



**Welcome to  
PMI Chicagoland Chapter's  
Networking Dinner and Presentation  
June 14, 2017**

# Tonight's Meeting Agenda

- 5:30 p.m. Registration
- 6:15 p.m. General Announcements
- 6:30 p.m. Chapter Annual Business Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner
- 7:45 p.m. Speaker Presentation
- 9:00 p.m. Close





# Media Recording Disclosure

Members of the media may be taking pictures and/or recording during our Chapter dinner event this evening. Any comments and/or questions made by attendees may be recorded.



# Social Media Call-To-Action

## Facebook

- "Like" Chapter's Facebook page and help promote posts

## LinkedIn

- New and revised Discussion Group now up!

## Twitter

- Follow and direct message @PMIChicagoland to tweet your questions
- Use hashtag #PMIChicagoland when Tweeting



# Social Media Call-To-Action (Con't)

- Subscribe to our **YouTube** Channel and follow us on Google+
- Follow us on **Instagram**
- Follow us on **Pinterest**
- Provide feedback on these platforms



# Social Media Call-To-Action (Con't)

*PMI Dinner Meeting Slides*



*PMI Facebook Group*



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In iOS, open the App Store. In Android, open Google Play.  
Search for QR Code Reader.  
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Use the app on your phone to scan the QR Codes.

