



2007 - The year of PMForum's emergence as a global resource for the world of project management!

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Now it is December again, time to reflect and celebrate the accomplishments of another year. In the US, this is the month when many organizations schedule special events, vacations and holiday breaks, and work slows down. Project management professional associations, branches and chapters often schedule parties, awards banquets or other celebrations. December is the season for celebration and remembrance.

It is also a good time to look back at the year, to reward accomplishments, and to discuss "lessons learned" from our projects and programs. This month I want to take a moment to note the progress that we have made this year at PMForum, to reconfirm our mission and to thank those who have contributed to our success.

Nearly 14 years ago when David Curling began to explore this new medium, the worldwide web, he decided to create an independent source of global information about professional project management. He created www.pmforum.org, the world's first PM website, which he promoted at the first Global PM Forum in New Orleans in October 1995. By the time he retired at the end of 2004, David had created one of the world's best known project management websites, visited by thousands on a regular basis, and linked to over 10,000 other websites around the world. During 2005 and 2006, PMForum.org was owned and administered by iWorld Projects & Systems, a business development company that tried to grow the website as a global platform for PM news, information and services. Traffic and visibility of the website continued to grow, but slowly. In early 2007, PMForum, Inc. was formed as a new company to own and grow www.pmforum.org and related online assets into a more robust set of resources for the world of project management. During 2007, growth and expansion have accelerated.

PMForum's Mission

Beginning in mid-2006 when I assumed the duties of managing editor and **Nelson Soucek** became the Technical Director, and continuing through 2007, we have implemented a new, more serious, and more important mission, to create a Global Resource for the World of Project Management. That mission includes:

- To create the world's leading **source of "global" PM news & information**;
- To provide a global resource and **service for PM authors and leaders** who want to share knowledge, "get published" and gain visibility; and
- To provide a global **resource and service to PM organizations** who need and desire more visibility in the PM world.

During 2007, we took significant strides toward accomplishing our mission. This month I want to review some of those accomplishments. However, we could not have made such progress without the involvement and assistance of many people around the world. So this editorial is also to identify and thank the advisors, authors, correspondents, sponsors and other contributors who have helped make 2007 a banner year for PMForum.

2007 Accomplishments

During 2007, we continued some important initiatives and launched several new ones that have helped transform PMForum into a serious global resource for the PM world. In summary, we:

- Transformed **PM World Today** into a global eJournal, with its own website at www.pmworldtoday.net, global distribution and a growing reputation as one of the world's leading sources for PM knowledge, news and information.
- Transformed www.pmforum.org into a source of daily **Breaking News** from around the world of project management
- Grew PMForum's **Global PM Advisory Panel** to include 19 of the world's leading figures in the PM professional world, representing 12 countries and the world's leading PM professional societies.
- Grew PMForum's **Global Correspondent Network** to include 28 active and motivated representatives in 23 countries around the world.
- Created the **International Editorial Advisory Council** and invited 12 academic leaders from major educational institutions with graduate programs in project management in 11 countries to participate.
- Launched a **PM Governance & Oversight Service** to assist organizations with important and worthwhile global programs and initiatives, and won a first major support role with the US government.
- Launched the **PM AmbassadorsTM Speakers Bureau** as a service for leading PM authorities and experts, and for event and meeting planners worldwide.
- Launched a **PM Events Partnership Program** as a service for PM organizations and event organizers around the world of project management.

These efforts have also increased user traffic to both related web sites nearly two-fold. Now I want to reflect on the significance of these developments, clarify their purpose and potential, and thank those who have helped make these accomplishments possible.

PM World Today eJournal

PM World Today has been a tremendous success. From a bi-monthly eNewsletter, it has been transformed into a robust monthly eJournal with its own website (www.pmworldtoday.net), editorial advisory team, sponsors, archives and identity. *PM World Today* has become a source of new PM articles, papers, stories, news and information, provided by authors and correspondents around the world.



