

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY 2022

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## The Future of Project Management

**TRACK 1: THE JOURNEY AHEAD**  
*CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR  
ALL STAGES*

**TRACK 2: TRAILBLAZERS**  
*ON THE CUTTING EDGE*

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# WELCOME MESSAGE



Welcome to **PMINYC's Professional Development Day (PDD) 2022**. The PDD is a gathering of the project management community for an all-day shared learning and professional development event. This year, we are very excited to present "**The Future of Project Management**" and our **17 subject matter experts** who will offer their knowledge and experience for your career development.

Anthony Reed will present the first keynote: **7 Leadership Lessons From Running Marathons on 7 Continents**. Then we will break into two tracks: **The Journey Ahead - Career Development for All Stages** and **Trailblazers - On the Cutting Edge**. There is a lunch break at noon, followed by **Mindfulness for Project Managers** with Naiyi Huang. To kick off the afternoon, J. Scott will present the second keynote: **The Art of Leading a Team that #GSD**, followed by the two tracks and ending with 2 informative and fully interactive panel discussions: **Choose Your Own Career Adventure: A Roundtable Conversation** and **Adapt, Adopt, Thrive...or Not - Tales from the Trenches: A Peer-to-Peer Panel Discussion**.

Before we close the event, we will share the results of the raffle drawing for a number of topic-relevant books written by our speakers and finally send you off to your weekend with a special performance by the one and only, PMINYC Chapter President, Frank Saladis - you won't want to miss that!

We hope you take advantage of the in-session tools, ask questions and interact with the speakers. You may also start a discussion channel or network with colleagues using the tabs at the top of the microsite. Participants can earn 8 PDUs on the day of the event and 6 additional PDUs following the PDD since the presentations will be recorded during the live event.

This year's Professional Development Day would not be possible without our esteemed keynote and session speakers, mindfulness expert and panelists who dug deep to bring you the latest and greatest developments in project management on which to build the future. A huge, heartfelt thank you to our sponsors and Board of Directors - we truly appreciate your support in making this day a success. Last - but most certainly not least - to my PDD Event Team, you have my eternal gratitude for all of your hard work, due diligence, contributions and encouragement along the way.

We would also like to extend our appreciation to all of our attendees today. We hope you will gain new knowledge, techniques, insights and tools to help you manage the future of your projects. Good luck with your career development!

Sincerely,  
Kristen

## Kristen Zarcadoolas

Director, Professional Development Day 2022  
PMI New York City Chapter





The PDD Team hosts the all-day experience of shared learning for a community of project management colleagues in NYC and beyond.

# HOW TO ACCESS SESSIONS



Once the PDD is underway, you can take part in it by joining sessions from the Home page of the PDD microsite. You can follow the presentation from your device, like a slide in a presentation deck, ask the speaker a question, and share your feedback at the end.

**Note: You can only join sessions that are currently LIVE if you are signed in to the PDD microsite.**

## HOW TO JOIN A SESSION



1. Click the banner on the top of the PDD microsite when the event has started. You will be navigated to a new page. The left pane in the page will display all the sessions based on tracks.
  - a. The sessions that are currently running will be associated with the **Live** label.
  - b. The selected session will be associated with the **Now Viewing** label.
  - c. The completed sessions will be associated with the **Ended** label.
2. Select a session that you want to join in the left pane. The virtual space for that session will be displayed.
  - a. If the selected session is currently running, the session will be displayed in the right pane of the page.
  - b. If the selected session is yet to begin, the session details will be displayed in the right pane of the page.
3. Optional: Click the **Go to All Tracks** link to view other tracks in order to join a different session in the event.
4. To participate in the session:
  - a. Use **Reactions** to provide non-verbal feedback and engage with the speaker.
  - b. Click the **Questions** tab to pose a question for the speaker; the host will read them on your behalf.
  - c. Clicks the **Polls** tab to answer poll questions if posted by the speaker.
  - d. Click the **Chat** tab to converse with other attendees, the speaker, or hosts during the session to discuss related topics.

Click **Leave Session** in the bottom to close the presentation.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

1. You can join sessions from the **Agenda** tab as well. Click the **Live** tab to view sessions that are currently running, then click the **Join** button associated with any session.
2. The Virtual PDD Event Space includes sessions, exhibitors, and networking and discussion channels. You can switch between any of these options in the tabs at the top at anytime.
3. To view the presentation in full screen, click the **arrow icon** associated with the left pane to collapse the pane.
4. If you leave a session before it completes, but would like to participate in it again, select the session on the left pane and click the **Rejoin** button in the right pane.