*PMI LinkedIn*



*PMI Twitter*



*PMI Chicagoland Symposium*

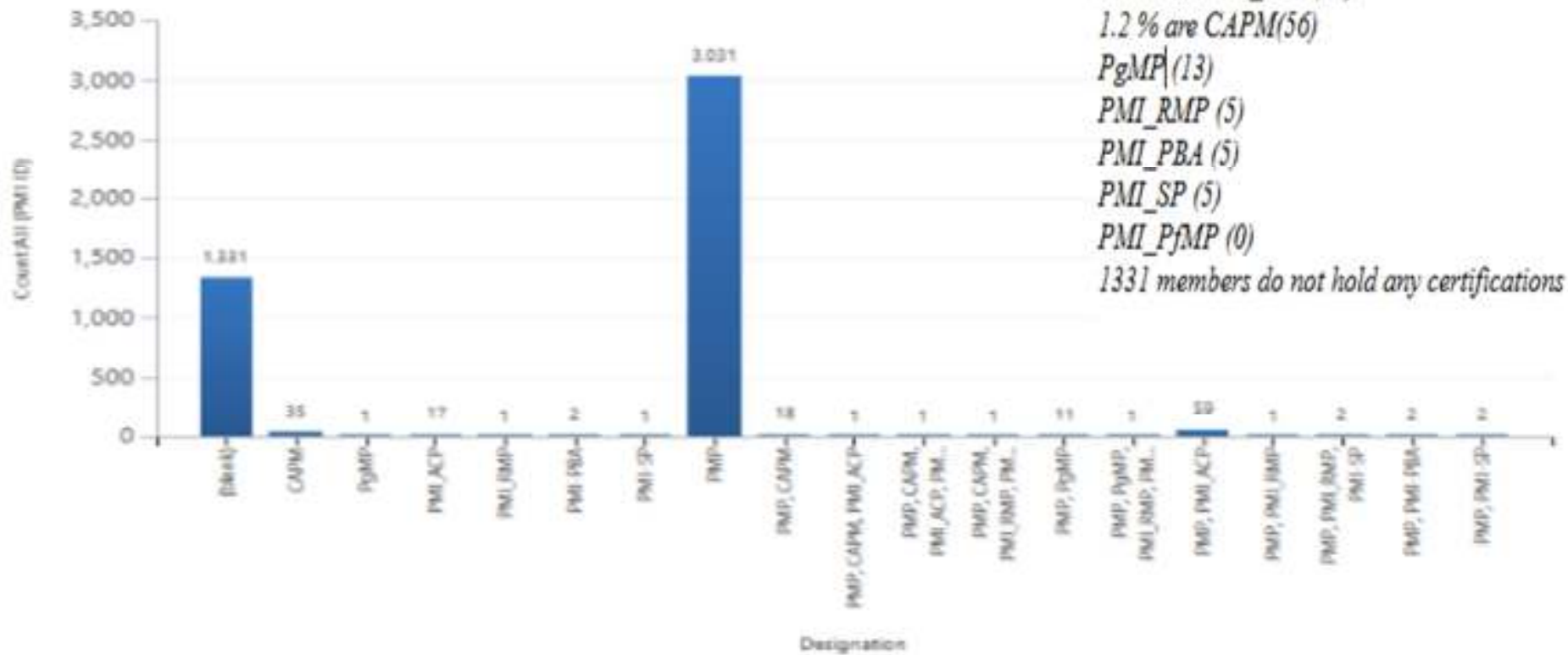


# Social Media Call-To-Action (Con't)

- Tweet your questions
- Mention “@pmiChicagoland”
- Hashtag #NKLIVE
- (1) Drone to be Ruffled for Live Stream Pay-Per-View entrants

# PMI Chicagoland Chapter (May 2017) Member Certification

Active Members



69.5% are PMP holders(3130)

1.5 % are PMI\_ACP(64)

1.2 % are CAPM(56)

PgMP(13)

PMI\_RMP (5)

PMI\_PBA (5)

PMI\_SP (5)

PMI\_PfMP (0)

1331 members do not hold any certifications



# We Congratulate our New...

Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM)<sup>®</sup>

Project Management Professional (PMP)<sup>®</sup>

Program Management Professional (PgMP)<sup>®</sup>

Portfolio Management Professional (PfMP)<sup>SM</sup>

PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)<sup>®</sup>

PMI Risk Management Professional (PMI-RMP)<sup>®</sup>

PMI Scheduling Professional (PMI-SP)<sup>®</sup>

PMI Professional in Business Analysis (PMI-PBA)<sup>®</sup>





# Chapter News

# PMI Chicagoland Chapter Bylaw Ratification Results

**Election:** PMI Chicagoland Chapter - 2017 Bylaws Ratification Vote

Results by Question

Do you approve bylaws with the changes recommended by PMI Chicagoland Chapter?

Total Voters: **4444**

CHOICE	VOTERS	PERCENTAGE
Yes I approve the motion to ratify the bylaws.	190	95
No, I do not approve the motion to ratify the bylaws.	10	5
Abstain	10	---

# 12th Annual Leadership Forum

- Occurred May 5th
- Over 130 leaders attended
- Supported by 25 volunteers



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# New LinkedIn Discussion Group



- .Want to reach project managers with information about your services?
  - .Have a job opportunity?
  - .Have a project or program management blog you would like to share?
  - .Have an event that will benefit our members?
- JOIN** at [www.linkedin.com/groups/12033000](http://www.linkedin.com/groups/12033000)
- Email:** [DirSocialMedia@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirSocialMedia@pmichicagoland.org) for more information

# PMI Chicagoland Chapter Milestone Scholarship

PMI is sponsoring a Chapter Milestone Professional Development Scholarship in honor of the PMI Chicagoland Chapter's 40-year milestone; valued up to US\$3,500.

To apply visit [pmief.org/scholarships-grants-and-awards/](http://pmief.org/scholarships-grants-and-awards/)

**Deadline July 1st 2017**

# PMI Chicagoland Board Nomination Committee

***The chapter would like to thank this year's Board  
Nomination Committee!!!***

- . ***Arnab Dan***
- . ***Sunil Chainani***
- . ***Lynne Jele***
- . ***Hank Kurtz***
- . ***Robert Mack***
- . ***Margaret Norman***
- . ***Hugh Pinkus***
- . ***Jim Karthan*** (*Past President, Committee Chair*)

# PMI Chicagoland 2017-18 Board Slate

*The current 2017-18 Board Slate:*

<b><i>PRESIDENT</i></b>	<b><i>- Jonathan Lee, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>FINANCE</i></b>	<b><i>- Greg Jones, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>EDUCATION</i></b>	<b><i>- Gwen Nichols-White, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>MEMBERSHIP</i></b>	<b><i>- Ravi Avasarala, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>MARKETING</i></b>	<b><i>- Srinivas Saineni, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>BUSINESS OUTREACH</i></b>	<b><i>- Amy Martin, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>COMMUNITY OUTREACH</i></b>	<b><i>- Parita Doshi, PMP</i></b>
<b><i>TECHNOLOGY</i></b>	<b><i>- OPEN</i></b>
<b><i>OPERATIONS</i></b>	<b><i>- OPEN</i></b>





# Dinner Sponsor



# Sponsor Your PMI Chapter

Need to get the word out about your organization  
and services?

