	\$243	\$198	\$297	\$252
Corporate - 2 Day Package	\$396		\$504	

Call for PM Conference Exhibitors and Sponsors

The 10th Annual SNEC Project Management Conference and Workshops, *The Passion and Power of Project Management*, will be held at the Connecticut Convention Center in Hartford, CT on Monday, April 27 and Tuesday, April 28, 2015. SNEC-PMI is seeking Sponsors to participate in our full-day event on Monday, April 27, 2015.

Historically, this conference draws hundreds of engaged and committed project managers who attend the conference to network, learn about products, techniques, and processes that they can bring back into their workplace for implementation. Join us as we develop and deliver a program that delivers a quality response to their needs.

Headlining this year's event are two renowned keynote speakers. **Dr. Paul G. Schempp** is known as "The Expert on Expertise" will be presenting the topic "Achieving the Extraordinary" and **Lee Lambert** will close the event having participants contemplating "How did I end up in Cleveland?"

Sponsorship and Benefits

- The SNEC-PMI conference presents an excellent opportunity for you to have your company's brand and message in front of the region's leading project and program management professionals.
- Many attendees are in a position to consider including your company's products and services at their workplace or on their next assignment.
- Your support will be instrumental in enhancing the quality of the conference bringing value to participating attendees.

There are four levels of sponsorship: **Platinum Corporate**, **Silver Corporate**, **University & College Supporter** and **Supporter**. The benefit each sponsorship level is presented in the table below:

Benefits and Options	Platinum Corporate Sponsorship	Silver Corporate Sponsorship	University & College Supporters	Supporter (no onsite presence)
Base Investment (includes 2 participants*)	\$2,500	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$250 (no onsite participation)
Advertisement in conference brochure	Full-page - included	¼ page - included	¼ page - included	¼ page - included
Upgrade to ½ page advertisement	n/a	+ \$300	+ \$300	+ \$100
Upgrade to full page advertisement	n/a	+ \$500	+ \$500	+ \$300
Company Logo and Link on SNEC-PMI.org Sponsor Site [^]	Included	Included	Included	Included
Day of Event Set-up Support	Included	Included	Included	n/a
"Commercial Break" 5-minute during the luncheon	Included	+ \$500	+ \$500	n/a
Priority Table Selection	included	n/a	n/a	n/a
6' Table	2 - included	1 - included	1 - included	n/a
Additional 6' Table	n/a	Available + \$50	Available + \$50	n/a

All sponsorships include a dedicated SNEC Sponsor Concierge with pre-conference support.

* Additional participants may attend at \$125/pp. Advanced registration and payment required.

[^] Begins with sponsorship confirmation and receipt of logo until the event in April 2015.

If you would like more information about Sponsorship Opportunities, please reach out to our experienced Sponsor concierge team via email at: sponsors@snecc-pmi.org.

NEW SNEC-PMI CHAPTER MEMBERS

September 1 through December 31, 2014

Aaron Alwine	Mudassir Hiriyur	Mike Paris
Tim Anderson	Michael Hoagland	Maria Pegkou
Ann Armstrong	Jeffrey Hughes	Richard Pinto
Dean Barcomb	Charles Hwang	Bhavini Raithatha
Chaitanya Barhale	Sonya Jelks	Thejeshwar Rajareddy
Erin Brough	Kurt Juszczyk	Varun Sharma
Alissa Browne	Mamta Kanzaria	Leslie Sullivan
Vito Buffa	Delphine Ko	David Sullivan
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Judith Butterworth-Kremer	Lisa LaGue	Eric Twombly
Dwight Carter	Shirley Lasch	Linda Viera
Tom Colangelo	Linda Lazaroff	Daniel Villagomez
Susan Conrod	Craig Leary	Marcia Vlaun
Robert Daly	Jo-Ann Little	Jess Wainscott
Anne Decker	Charles Logan	Caroline Wetzel
Sheila Dillon	William Lukens	Courtney Wiley
Lindsey Donato	Joanne Lynch	Kevin Wilkins
Alan Ennis	Kumar Manu	Paulette Young
James Enzogna	Keith McLaughlin	
Fetneh Eskandari	Tracie Mebane	
Christal Esposito	Daniel Mercado	
Melvin Estrada	Rachel Meyers	
Cheri Evans	Wayne Miner	
Ekta Gandhi	Amy Morais	
Sitaram Ganugapati	Tracy Mutti	
Ed Gragg	Sunitha Nalla	
David Grandchamp	Edward Nevins III	
Bernadetta Gregor	Sharon Nichols	
Peter Guasta	Frank Noto	
Laureen Haynes	Mark Pallin	

SNEC-PMI MEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

SNEC-PMI would like to acknowledge long term chapter members celebrating their 5, 10 and 15+ year anniversaries September through December, 2014. Congratulations to everyone and thank you for your continued and valued membership!