# CONFERENCE AGENDA

DEC 9 2022	The Future of Project Management The Latest Developments in Project Management on Which to Build the Future					
8:30 AM	WELCOME MESSAGE					
9:00 AM	 <b>MORNING KEYNOTE: Anthony Reed</b> <i>7 Leadership Lessons From Running Marathons on 7 Continents</i>				1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	
	Track 1	The Journey Ahead - Career Development For All Stages		Track 2	Trailblazers - On the Cutting Edge	
10:00 AM	<b>Timothy P. Brandon</b> <i>Project Manager Expertise, Experience and Career Development</i>		1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	<b>Michael Roberts</b> <i>5 Use Cases for PM Tools You May Not Be Using</i>		1 PDU Business Acumen (Strategy)
11:00 AM	<b>Niel Magsombol</b> <i>Becoming a Person of Influence</i>		1 PDU Business Acumen (Strategy)	<b>Te Wu</b> <i>Tackling Risks in Projects, Programs, and Portfolios</i>		1 PDU Ways of Working (Technology)
12:00 PM	LUNCH					
12:30 PM	MINDFULNESS MOMENT FOR PROJECT MANAGERS WITH NAIYI HUANG					
1:00 PM	 <b>AFTERNOON KEYNOTE: Jason Scott</b> <i>The Art of Leading a Team that #GSD</i>				1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	
	Track 1	The Journey Ahead - Career Development For All Stages		Track 2	Trailblazers - On the Cutting Edge	
2:00 PM	<b>Paul Pelletier</b> <i>Diversity and Inclusion in Project Management</i>		1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	<b>Susan Parente</b> <i>Hybrid Project Management: Using Agile with Traditional PM Methodologies to Succeed on Modern Projects</i>		1 PDU Ways of Working (Technology)
3:00 PM	<b>Uri Galimidi</b> <i>Charting Your Career Roadmap</i>		1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	<b>Jim Soenksen</b> <i>Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) and Cybersecurity</i>		1 PDU Ways of Working (Technology)
4:00 PM	<b>Avinash Patil</b> <i>Project Management in the New World of Work</i>		1 PDU Power Skills (Leadership)	<b>Mark Mullaly</b> <i>Narrating the Future of Project Management</i>		1 PDU Business Acumen (Strategy)
5:00 PM	2 PANEL DISCUSSIONS				2 PDUs Business Acumen (Strategy)	
5:45 PM	RAFFLE RESULTS with FRED STEIN and SPECIAL PERFORMANCE by FRANK SALADIS				Thank you for joining us. Have a great night!	

# KEYNOTE SPEAKERS - 9 AM, 1 PM



**ANTHONY REED**



Anthony Reed, CPA, PMP is a business professional and two-time national hall of fame distance runner with over thirty years in project management and executive positions. He's led multi-million dollar, international IT projects and departments for Fortune 500 and international companies. He combined his love of distance running and project management to write, produce, and direct the ninety-minute award-winning documentary entitled Breaking Three Hours: Trailblazing African-American Women Marathoners.

## KEYNOTE SESSION: 7 Leadership Lessons From Running Marathons on 7 Continents

Successful endurance athletes and business managers exhibit the same characteristics to thrive. Anthony will share his experiences as a corporate IT executive and finisher of over one hundred 26.2-mile marathons to show you methods to lead people using marathon techniques and strategies. He's also one of fewer than 300 people in the world to have completed a marathon on all seven continents, including Antarctica.

### 1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)

**JASON SCOTT**



Jason Scott is a CEO, founder, speaker, author, instructor, and location independent entrepreneur who's recognized as an expert in transformational leadership that gets sh\*t done #GSD. In 2020, Jason launched the 120 Brand Community, to create new businesses that apply the transformative power of #GSD to reimagine servant leadership, enable teams to deliver products, build brands that matter, and to transform how people balance work and play as location independent entrepreneurs. He is the author of two Amazon bestselling books "It's Never Just Business: It's About People" and "The Irreverent Guide to Project Management, An Agile Approach to Enterprise Project Management."



## KEYNOTE SESSION: The Art of Leading a Team that #GSD

Jason Scott, Founder and CEO of 120VC will be presenting "The Art of Leading a Team that #GSD." In this presentation, you'll learn why having a management or executive title doesn't make you a leader and simple, easy to execute leadership techniques that have all been proven to drive transformational outcomes for 120VC's Fortune 500 clients.

### 1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)

# SESSION SPEAKERS - 10 AM



## TIMOTHY BRANDON

Dr. Tim Brandon holds degrees in Mathematics, Computer Science, Information Systems, Technology Management, Business Administration, and Project Management. He is certified as a PMP, ACP, and DASM by the PMI and is a Lean Six Sigma Green Belt. He brings with him 50 years of professional experience with Project, Program, Portfolio, and Project Management Office. Tim collaborates with colleagues at Northcentral University (NCU) and is the founder and principal consultant at North Star Pathfinder LLC (NSP). Experiential lesson learning and life-long personal and professional development have been key areas of interest throughout his 45-year professional practice.

### SESSION: Project Manager Expertise, Experience, and Career Development

Dr. Brandon will share highlights from his recent research study exploring the key expertise, experience and career development factors which contribute to overall project manager competency and project success. The objective is to offer insights into how project managers rated their skill levels, provide an easy assessment tool, and recommend ways for project managers and leadership to enhance levels of expertise and accelerate professional development.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)**



## MICHAEL ROBERTS

Michael Roberts is an IT industry professional with more than 25 years of experience in bringing software to market. His industry certifications include those from ICAgile, Cisco, CompTIA, Microsoft and the Scaled Agile Framework. With his experience as a technology executive, he's guided many companies to successful IT and software projects. Michael was a popular speaker at our 2021 PDD event and we are excited to have him back for this year.