Here are some notable achievements related to the eJournal during 2007:

- Launched the new www.pmworldtoday.net website in January 2007;
- Published a total of 144 articles and papers during the first 11 months of 2007, representing an average of 12 new ones each month;
- Published articles and papers from approximately 80 different authors, and multiple papers by several leading PM experts, during 2007;
- Published a total of 19 Book Reviews, average of 1.58 per month, representing additional exposure for those PM book authors and publishers, provided by mid-career PM professionals enrolled in the graduate program in project management at the University of Texas at Dallas (many of whom had not had articles previously published);
- Published a total of 96 regional reports from correspondents around the world, representing an average of 8 per month – snapshots of the PM profession in various major cities and countries;
- Published over 500 news stories about projects and project management around the world, many representing new information for readers in the PM professional world;
- Increased distribution to over 7,800, nearly doubling distribution this year.

I want to thank the authors and contributors who submitted articles and papers for publication in *PM World Today* this year. We hope the knowledge shared was useful to readers, and the added visibility helpful for the careers of the authors. I want to thank our International Correspondents for their monthly contributions, such important content for the monthly publication and critical for transforming *PM World Today* into a truly global resource. Those monthly articles provide a very interesting and important insight into the status and maturity of professional PM in those locations. Finally, I want to thank **Nelson Soucek**, PMForum's technical director and webmaster, who created the new website and is the producer each month, creating templates, presenting the content and administering the website.

The News on PM Forum

When we launched our breaking news feature in 2006 (including RSS feed), we did not fully realize the huge demand there is for this service. It has now become the single leading source of traffic on www.pmforum.org. In addition, the number of press releases posted in the PMF Newsroom has also increased as more organizations recognize the value of this service for marketing purposes. Here are some significant accomplishments in this area for PMForum during 2007:

- Published breaking news on all but 24 days during the first 11 months of 2007,
- Published a total of 490 breaking news articles during the first 11 months, an average of 44.5 per month, approximately 1.5 per day;
- Published over 40 Calls for Papers, and 100 articles about future PM events, in support of the professional organizations sponsoring those events.
- Reported and published live breaking news stories from six major PM events, including IPMA's World Congress on Project Management in Krakow; PMI's Global Congress North America in Atlanta; APM's first national PM conference in London; and Microsoft's Office Project 2007 Conference in Seattle.
- Published 75 articles that showcased PM leaders and individuals in the news;
- Published 35 breaking news articles related to PM research and education, and more than 125 stories about PM professional activities and organizations.
- Published over 150 news articles related to developments in the PM industry and marketplace, including announcements by publishers related to PM.
- Published more than 90 news articles related to fascinating projects or general news affecting projects and PM.
- Published over 350 press releases from and about PM companies, products, services and developments

In today's fast paced world, PM executives and professionals want to keep up with latest developments and news from around the PM world. PMForum now provides this service, collecting, consolidating and publishing PM news from a wide variety of sources. This has been an exciting development, although there is much more to accomplish. For 2008 we have many new exciting initiatives planned that will greatly increase the value of our service to the global PM professional community.

I want to thank our each of our International Correspondents for their articles and stories this year, **Nelson Soucek** in Idaho for his support, and **Rakesh** in New Delhi for his responsiveness with posting press releases.

Global PM Advisors

A Network of the world's top Professional Leaders

Launched in late 2006 primarily as honorary recognition, PMForum's Global Advisory Panel was intended to provide Fellows and former leaders of major PM professional societies with greater recognition and visibility in the PM world. It was also intended to provide those globally-recognized PM authorities with opportunities to continue their contribution to the PM professional world after retirement. Of course, the association of these high level PM experts and leaders has also provided PMForum with added credibility throughout the world, a tremendous service to us for which we are extremely grateful.

During 2006, we were honored to have the following PM leaders join the PMForum Global Advisory Panel: **Russ Archibald**, PMI Fellow (Mexico/USA); **Marcio Prieto**, PMI Brazil/Sao Paulo Founder (Brazil); **Max Wideman**, PMI Fellow & past Chair (Canada); **Gilles Caupin**, Former President & Chair of AFITEP and IPMA (France); **Rebecca Winston**, Past Chair & Fellow of PMI (USA); **Brian Kooyman**, Past Chair & Fellow of AIPM (Australia); **Vladimir Voropajev**, Founder & President of SOVNET (Russia); **Eric Jenett**, Founder and Fellow of PMI (USA); **Hiroshi Tanaka**, Founder of JPMF and PMAJ, Current President of PMAJ (Japan); **Martin Barnes**, Past Chair, Fellow & Current President of APM (UK); and **Harvey Levine**, Past Chair & Fellow of PMI (USA).

