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<p><a href="#">PMI Northern Nevada</a></p>	<p><a href="#">PMI-NNV Home</a></p> <p><b>Time for the Annual PMI-NNV Holiday Party</b></p> <p><b>Dues Increase</b></p> <p><b>Membership exceeds 300</b></p> <p>The Holiday party is this week Wednesday evening Decemper 11, just a few openings available. There will be a white elephant gift exchange, \$10 limit on the gift, also a crazy holiday sock competition. Some would say that this is the hottest ticket in Northern Nevada for the holiday season!</p> <p>There is a dues increase coming our way, the chapter hasn't raised the annual dues since its inception in 2009. The increase is \$5 per year, staring January 1, 2020.</p> <p>Our membership has exceeded the 300 mark, we now have 307 members! Welcome to all the new folks and a hearty congratulations to all the members, thanks for sticking with us!</p> <p>May you all have a safe and festive holiday season, and thank you for your support throughout the year.</p>
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We are always looking for volunteers. All chapter volunteer openings can be found on the website at: <https://pmi-nnv.org/get-involved/volunteeroportunities/66-general/newsletter/495-volopeningsnewsletter-2>

This month we are highlighting the VP of Professional Development position. This is an important element of what PMI-NNV has to offer for the membership. Assisting with program development and assuring that we have interesting speakers that provide relevant content for our various meetings each month.

Position Description: The Vice President of Professional Development is responsible for promoting project management professionalism and advancing the knowledge and skill of practitioners. This includes providing training programs, workshops, forums, dinner and luncheon meeting presentations, and seminars. Responsibilities include developing and implementing a chapter professional development plan, managing the budget, developing and implementing relevant policies and procedures, and appointing and leading directors as required.

## Web Site

Please take a minute and check out the web site [here](#).

## New Event Registration



We are upgrading our event registration system the month of December. We will switch to the system January 1, 2020. Please continue to register for the Holiday Party using the link in the UPCOMING EVENTS module above to register for the party.

Soon you will see three test Events which we will use to test and validate the new event registration component. This test events will be in a separate module on the front page. Those test records are:

- TEST January Breakfast Meeting
- TEST January Lunch Meeting
- TEST January Dinner Meeting

Please do not click on any of those events. Doing so will invalidate our testing. We will announce the launch of the new event registration system as soon as it goes live. Thank for your support!

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## **Can't make Dinner? How about a Breakfast Meeting!**

### **Reno Breakfast Meeting**

**Reno breakfast meeting** – 1st Saturday of the month 9AM – 11AM at Napa Sonoma South - 7671 S Virginia St, Reno, NV 89511 [Napa Sonoma South Website](#)

The format is roundtable, relaxed with lots of discussion about real-life experiences in project management. The meeting is free, each attendee is responsible for their breakfast order.

PDU's: Attendees will qualify for one (1) PDU. - Please register for restaurant planning purposes.

Registration: Meeting registrations are posted on the top right corner of this home page.

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### **January Dinner Meeting**

**Save the Date: January 28, 2020**

**Details to follow**

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## Monthly Lunch Meetings- Napa Sonoma South

### [Join Us For Lunch!](#)



**Reno lunch meeting** - 3rd Tuesday of the month 11:45am - 1pm at Napa Sonoma South - 7671 S Virginia St, Reno, NV 89511 [Napa Sonoma South Website](#)

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## UPCOMING WEBINARS

### [Rescheduled: Steps in Designing an Integrated Enterprise Project Management System for Effective Cost and Performance Reporting](#)

**Dec 10, 2019 12:00:00 PM EST (UTC-5)**

*Presenter:* [Sachin Melwani](#)

Using waterfall, agile, and change management techniques, this webinar will cover the configuration points in designing an Enterprise Project Management

system to allow data integration across existing Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) systems. Project Managers will be able to better understand whether their projects are within agreed thresholds and how to better manage compensation events.

**[The Agile Enterprise: Friends and Foes - What are Agile Coaches and when do we need them?](#)**

**Dec 12, 2019 9:00:00 AM EST (UTC-5)**

*Presenter: [Stelian ROMAN](#)*

The Agile Coach is a relatively new role; it is not very well defined and often overrated. From the first concept of 'coach' introduced in Extreme Programming (XP) which was more of a system architect to the Scrum Master in the service of the Team and the organization, the role morphed in many organizations to a pure consulting role. Most modern Agile frameworks are created as empirical approaches based on a very simple principle: fail fast, learn faster. What is the role of an Agile Coach in an Agile transformation? What skills and experience are required to add value to the process? These questions among others will be addressed in this webinar.

**[The Proven and Practical Project Manager Toolkit: Information Mapping, Results Chains, and Benefits Register](#)**

**Dec 17, 2019 12:00:00 PM EST (UTC-5)**

*Presenter: [Daniel Sklar](#)*

Every project manager should have a proven, practical, and powerful toolkit – of skills, techniques, processes, procedures, tools, and templates – to help a project or program's success. The toolkit should be proven (it works), practical (efficient and adaptable), and powerful (big impact). This webinar focuses on three proven, practical, and powerful tools: Information Mapping, Results Chains, and Benefits Registers.

**[How to Prevent and Stop Workplace Bullying](#)**

**Jan 7, 2020 1:00:00 PM EST (UTC-5)**

*Presenter: [LORI WILSON](#)*

Workplace bullying is a fascinating and complex subject – whether it is happening to you personally in your relationships with others or showing up in your projects.

**More Upcoming Webinars**

**1/8/20 10:00 AM [The Project Manifesto - The Guiding Principles of the Project Economy](#)**

1/10/20	9:00 AM	<a href="#">The Agile Enterprise: Managing Financial Aspects in Agile Projects</a>
1/21/20	12:00 PM	<a href="#">Strategies for Developing the Most Sought-After Leadership Qualities: Communicating with Impact</a>
1/22/20	12:00 PM	<a href="#">Standards Transformation and the PMBOK(R) Guide: Evolution and Revolution</a>
1/24/20	9:00 AM	<a href="#">The Agile Enterprise: Hybrid Projects - What Does it Mean? A Review of Hybrid Frameworks</a>
1/31/20	9:00 AM	<a href="#">The Agile Enterprise: Governance in Agile Projects - What Does it Mean?</a>
2/5/20	1:00 PM	<a href="#">Scrum vs. Kanban: Which Works Best Where?</a>

*\* all times are displayed in EST (UTC-5)*

[See All Upcoming Webinars](#)

## New PMI-NNV Chapter Members

### New Members

Peter Todt  
 Ellie Lopez  
 Eric Dougherty  
 Patricia Glenn  
 Jeffery Hall, PMP  
 Kurt Parriott

### New Credentials:

Kia Potts, PMP  
 John Jensen, PMP  
 Tamsen Fricke, PMP  
 Stefan Schuster, PMP  
 Jeffery Hall, PMP

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