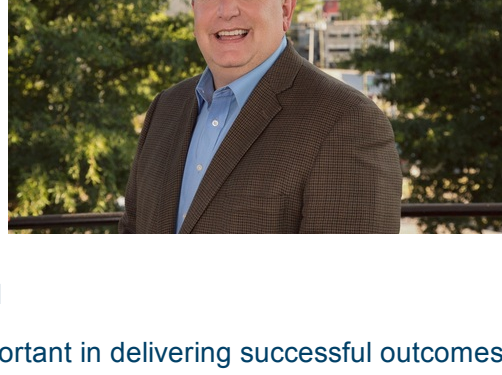




PMI Nashville Featured Events

August 2021 Luncheon Webinar - Product Management Essentials for Project Professionals



August 17 @ 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central

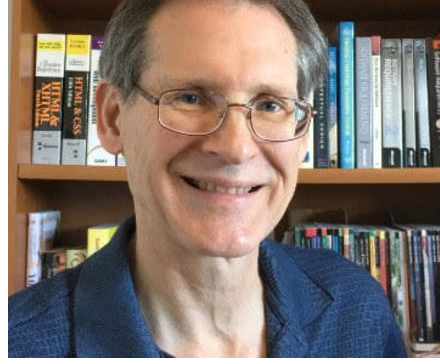
Need and value are becoming critically important in delivering successful outcomes to stakeholders for Project Managers. Helping the stakeholder understand value above want and need is even more critical. So where does a Project Manager go to build these skills. The understanding of value in terms of a customer, whether internal or external, is the core art and science around Product Management. Building a strong foundational skill in Product Management is a critical success factor for the future of Project Management in a highly volatile, rapidly changing environment.

Project Managers work in most cases on internal projects and services, so there is confusion around using Product Management techniques. The reality is internal customers are just as critical as external. There must be value for both types of customer to engage, for external the engagement is usually money and some time. With internal it is all about time and productivity and, time can have more value than money in certain circumstances. As for a service, everything whether a tangible product or a service must create value for the user (aka customer), so the same dynamics drive their lifecycle and value strategy. At the center is the customer whether dealing with internal or external customers and whether dealing with services or products.

David Mantica, VP & General Manager, Software Education USA LLC, has 25 years of business-to-business services, consulting, coaching, and training industry experience in roles from operations, service delivery, marketing, product management and executive management.

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PMI Nashville August 2021 Evening Webinar - Thoughtful Design of Everyday Things



August 24 @ 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Central

Why do so many software systems and physical products seem to have been designed by someone who has never used a product like that before? This presentation explores that mystery. You'll see numerous examples of thoughtlessly designed products that violate principles of good design, along with some examples of, particularly effective designs. By studying such products we can identify many lessons that can help designers, product development managers, and even consumers. You'll also see multiple techniques to help designers craft products with a focus on how consumers will use them, not just on their features.

Join Karl Wieggers who is Principal Consultant with Process Impact, a software development consulting and training company in Portland, Oregon. He has a PhD in organic chemistry. Karl is the author of 12 books, including Requirements, More About Software Requirements, Successful Business Analysis Consulting, and a forensic mystery novel titled The Reconstruction. His most recent book is The Thoughtless Design of Everyday Things (Thoughtless-Design.com). Karl also has written many articles on software development, project management, design, chemistry, military history, consulting, and self-help, as well as 18 songs. You can reach him at ProcessImpact.com or KarlWieggers.com.

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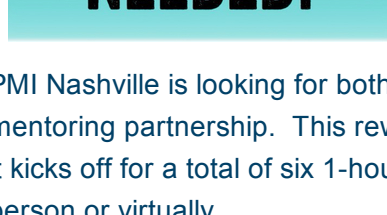
2021 PMI Professional Development Days September 22-23, 2021 Inspire, Innovate, Integrate 16+ PDUs/CCRs (Low cost of \$100)

Last year, PMI chapter leaders from across several mid-south states joined forces to bring you this first-of-its-kind virtual event. We will be continuing the tradition in 2021 with the same chapters and more signed on!

Sessions will be available both during the live event and afterwards (on-demand) for several months. Our virtual event software will offer a unique experience for virtual attendance and provides the ability to network with other attendees, speakers, and sponsors. Speakers from across the US will be providing content and skills from across the PMI Talent Triangle.

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Our Fall mentoring partnership begins on September 27!

PMI Nashville is looking for both mentees and mentors to join our upcoming mentoring partnership. This rewarding program will last three months from the date it kicks off for a total of six 1-hour mentoring sessions. These meetings can be in person or virtually.

Applications for the September 27th partnership must be received by **September 17th**.

Mentoring IS:

- The opportunity to develop a learning partnership to share knowledge and information related to the project management profession
- Mutual sharing of ideas, experiences, opinions, and approaches for professional growth and development with a focus on project management best practices and practical implementation
- Networking with more experienced project managers
- Mentee-driven

Mentoring IS NOT:

- PMP/CAPM Exam Prep Training
- An opportunity to correct someone's behavior, actions or addressing personal issues
- Being an expert with all of the answers
- A forced relationship
- A job search
- Mentor-driven

Fill out an application today! [Link to application](#)

*mentees and mentors must be a member of the PMI Nashville chapter in good standing. Mentors must hold at least one PMI certification.

PMI Nashville Chapter - 2022 Elections

The following positions are open for nominations:

- VP Finance
- VP Administration
- VP Professional Development
- VP Marketing

The person elected will serve a 2 year term. Nominations are open to all PMI Nashville Chapter members. Elections will be held in October and voted on by all members of the chapter.

Anyone interested in volunteering for one of these positions should send an email to PastPresident@pminashville.org for more information. We look forward to hearing from you

Training

Wicked Problem Solving

PMI Nashville is excited to offer a 20% discount to the on-demand course "Wicked Problem Solving" by Tom Wujec until August 31, 2021. Please use our discount code: 20WPSCHAPTER. If you are not already familiar, [WPS Practitioner](#) is an online course and tool kit designed to teach you and your teams how to solve problems at any scale by asking the right questions, making ideas visible, and engaging participants with tangible actions (think Design Thinking for the project mind). Take advantage of this amazing discount today!

Job Listings

NEW POSTINGS (LAST 30 DAYS):

- Project Manager - Coligos Consulting (Full Time)
- Project Administrator - CereCore/HCA Healthcare (Contract to Hire)
- Senior Project Manager - CereCore/HCA Healthcare (Contract to Hire)
- Senior Project Manager I - Parallon (Full Time)
- Senior Project Manager II - Parallon (Full Time)
- Project Director - Parallon - (Full Time)
- Project Manager - ACT Security Inc (Full Time)
- Case Management Program Director - HCA Healthcare (Full Time)
- Performance Improvement Program Director - HCA Healthcare (Full Time)
- Senior Project Manager (Performance Improvement) - HCA Healthcare (Full Time)
- Project Manager/Leader - MNPS (Full Time)



[Current Job List](#)

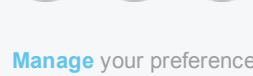
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