

PMI Research Program

The PMI Research Program is the acknowledged leader in support of global PM research, PM knowledge creation and the application of research to PM practice.



The Application of Project Management Research to Practice

Academic research leads to new methods, tools and better utilization of personnel resources in project management practice



PMI Research Department

- Formed in 1997
- Only PM Advocacy Organization with a dedicated research program
- Over \$14 Million expended on research in last 11 years



Research Member Advisory Group

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PMI Research Staff

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Research Program

- Research grants
- Research publications
 - Monographs
 - White papers
 - Books
- Pre-Congress Working Sessions
- Biennial Research Conference
- Survey links
- Dedicated networking website

Sponsored Research Program

- RFP Process and Timeline
 - Topical areas defined:
January
 - RFP Announcement: May 1
 - Preliminary Proposals Due:
July 1
 - Full Proposals Due:
September 15
 - Funding Decisions: October



2008 Research Projects

- **The Value Mindset of Project Managers and Its Influence on Project Success**
- **The Use and Development of Emotional Intelligence Abilities in Projects**
- **Coping with Stress in Organizational Roles through Team Learning**
- **Identifying the Forces Driving Frequent Changes in PMOs**
- **Increasing Project Flexibility: Preparing for the Unknown in the Concept Stage**
- **Refining the Knowledge Production Plan**

2009 Program Areas

- Governance and Ethics in PM
- PM as a Career
- Project Assessments
- Organizational Change
- Portfolio Management
- Best Industry Outcomes

Growth in PMI Sponsored Research Program

- 2007
 - 42 preliminary proposals
 - 16 full proposals
 - 7 funded
- 2008
 - 60 preliminary proposals
 - 19 full proposals



- Dedicated Research Program web page
 - www.pmi.org
 - **Click “Resource” tab to navigate to Research information**

Biennial Research Conferences

- To convene thought leaders from academe and organizations
 - Discuss new research and directions
 - Exchange knowledge and needs
 - Guide the future of profession and PM research
 - Apply what is learned

2008 Research Conference Highlights

- Record number of registrants from 51 countries worldwide
- 7 plenary presentations
- 51 peer reviewed papers
- 10 Student poster presentations
- Research Awards granted

2008 Award Recipients

- Achievement Award - **Dragan Milosevic, Ph.D., PMP**, Portland State University, OR
- PMJ Paper of the Year - **Blaize Horner Reich, Ph.D.** Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Canada.
- Student Poster Awards -
 - Yvan Petit**, Université du Québec à Montréal and **Inger Bergman**, Chalmers University, Gothenburg, Sweden, “Project Portfolios-Dynamic Vehicles”
 - Hans Petter Krane**, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, “We manage risk so well, so why speak of opportunities?”
 - Ludovic-Alexandre Vidal**, Ecole Centrale PARIS Laboratoire Genie Industriel, “Project Complexity Understanding and Modeling to Assist Project Management”

2010 Research Conference

- Washington D.C., July 11-14, 2010



- Call for Papers opens June 1st, 2009

New Congress Research Track

- Each Global Congress
- Applied research topics
 - If interested in submitting a paper contact:
research.program@pmi.org

Call for Research Track Submissions

- Where?
 - APAC, Feb. 9-11, 2009, Kuala Lumpur
 - EMEA, May 2009 (Location TBA)
- Topic – Open
- Submit to
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Submission Guidelines

- Title: 10 words or less
- Description: 1000 character maximum
- Outline of actual presentation
- Author's Biosketch (100 word maximum)
- List of up to 4 past presentations to PM audiences