5 Year Anniversaries

Janice Adam
 Iris Andino
 Alvin Barley
 Michael Buckley
 Gerald Bujaucius
 Michael Burch
 Michael Cunningham
 Mark Fignar
 Robert Fowler
 Mark Gargano
 Terri Hefner
 Dia Helmy
 Joseph Katucki
 Jeffrey Martin
 Clifton McPherson
 Linda Milton
 Vincent Monsonis
 Anthony Park
 Pamela Peacock
 Scott Sawyer
 Elaine Sclafani
 Gail Seefeldt
 Sandra Stratton
 Raymond Vasas
 Craig Zinn

10 Year Anniversaries

Kevin Brittingham
 Paul Blish
 Patrick William Boland
 Mary Brennan
 Shari Brunell
 James Callahan
 Hannes Callisen
 Juan Cruz
 Karen DelColle

Valerie Escott
 Martin Fenelon
 Robert Furce
 Ellen Giannini
 Joseph Gucwa
 Catherine Hanson
 Victor Harpley
 Paul Healey
 James Laurino
 Vincent Lazzaro
 Howard Lorenz
 Anthony Michalak
 Thomas Mika
 Carlo Montagano
 Paula Murphy
 Alan Osit
 Robert Schaff
 Jeffery Schaller
 Michael Schecher
 Philip Slowik

15+ Year Anniversaries

Carol Borok
 Darlene Butler
 Carol Carrier
 James Cashman
 Thomas Colavecchio
 James Hill
 Christopher King
 Michael Lipka
 Christopher Rollend
 Andrea Southland
 Donald Travis
 John Tuccio
 Mark White

SNEC-PMI PMP UPDATE

Congratulations from our Board of Directors and our Membership to those obtaining PMI Certification September through December in our chapter:

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| Chaitanya Barhale, PMP | Paul Matthews, PMP |
| Erin Brough, PMP | Erin Mazuera, PMP |
| Vito Buffa, PMP | Frank Porco, PMP |
| Donarine Collins, PMP | Thejeshwar Rajareddy, PMP |
| Alistair Duguid, PMP | John Reilly III, PMP |
| Jarita Dunbar-Braziel, PMP | Michael Robertson, PMP |
| Anthony Falsetta, PMI-ACP | Vrinda Saxena, PMP |
| MaryAnn Fernandes, PMP | David Sullivan, PMP |
| Sitaram Ganugapati, PMP | Danielle Taylor CAPM |
| Robert Goewey, IV, PMP | Satyanarayana Varma Vatsavayi Venkata, PMP |
| Timothy Hamel, PMP | Daniel Villagomez, PMP |
| Mudassir Hiriyur, PMP | Jess Wainscott, PMP |
| Denese Hydock, PMP | Regina Welch, PMP |
| Joseph Kelley, PMP | Chatrapathi Yellapragada, PMP |
| Vamsikrishna Kota, PMP | |
| John Kristensen, PMP | |

Membership Certification Facts

As of January 18th, 2015 we have 1,689 members! Of our members, 76% are certified, and of those 74% are PMPs.

Credential	Count
PMP	1,244
CAPM	16
PMI-ACP	7
PGMP	5
PMI-SP	3
PMI-RMP	2
Total	1,277

SNEC-PMI

Mission Statement

To provide resources, professional development and networking opportunities to enhance Project Management.

Vision Statement

A better Southern New England through Project Management.

Tell us what SNEC Means to YOU!

We are interested to hear your stories of what SNEC membership means to you – from the new learning, recent certification to new friendships and volunteer experiences. Share them!! Please send to content@snecc-pmi.org, visit our [Facebook page](#) or [LinkedIn group](#). Send your moment, your story, your victories and the support your colleagues at SNEC provide!

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