***Become a dinner meeting sponsor***

Email: [DirAdvertising@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirAdvertising@pmichicagoland.org) for more  
information



# Call for Volunteers

# Volunteering

- Become a volunteer with our Chapter.
- Make a difference, build relationships, build professional skills, & earn PDU's!
- Apply Online: [vrms.pmi.org](https://vrms.pmi.org) or email [DirVolunteers@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirVolunteers@pmichicagoland.org)



# MemberAnalysis VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Program Manager – Member Surveys Opportunity #10303

- who will assist in conducting member surveys for the chapter
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact DirMemberAnalysis@pmichicagoland.org

# MemberAnalysis VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Program Manager – Member Polling Opportunity #10304

- who will assist in conducting live polls at chapter events
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact DirMemberAnalysis@pmichicagoland.org

# MemberAnalysis VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Member Engagement Volunteers #10305

- who will assist in member engagement activities
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact DirMemberAnalysis@pmichicagoland.org

# PROGRAMS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Project Manager Opportunity #8855 & 9657

- Assist completing the tasks for each Dinner Meeting (attendance preferred)
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact DirPrograms@pmichicagoland.org



# PROGRAMS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (Con't)

## Project Manager - Presentations Editor #9981

- To manage dinner meeting PowerPoint presentations
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact [DirPrograms@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirPrograms@pmichicagoland.org)

# SOCIAL MEDIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (Con't)

## Social Media Video Producer – Opportunity #8463

- Socially amplify Chapter messages via short, promotional videos
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact via Twitter, Direct Message **@pmichicagoland**

# SOCIAL MEDIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (Con't)

## Social Media Team Member – Opportunity #6922

- Curate and moderate Chapter's social media discussions
- Socially amplify Chapter's messages
- See <https://vrms.pmi.org> for more details
- Contact via Twitter, Direct Message **@pmichicagoland**

# Become a PMI Chicagoland Chapter Company Ambassador!

- Act as your organization's voice
- Help your organization with PM expertise and education

## Your Benefits:

- A minimum of 5 PDUs per year
- Recognition among peers and the PMI Chicagoland
- Valuable networking and collaboration experience
- Contact: Director of Corporate Outreach at  
[DirCorporateOutreach@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirCorporateOutreach@pmichicagoland.org)

# PMI Leadership Institute Meeting and Global Conference: On-Site Volunteers Needed



- Types of Volunteers:
  - Registration Support
  - Session Monitors
  - Chapter Table/Booth

- Shifts are scheduled by the day
- Each volunteer opportunity is a full day
- Formal Sign-Up will be online through VRMS (To be setup)



# PMI Leadership Institute Meeting and Global Conference: On-Site Volunteers Needed

- Volunteers do not have to pay for registration the day they volunteer and will receive 1-day discounted rate to Conference
- Each day is a separate opportunity



# How do I volunteer?



- Apply to volunteer through PMI's Volunteer Relationship Management System ([VRMS](#))
- Using VRMS requires a PMI.org login id and password
- Each volunteer *opportunity* is a full day
- Fill out the volunteer opportunity application in VRMS for the day(s) you want to volunteer
  - If you want to volunteer for more than one day, you fill out an application for each day
  - Once you fill out the application, you will receive an email acknowledgement that your application was received
- Applications will be reviewed and you will be extended an offer if you are needed on that day
- Click the “accept” link in the offer email to officially volunteer and get credit in your service history.

