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[New PMBoK Guide Released- the Sixth Edition](#)

Updated from the 2013 edition, more emphasis on agile and the Talent Triangle.

The new guide updates tools and techniques for project management emphasizing agile and the talent triangle, especially Strategic and Business Knowledge. The Sixth Edition- in a first for PMI- includes information on how to implement its approaches in agile environments! Now that there is a new guide, the certification exams are being updated as well, new exams will start in Q1 and Q2 2018. Information on the guide can be found [here](#).

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[Next Networking Event in Carson City](#)

Get Ready Carson City, here we come sometime in October!

The details are coming, check it out at our website pmi-nnv.org.

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NCET Small Business EXPO-September 22, 2017 at the Atlantis Casino Resort Spa

The EXPO is for small businesses in the area to meet, show off what they do, and networking networking networking! It is free to attend, your business card is your admission ticket. PMI NNV will have a booth at the Expo. more information is available [here](#).

August Dinner Meeting Recap:

Conscious Capitalism: What is it and why do you care?



Amber Barnes, Dave Hartman, Kevin Ciotti, and Patty Herzog gave some insight into how companies and individuals can focus on their business, providing authentic and open leadership, taking into account all of the stakeholders involved in the business, (not just the shareholders), build a values-based culture, and serve a higher purpose. Aligning all the resources in the organization around these tenets is the basis of Conscious Capitalism.

Looking forward to seeing you September 26!

Dinner Meeting September 26, 2017- New Location

[Courtyard Marriott, South Virginia Street, Reno.](#)

[Register Early, Avoid the Rush, Avoid the Drama!](#)

September 26, 2017 Dinner Meeting



An entrepreneurial mindset - Bridging the gap when your stakeholders are oceans apart

Join us as our presenter, Estella Hunt, discusses how an entrepreneurial mindset can be a game changer as you manage projects and align objectives with key stakeholders. Estella will share how Northern Nevada's passion for entrepreneurship and sense of community became a case study and a platform for global connections with individuals from Southeast Asia, Africa, Latin America.

Location: Courtyard Marriott 6855 S Virginia St Reno, NV 89511

[Click here to Register](#)

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About Estella Hunt

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Message from our President- September 2017

This month, I would like to use this space to ask for your help in resolving a growing problem with our dinner meeting planning. We need you to sign up for dinner meetings soon after they are announced, rather than waiting until the last minute or even being a walk-in. The problem is that the restaurants need a head count a week or so in advance in order to plan for the food. In the absence of hard data, our VP of Member Services has to guess the final attendance. Although Jessica is pretty good at this, we can easily lose money by overestimating, or end up short of food by underestimating. So if the program looks interesting to you, please sign up right away. It will reduce the drama, and what project manager likes drama?

I hope to see you at one of our Chapter events soon, and as always, if you have any ideas for how we can better serve you, please let me know.

Sincerely,

David Richards, PMP, PMI-ACP

We Are Teaching Project Management to Non-Profits

In an effort to give back to Nevada communities, PMI-NNV members are delivering very affordable PM Overview training to Nonprofits. In the past 9 months, we've taught more than 120 northern Nevada nonprofit employees and facilitated the training of an additional 23 in southern Nevada. Attendees represent a variety of social service and health care nonprofits.

The nonprofit initiative fostered by PMI Education Foundation (PMIEF) encourages individual chapters to provide training specific to nonprofits in their region at little or no cost. Last June, Sue Churchill, PMP and PMI-NNV co-founder, and Cheryl Allen, PMP and current PMI-NNV Program Chair, expanded PMIEF course materials to provide attendees with resource workbooks covering key PM concepts, methodology, tools and templates useful for small and large nonprofit agencies. Both Sue and Cheryl teach the classes, with Lisa Bausell, PMP and PMI-NNV's VP of Professional Services, and instructor Laurie Landfried Schroeder, PMP, ready to teach them as well. In addition, Swadha Rath, Ricki Henry and Cheryl Anderson teach our course through PMI Southern Nevada chapter.