Now I want to recognize the new Global PM Advisors who joined the team in 2007:

- **Louis Mercken**, Past Chair and Fellow of PMI (Belgium)
- **Adesh Jain**, Founder of PMA and current Chair of IPMA (India)
- **Peter Morris**, PhD, Past Chair & Fellow of APM (UK)
- **Paul Dinsmore**, PMI Fellow & well known author (Brazil)
- **Morten Fangel**, Past Chair of IPMA and Founder of Danish PM Association (Denmark)
- **Alan Stretton**, PhD, AIPM Fellow and well known professor (Australia)
- **Miles Shepherd**, Past Chair of both APM and IPMA (UK)
- **Debbie O'Bray**, Past Chair of the board of PMI (Canada)

Of course, the experiences, expertise and credentials of these individuals go far beyond the professional titles mentioned. Most are seasoned executives, educators or consultants, several for some of the world's largest organizations in their respective industries. The above advisors include some of the world's leading authorities on modern project management. They are all fellows, or current or former leaders of the world's largest and most widely recognized PM professional societies. They also represent connections to the PM professional worlds in most of the world's leading economies today. I want to thank these giants of the PM profession for their confidence, feedback and support this year. For more information about this program and individual global advisors, visit <http://www.pmforum.org/pm%20forum%20team/advisors.htm#3>.

Global Correspondents Network Representation around the world

PMForum's Global Correspondents Network represents a tremendous set of resources and representatives around the world. These individuals also present us with a window into the PM world in those important cities, countries and regions where they reside. Providing frequent news articles and reports from those locations each month, our International Correspondents are now responsible for much content published on www.pmforum.org and www.pmworldtoday.net, for which we are grateful. PMForum now has 28 International Correspondents in 23 countries.

Launched in mid-2006, the following International Correspondents joined the network last year: **Ana Maria Rodriguez** (Rosario, Argentina); **Alcides Santopietro** (Sao Paulo, Brazil); **Robert Posener** (Sydney, Australia); **Miles Shepherd** (London, UK); **O. Chima Okereke, PhD** (Port Harcourt, Nigeria); **Saralee Newell** (Orlando, Florida, USA); **Florin Gheorghiu** (Bucharest, Romania); **Alfonso Bucero** (Madrid, Spain); **Manfred Rieck** (Weisbaden, Germany); and **Alexandre Rodrigues** (Lisbon, Portugal).

During 2007, the following new International Correspondents have been added in another dozen countries:

- **Ahmet Taspinar** – Istanbul, Turkey
- **Jose Machicao** – Lima, Peru
- **Theofanis Giotis** – Athens, Greece
- **Marc Zocher** – Bainbridge Island, Washington, USA
- **Carol Dekkers** – Tampa, Florida, USA
- **Thibaut Goupil** – Evreux, France
- **Raju Rao** – Chennai, India
- **Ed Naughton** – Dublin, Ireland
- **Larry Suda** – New York City, USA
- **A. Matt Piazza** – Dallas, Texas, USA
- **Mounir Ajam** – Dubai, UAE
- **Alexander Matthey** – Vich, Switzerland
- **Irwin Jose Franco** – Guayaquil, Ecuador
- **Renate Prantner** – Vienna, Austria
- **Ammar Mango** – Amman, Jordan
- **Jaycee Kruger** – Gauteng, Johannesburg Region, South Africa
- **Brenda Treasure** – Melbourne, Australia
- **Romeo Mitchell** – Toronto, Ontario, Canada

These individuals are all very experienced, active and motivated professional leaders who are working to advance project management in their respective countries. We are honored to have them associated



with PMForum and representing us in the local PM communities. We are also grateful for their many contributions this year.

I also want to take this opportunity to remember **Saralee Newell**, PMI Fellow and PMForum correspondent in Florida, who passed away in September. Her last contribution can be found among the regional reports in the September edition of PM World Today. We miss Saralee, appreciated her contributions to the PM world, and extend our condolences to her husband Michael.