# How to Access VRMS:

- 1 Login to [PMI.org](https://www.pmi.org)
- 2 Click "Membership"
- 3 Click "Volunteering" and then on the VRMS link on the right-hand side, or bookmark <https://vrms.pmi.org>

Profile Guide | Coordinator View | PMI.org | Log Out

## PMI Volunteer Relationship Management System

Home | Volunteer | Profile

### Find an Opportunity

Select the Search Criteria link below to find chapter, community and global volunteer opportunities which are open for application. Your search results will allow you to review the opportunity details to determine the requirements and skills required to apply for the opportunity.

**4** Go to search page

### Update Your Volunteer Profile

Review and Update your Volunteer Profile link includes contact information, volunteer service history, PMI event attendance and PMI awards/scholarship information, as applicable. Your Volunteer Profile is available for view only to the volunteer coordinator when determining eligibility for volunteer opportunity.

View and update your volunteer profile

### Your Applications in Progress

Your current applications include:

- GOC Opportunity  
Status: Draft
- OpportunityName117  
Status: Draft

Search opportunities.

Create and maintain Service History.

View application status, edit in-process applications.



# Accessing VRMS - Opportunity Search

The screenshot shows the 'Find an Opportunity' page in the VRMS system. The page has a dark blue header with navigation tabs for 'Home', 'Volunteer', and 'Profile'. Below the header are four buttons: 'Find an Opportunity' (highlighted in teal), 'View Opportunity', 'Edit/View Application', and 'Back to List'. The main content area is titled 'Find an Opportunity' and includes a search form with several fields and a search button. To the right of the search form is a section titled 'Opportunity Search Tips' with a list of instructions. A yellow callout box with a red border and a yellow circle containing the number '5' points to the 'Communities' dropdown menu, which currently shows 'Please select a Community'. A yellow callout box with a red border and a yellow circle containing the number '6' points to the 'Search' button. A yellow callout box with a red border and a yellow circle containing the number '6' points to the 'Search' button. A yellow callout box with a red border and a yellow circle containing the number '5' points to the 'Communities' dropdown menu, which currently shows 'Please select a Community'. A yellow callout box with a red border and a yellow circle containing the number '6' points to the 'Search' button.

Home Volunteer Profile

Find an Opportunity View Opportunity Edit/View Application Back to List

### Find an Opportunity

Where would you like to volunteer ?

All Countries

Communities:

Please select a Community

How would you like to volunteer ?

All Opportunity Types

Narrow your results with search terms

Coordinator Name

First: Last:

Search

#### Opportunity Search Tips:

- Use the term or phrase search option to search for a term or a phrase in an opportunity name, description, deliverables or duties.
- Use ? to perform a single-character wildcard search.
- Use \* to perform a multiple-character wildcard search. You can use \* before or after a search term. You cannot use \* term \*.
- Use the Boolean operators: NOT, AND, OR, + or - to exclude or include search results. NOT, AND and OR must be uppercase.
- Use + to require that the term after the + exists in the opportunity name, description, deliverables or duties.
- Use - to exclude opportunities that contain the term after the - in the opportunity name, description, deliverables or duties.

If no opportunities display in search results for a specific PMI chapter, contact that chapter to learn more about any available volunteer opportunities.

5 Select "Chicagoland Chapter" from drop-down list

6 Click "Search" – A table of results will be displayed at the bottom of this page.

## Accessing VRMS – *Completing Application*

- 7 Click the name of the opportunity to view the details
- 8 If you want to apply for the opportunity, click “Apply Now” at the bottom of the page
- 9 Complete the application
  - Answer any essay questions
  - Add comments if needed
  - Resume is not required but can be uploaded to your profile
  - Click “Save as Draft” or “Save and Apply”