To date, most of the classes have been arranged through two organizations - ANN, Association of Nevada Nonprofits, and Renown's nonprofit health organization, to achieve the desired minimum class size of 10 participants. In addition, a few open-enrollment classes were conducted last fall.

Participants engage readily in discussions, walking through charter creation and a myriad of planning activities for a nonprofit project. Comments range from appreciating the scope of project management functions to defining specific vocabulary to projecting ways to use individual tools and templates. Particularly popular are the RACI chart, risk management formula and lessons learned templates.

Going forward, the chapter plans to offer nonprofit training to meet regional needs. That means continuing to provide the 3-hour Project Management Overview, as well as a 7-hour class and potentially a 2-day class. The overview class

is aimed at those new to project management and team members and stakeholders wanting to learn more concepts, vocabulary and methodology to work more closely with PMPs. The 7-hour class could be divided into two sessions but would be aimed at uncertified functioning PMs and those seeking to become project managers. The longer 2-day class would focus on larger nonprofit projects and those interested in seeking PM credentials.

If you are interested in nonprofit PM training, please contact Sue Churchill at church_s@nvbell.net.

Monthly Lunch Meetings- Locations have changed!

No Carson City Lunch Meetings in September and October

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](#)

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 lunch 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.

Carson City people, stay tuned for information about a Carson City Networking event that we expect to have in October! Carson lunch meetings are on hold for now.

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Upcoming Webinars

9/19/17	12:00 PM	Do You Understand Collaboration and How to Leverage it for Project Implementation?
9/21/17	12:00 PM	Demystifying PMBOK® Guide Math - Part 1
9/21/17	3:00 PM	Project HEADWAY: Lead, Follow, or Get Out Of The Way
9/26/17	11:00 AM	Enhancing Value of Change Initiatives for Better Organizational Performance
9/26/17	1:00 PM	How to Innovate with Sustainability Goals in Mind
9/27/17	2:00 PM	Outstanding Project Managers Have Mastered Key Skills and So Can You!
9/28/17	12:00 PM	Demystifying PMBOK® Guide Math - Part 2
10/4/17	2:00 PM	How to Inspire Change Capability - RESCHEDULED
10/11/17	12:00 PM	Exceller dans la négo avec les parties prenantes
10/12/17	12:00 PM	Bridging the Agile Divide on Hybrid Project Delivery
10/16/17	1:00 PM	The Power of You:EQ
10/18/17	12:00 PM	August 2017 Book Club Q&A Closing Webinar – Reaching Your Next Summit!
10/19/17	3:00 PM	Project HEADWAY: Reinventing Portfolio Management
10/24/17	12:00 PM	Agile Portfolio Management
11/1/17	2:00 PM	Making a Compelling Case for Change

11/8/17 7:00 PM [La clé du succès: la communication par les couleurs \(Comprendre et s'adapter selon les différentes personnalités DISC\)](#)

11/16/17 3:00 PM [Project HEADWAY: Managing Project Politics](#)

2017 Member Benefit - \$199 Value

The IT Metrics and Productivity Institute (ITMPI) is offering a one year membership for any new 2017 PMI NNV members or if you renew your PMI NNV membership in 2017. This ITMPI membership includes INSTANT ACCESS to over 1000 hours of educational lectures covering all aspects of the IT and project management spectrum. Their speakers – over 200 of the world’s leading consultants – have been carefully chosen for their expertise and communication skills and our library is updated weekly with new lectures and new subject areas.

This membership includes complimentary access to the app at www.itmpi.org/app as well as access to our web-based service at www.itmpi.org. All content on The Great IT Professional app is approved with Category A PDU's by the Project Management Institute, and is mapped to the Talent Triangle.

When you sign up as a new member or renew your membership in 2017, you will receive instructions via email on how to access this new PMI NNV member benefit. If you have already renewed this year, you will receive an email soon with the instructions on how to access.

If you have any questions about this new member benefit, please contact membership@pmi-nnv.org.

New PMI-NNV Chapter Members

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