For additional information about PMForum's Global Correspondents Network or individual correspondents, please visit

<http://www.pmforum.org/pm%20forum%20team/index.htm#5>.

International Editorial Advisory Council

A Network of PM Academic Institutions & Leaders

2007 saw the launch of another global advisory network by PMForum, the International Editorial Advisory Council (IEAC) for *PM World Today*. Consisting of globally-recognized academic leaders and professors of project management at leading educational institutions, the IEAC represents some of the world's leading graduate programs in project management. During 2007, the following were named Editorial Advisors by PMForum:

- Professor **Erling S. Andersen**, BI Norwegian School of Management, Oslo, Norway
- Professor **Christophe Bredillet**, PhD, Ecole Supérieure de Commerce de Lille (ESC Lille), Lille, France
- Professor Emeritus **David Cleland**, PhD, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, USA
- Professor **Roberto Sbragia**, PhD, University of Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- Professor **Rajat Baisya**, PhD, Indian Institute of Technology, New Delhi, India
- Professor **Sebastian Green**, PhD, University College Cork, Cork, Ireland
- **James Joiner**, Director of the Graduate Program in Project Management, University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, Texas, USA
- Professor **Brané Semolic**, PhD, University of Maribor, Maribor, Slovenia
- Professor **Francis Hartman**, PhD, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
- Professor Dr. **Sergey Bushuyev**, PhD, Kiev National University of Construction & Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine
- Professor **Viatcheslv Pozynakov**, PhD, State Academy of Top Managers, Moscow, Russia
- Professor **Roland Gareis**, PhD, Vienna University of Business & Economics, Vienna, Austria

These individuals have agreed to provide advice and feedback to PMForum related to the content of the *PM World Today* eJournal. They also provide PMForum with connections to leading academic institutions, and the faculty and students at those universities. As PMForum grows in reach and visibility, we expect to become an educational resource for those institutions as well as offer more students and professors with opportunities to publish and share their research. We want to thank these individuals for their time, contributions and support this year. For additional information about this network of academic leaders, please visit http://www.pmworldtoday.net/team/editorial_advisors.htm.

PM Governance & Oversight Services the Global Threat Reduction Initiative

Based on our global network of PM advisors and experts, PMForum has launched a set of project management advisory and oversight services aimed at assisting organizations with global programs and projects. We are especially interested in assisting on globally significant projects.

As an example, PMForum announced on October 26, 2007 that the company is now providing project management advisory services for the Global Threat Reduction Initiative (GTRI). The GTRI, within the US Department of Energy's National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA), is a major program financed by the US government to reduce and protect vulnerable nuclear and radiological materials located at civilian sites worldwide. The program directly addresses important recommendations of the 9/11 Commission.

For the GTRI program, PMForum advisors are participating on a technical review team, along with representatives from several U.S. National Laboratories, to review the integrated project management system being developed for this important program and other project management related issues as requested by the program management team.

In addition to myself, the expert advisors on the PMForum team include **Wayne Abba**, widely recognized as one of the world's leading authorities on earned value management (EVM); **Russ Archibald**, PMI Fellow, APM (UK) Honorary Fellow, and a Global Advisor for PMForum; and **Miles Shepherd**, past president and chair of both the Association of Project Management (APM) in the UK and the International Project Management Association (IPMA), APM Fellow [Honorary], and also an advisor and correspondent for PMForum in the UK.



The GTRI mission is to reduce the threat of a terrorist acquiring the material for a crude nuclear weapon or a "dirty bomb", by assisting foreign governments in improving cradle-to-grave security, control and disposition of non-military nuclear and radioactive materials. The goal of the GTRI program is to convert, secure, or remove a wide variety of at-risk special nuclear material or dangerous radiological materials that are widely used for medical, scientific, and industrial purposes. GTRI operates in the USA and more than 100 cooperating countries worldwide to address at-risk nuclear and radiological materials that pose, or could pose, a threat against the security of the USA and its allies and interests around the world.