**Save as a Draft**

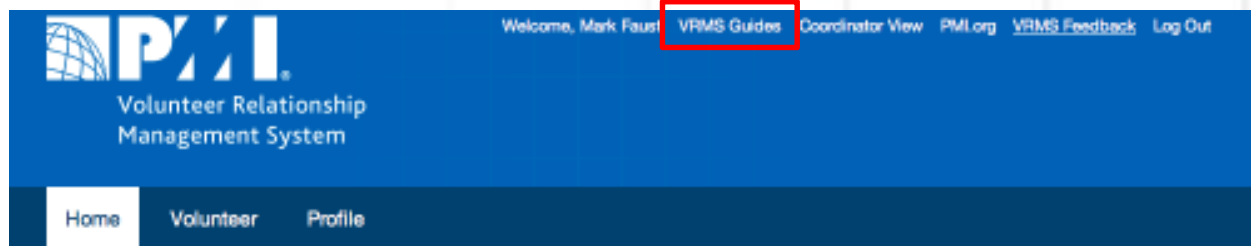
Return and edit.

**Save and Apply**

Once submitted, no edits.

# Volunteer Application Process - Resources

- Detailed online volunteer training tutorial
  - Click “VRMS Guides” in the upper right hand corner of the [VRMS Home Page](#) or



- Go to directly to [http://www.brainshark.com/pmiorg/VRMS\\_Guide](http://www.brainshark.com/pmiorg/VRMS_Guide)
- Download the Training Guide and FAQs
  - Through the “Attachments” tab in the training tutorial

# Volunteer Opportunities

Please apply at: <https://vrms.pmi.org>

The screenshot shows the PMI VRMS website interface. At the top left is the PMI logo with the text "Volunteer Relationship Management System". To the right of the logo, the text "Welcome," is displayed. Further right are navigation links: "VRMS Guides", "PMI.org", "VRMS Feedback", and "Log Out". Below this is a dark blue navigation bar with three tabs: "Home", "Volunteer", and "Profile". The main content area is divided into three columns:

- Find an Opportunity**: A section with a paragraph explaining that users can search for chapter, community, and global volunteer opportunities. It mentions that search results allow users to review details and determine requirements. Below the paragraph is a link labeled "Find an Opportunity".
- Update Your Volunteer Profile**: A section with a paragraph explaining that users can review and update their profile information and service history. It lists details included in the service history, such as previous PMI volunteer experience, events attended, and awards. It also notes that volunteer coordinators view this information. Below the paragraph is a link labeled "View and Update Volunteer Profile".
- Your Applications in Progress**: A section with the heading "Your Current Applications:" followed by the text "No applications submitted or in progress".



# Upcoming Chapter Events / Programs

# PMI Knowledge Sharing

## *“Agile vs. Waterfall”*

**Facilitator:** Open Discussion

**Date:** June 22nd, 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** Swoon Technologies  
300 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 300  
Chicago, IL 60606

**Register:** PMI Chicagoland Website (Events)

**Free Event! Earn 1.5 PDUs for participating**



## 40th Year Anniversary Event at Rock Bottom in Chicago

Make Rock Solid Connections at this networking event!

June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Price: \$20 members/\$25 non-chapter  
members

Discount Code: PMIC40JUNE gives  
you \$15 off, reducing price to \$5 for  
members and \$10 for non-members

Meet fellow Project Management  
leaders in a fun and relaxed setting.



Rock Bottom Brewery  
1 West Grand  
Chicago, IL

# 2017 Fall Core PM Mentoring Program

## You're Invited – Don't Miss Out!

Take the next step in building your PM skills and experience by applying for the Mentoring Program.



- **Mentor Roles** – *for those seeking to build their leadership skills*
  - Open to PMP certified PMs with 10+ years experience
- **Mentee Roles** – *for those seeking to apply and expand PM skills*
  - Open to chapter members seeking to address real-life project questions and enhance overall PM skills
- **Register Now for the Fall Program!**
  - Registration open until July 31<sup>st</sup>
  - Go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PMIMentoring2017>



# 2017 Fall Core PM Mentoring Program

What else do I need to know about the Mentoring Program?