There is a growing need for independent advisory, governance and oversight support on major governmental programs, and large industrial projects that impact the public. With a global network of leading project management authorities, PMForum is now in a position to start helping some of those organizations and programs. Independent oversight is also an important element of the project management maturity process. We are excited about the potential for these services. Meanwhile, I want to thank our executive advisors Wayne Abba, Russ Archibald and Miles Shepherd, who are participating on the GTRI project. I also want to thank the program executives on the customer side at Battelle Memorial Institute, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, and in the GTRI Program office within NNSA at DOE in Washington, DC. This global initiative is a very important program and we are honored to help.

PM Ambassadors™ Speakers Bureau

A Resource for PM leaders and event planners



The **PM Ambassadors™ Speakers Bureau** was introduced by PMForum in June 2007 as a new service for project management leaders and meeting planners worldwide. The program offers and promotes leading project management authorities, experts and professional leaders who are available to speak at conferences, meetings and seminars worldwide. PM Ambassadors™ include globally-recognized project management professional experts; authors of PM textbooks; former presidents and chairs of PM professional societies; experienced project managers and PM professionals; and retired executives of project and program-oriented organizations. During the first six months of the program, the following speakers have signed on as PM Ambassadors™:

- **Martin Barnes**, PhD – Pioneer in the PM field and inventor of the cost/time/quality triangle, Dr. Barnes was a founder, past chair and current president of APM in the UK. He is former executive director of the Major Projects Association and is very well known across Europe.

- **Gilles Caupin** – Founder & past president of the French PM Association AFITEP, and past chair of IPMA, Mr. Caupin is an experienced PM consultant in the transit and engineering industries in France & across Europe.
- **Paul Dinsmore** – PMI Fellow and well known author and consultant, Mr. Dinsmore is considered a global expert in Enterprise PM, Human Factors in PM and other topics on which he has published many books and papers.
- **Randall Englund** – Co author of the recently published Project Sponsorship book, Mr. Englund is a well respected PM author, educator and consultant based in California. He also teaches in the Stanford Advanced PM Program.
- **Adesh Jain** – One of the world's most visible and best known PM leaders, Mr. Jain is founder and honorary president of PMA (India), past president and current Chair of IPMA, and president elect of the International Construction Project Management Association.
- **Brian Kooyman** – Fellow and former President and Chair of AIPM, Mr. Kooyman is one of the best known and most respected professional leaders in Australia and the Asia Pacific region. He is also CEO of one of the largest PM consultancies in Australia, the Tracey, Brunstrom and Hammond Group.
- **Mark Kozak-Holland** – Author of the popular Lessons from History books, including *Churchill the Agile PM*, *Lessons from the Titanic*, and *Project Lessons from the Great Escape*, Mr. Kozak-Holland is an IT, Technology and Agile PM expert, still working as a PM for HP in Canada.
- **Harvey Levine** – PMI Fellow and former PMI President and Chair, Mr. Levine is a former executive with GE Corporation and a well-known PM consultant in the USA and worldwide.
- **Louis Mercken** – Fellow and Past Chair of PMI, Mr. Mercken is also International Partner and CEO of the Threon Group, a leading PM consultancy based in Belgium with offices in most major countries in Europe.
- **Miles Shepherd** – APM Fellow, Past President and Chair of both the APM in IPMA, Miles Shepherd has over 35 years' experience in a wide range of engineering, defense, nuclear and security programs in the UK and abroad.
- **Rebecca Winston, J.D.** – PMI Fellow and past Chair of the PMI Board of Directors, Becky has extensive experience in the management of environmental remediation, nuclear, national security, and engineering projects in the USA.

We are excited to offer this service to PM leaders around the world and expect this program to grow in the future. PM Ambassadors™ are available to speak at project management conferences, meetings, and seminars, and at corporate events. Background information about individual speakers and potential presentation topics can be found at <http://www.pmforum.org/ambassadors/ambassadors.htm>. I want to take this opportunity to thank the 11 leaders who are participating in this program and invite others to join. Other PM leaders, especially those who are partially retired but who still want to travel and speak occasionally, and who might be interested in participating should contact me at editor@pmforum.org.