- **Program Benefits**

- Certificate of Completion for successful completion
- Earn PDUs for group and 1-on-1 meetings

- **Program Details**

- 21 week session running from September 9<sup>th</sup> – January 27<sup>th</sup>
- 3 required group meetings (1.5 hours each)
- 1-on-1 mentor/mentee meetings (2 – 4 times/month)

- **Questions?**

1. See Skip Depner this evening
2. Email [DirMentoring@PMI-Chicagoland.org](mailto:DirMentoring@PMI-Chicagoland.org)

# September 2017 Dinner Meeting

**Date:** September 13, 2017  
**Topic:** Teams that Rise Above Disruption  
**Speaker:** Kimi Hirotsu Ziemski  
**Location:** Meridian  
1701 Algonquin Road  
Rolling Meadows, IL 60008



# PM SYMPOSIUM

## “INNOVATION, AGILITY & STRATEGY”



**Date** : September 15<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Meridian Banquets  
1701 E Algonquin Road  
Rolling Meadows, IL 60008

**Register:** [http://pmichicagoland.org/PM\\_Symposium\\_2017](http://pmichicagoland.org/PM_Symposium_2017)

**Key Note Speakers** : Mari Kirabal & Andy Kaufman



# Upcoming Workshops, Training, & Events By Our Partners / Vendors

# PMI Chicagoland PMP Exam Classes

- **PM Enterprises**
- Online Only: Six Mornings PMP Exam Prep
- **July 15, 22, 29, and Aug. 5, 12, 19, 2017**
- 9:30 am – 1:30 pm each day
- For registration and details, visit [http://pmichicagoland.org/PMI\\_Exam\\_Preparation\\_Courses](http://pmichicagoland.org/PMI_Exam_Preparation_Courses)



# PREPARE FOR YOUR CAPM or PMP!

PMI Chicagoland has partnerships with the following PMI Registered Education Providers:



For upcoming dates, visit <http://pmichicagoland.org>, then click on the **Certification** tab.



# Chicagoland Chapter Executive Council

# PMI Chicagoland Executive Council

***What is it?*** Brings together executives across industries to share ideas, perspectives and best practices for incorporating project management into their operations. The Council allow us to:

- Benchmark across industries providing global **perspectives**
- Foster peer-to-peer **networking**
- Showcase **innovative PM approaches**

Interested in learning more.... contact Jerome Rowley, Director, Executive Council at [DirExecutiveCouncil@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirExecutiveCouncil@pmichicagoland.org)



# PMI Chicagoland

## Executive Council Members

- Steven Barger
- Lisa-Ann Barnes
- Veronique Barrotteaux
- Eileen Carlson
- Robert Chakrabarty
- Lucian Cioata
- Helen Cooke
- Michael Costantini
- Skip Depner
- Brian Donovan
- Yvette Graham



- Jim Harvey
- Milt Haynes
- Jeannine Houlihan
- Brian Kemper
- Jonathan Lee
- Patricia Ludwig
- Walter Lum

- Owen McGovern
- Amy McGraner
- Rafael Matuk
- Anthony Mersino
- Joseph Norton
- John Parkinson
- Janet Peterson
- Hugh Pinkus
- Richard Pless
- Norm Pucilo
- Amber Redman
- Bill Stamos
- George Wang

# PMI Chicagoland Executive Council Core Team

- Laszlo Gonc (Chair)
- Jane von Kirchbach (Vice Chair)
- Silvia Prickel (Past Chair)
- Amy Jo Martin (VP Business Outreach)
- Jerome Rowley (Director of Executive Council)
- Bernie Deir (Core Team Member)
- Jessica Ellerbrock (PM)





# Job and Other Announcements

# In Transition?

Check out Job Postings in our  
Careers Section  
and Post Your Resume  
FOR FREE!

[www.pmichicagoland.org](http://www.pmichicagoland.org)



# Career Development Job Postings

*Several jobs are posted daily to our website.*



## 3 easy steps to post a job:

- Go to [www.pmichicagoland.org](http://www.pmichicagoland.org), **Post Job Opening**
- Select **Create** your job posting
- Hit submit

# Advertise with PMI

*Want to reach project managers with information about your services?*



*Advertise in the PMI Chicagoland  
Newsletter, E-mail Blasts or on the Website*



Email: [DirAdvertising@pmichicagoland.org](mailto:DirAdvertising@pmichicagoland.org) for more  
information