PM Event Partners Program Services for PM Professional Organizations

The PMForum Events Partnership Program was launched recently to provide services and support to PM professional organizations who are planning or organizing a major event, such as an annual conference. These services are in two areas:

Media Partner – As “media partner” PMForum will post event banners with links on our website, post announcements about the events, and publish breaking news stories about the event before, during and after the event. In exchange PMForum is listed as the Media Partner on the event website and provided entrée to the event so PMForum correspondents can attend to report the news.

Production Partner – As “production partner”, PMForum can provide keynote speakers, global promotion before the event, live news coverage before and during the event, publication of papers and presentations after the event, and general project management support. We can also provide event website development and administration.

During 2007, PMForum acted as Media or Production Partner for the following major events:

- **15th PMA Global Symposium "Business By Projects"**
12, 13, 14 November, 2007; Hotel Ashok, New Dehli, India;
PMForum Role: Media Partner
[\(See event articles and news coverage\)](#)
- **4th Annual Microsoft Office Project Conference**
28-31 October, 2007; Washington State Trade and Convention Center Seattle, USA;
PMForum Role: Media Partner
[\(See event articles and news coverage\)](#)
- **2007 APM National Project Management Conferenc "The Business of Projects"**
30, 31 October, 2007; Brewery Conference Centre, London, UK;
PMForum Role: Media Partner
[\(See event articles and news coverage\)](#)
- **PMI GNO Chapter / LavaCon - Professional Development Summit (PDS)**
27 - 30 October, 2007; New Orleans, LA, USA;
PMForum Role: Media Partner
[\(See event articles and news coverage\)](#)
- **1st Annual University of Texas Dallas; Project Management Symposium**
6 August 2007 in Plano, TX, USA
PMForum Role: Production Partner / Media Partner / Speaker Provider
[\(See congress articles and news coverage\)](#)

- **21st IPMA World Congress Cracow;**
18-20 June, 2007 in Cracow, Poland
PMForum Role: Media Partner
([See congress articles and news coverage](#))
- **PMI Dallas Chapter First Annual Professional Development Day**
28 April, 2007 in Dallas, TX USA
PMForum Role: Media Partner
([See event articles and news coverage](#))

For 2008, PMForum is already signed on as Media Partner for several major events, including the International Project & Program Management Symposium Tokyo 2008 (March 2008 in Tokyo, Japan); the 2nd Annual University of Texas Dallas Project Management Symposium (August 2008 in Plano, TX, USA); and the 22nd IPMA World Congress Project Management Symposium (November 2008 in Rome, Italy).

Our events partnership program is proving popular with PM professional organizations and is rapidly establishing PMForum as the preferred media resource for the world of project management. We want to thank our partners, the executives at the world's leading professional societies with whom we are now working. This is an exciting service, allowing PMForum to service the PM profession while establishing friendly relations with professional organizations and leaders worldwide. We expect many further benefits to accrue from this program.

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Without some financial resources, it would be impossible to accomplish the initiatives and programs described above. Therefore, I want to thank the following organizations who have supported PMForum this year as advertisers on www.pmforum.org and sponsors on www.pmworldtoday.net:

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- **Journyx, Inc.** www.journyx.com
- **Keller Graduate School of Management at Devry University**
www.kelleradvantage.com
- **O'Reilly Media Group, Inc.** www.oreilly.com
- **PMGuruonline.com** www.pmguruonline.com
- **Threon Group** www.threon.com
- **The Graduate Program in Project Management at the University of Texas at Dallas**
<http://som.utdallas.edu/project/>

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In Summary Time to Celebrate!

We have accomplished much this year at PMForum, with the help of our advisors, authors, correspondents, partners, sponsors, readers, subscribers and other stakeholders. Let us all celebrate our successes this year, and the lessons learned, challenges overcome and opportunities ahead.

I believe the PM world will continue to grow at a rapid rate worldwide for at least the next decade. We at PMForum plan to keep pace with that growth and to be THE global resource for the expanding world of PM. 2007 was the year of our emergence. We expect 2008 to be the year we really take flight.

So as the space shuttle Atlantis lifts off again this week, let us again congratulate NASA, thank our own lucky stars, and recognize this launch as a symbol for the boundless opportunities and potential for project management and project managers everywhere.

Thank you for your support this year, and best wishes for a happy and successful December and year end.

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