### SESSION: Five Use Cases for Project Management Tools You May Not Be Using

In this talk, the speaker will provide five different use cases for project, program or portfolio management tools. These use cases will discuss different scenarios, business types, industries and products, all while still focusing on scheduling, resource planning and cost management and includes efficiency gains. Tools discussed will include Atlassian Jira, Atlassian Advanced Roadmaps, Asana, Wrike, Planview, and a few others.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: WAY OF WORKING (Technology)**



## SESSION SPEAKERS - 11 AM



**NIEL MAGSOMBOL** 

Niel is a Transformation Architect, Executive Leadership Coach & Keynote Speaker that has helped lead Enterprise Agile Transformations in Global Fortune 100 Companies such as Caterpillar, Prudential, Pfizer, Boston Consulting & Fidelity. He is also a proud member of the Maxwell Leadership Certified Team, & DISC Behavioral Analysis Trainer, and is one of only 140 people around the world to have earned an SPCT, the highest level of certification from Scaled Agile. He's known as an insightful, energetic, and humorous motivational speaker that has presented at several Fortune 100 Companies, PMI, IIBA & Agile events around the world, universities, professional sports teams, and non-profit Organizations.

### **SESSION: Becoming A Person of Influence**

This session will cover how as a project leader, whether in agile or waterfall, you can increase your level of influence regardless of where you are in an org chart. Whatever your vocation or aspiration, you can increase your impact on others by Becoming a Person of Influence. Learn simple, insightful ways to interact more positively with others, and watch your personal and organizational success go off the charts. Based on the book written by the world's foremost leadership expert, John Maxwell

### **1 PDU - CATEGORY: Business Acumen (Strategy)**



**TE WU** 

Dr. Te Wu is CEO of PMO Advisory LLC, a management consulting firm that specializes in Strategic Business Execution including portfolio, program, and project management with nearly 30 years of experience in management consulting and project management, and had worked with industry leaders such as KPMG, Accenture, Oracle, Kraft, Standard and Poor's, Chase Bank, LexisNexis, Guttmacher Institute, and Weill Cornell. He is also a business school professor at Montclair State University (MSU) and Stevens Institute of Technology (SIT) and also teaches at China Europe International Business School. He's been teaching international business, organization change, and project management for the past 20 years. Te is one of few, estimated at less than 250 in the world, professionals certified in Portfolio (PfMP)®, Program (PgMP)®, Project Management (PMP)®, and Risk Management (PMI-RMP)®.



### **SESSION: Tackling Risks in Projects, Programs, and Portfolios**

This presentation focuses on and addresses four questions: 1) What is risk management and why is it important? Here we also offer matrix for professionals to evaluate knowns and unknowns. 2) How do risks manifest across projects, programs, and portfolios? 3) What are the effective processes of risk management? And finally 4) What are the latest trends in risk management.

### **1 PDU - CATEGORY: WAY OF WORKING (Technology)**



## SESSION SPEAKERS - 2 PM



**PAUL PELLETIER** 

Paul is a project manager, corporate attorney, author and international professional speaker. He is an advocate, consultant and trainer in workplace respect, conflict management and diversity/inclusion.

A dedicated PMI volunteer, he served on PMI's Global Ethics Member Advisory Group for 5 years. He has presented at over 50 global PM conferences and over 25 PMI Chapters across North America, Europe, Asia and the Middle East.

### **SESSION: Diversity and Inclusion in Project Management**

This presentation helps project management professionals successfully build relationships with those you serve and work with that are “different”. We need high levels of diversity intelligence to develop long-lasting, respectful, and inclusive client and workplace relationships. People from different backgrounds, cultures, countries, sexes, ages, and experiences have different approaches to communication, motivation and business relationships – by expanding your awareness of diversity, you can create opportunity for clients to feel cared for, respected and heard.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)**



**SUSAN PARENTE** 

Susan Parente is a Principal Consultant at S3 Technologies and an Adjunct Professor at multiple universities. She is an author, mentor and teacher focused on risk mgmt., traditional and agile project mgmt. Her experience is augmented by her MS in Engineering Mgmt., along with 15 professional certifications. Ms. Parente has 24+ years' experience leading software and business development projects in the private and public sectors, including a decade of experience implementing IT projects for the DoD and numerous other Federal Agencies and private sector organizations.



### **SESSION: Hybrid Project Management: Using Agile with Traditional PM Methodologies to Succeed on Modern Projects**

Many times, our projects are large enough and complex enough that no one process or project management methodology fits all situations! Therefore, a hybrid approach that mixes the traditional, waterfall approach with Agile is really required in many situations today. This presentation is a summary of key concepts established in our course, Hybrid Project Management: Using Agile with Traditional PM Methodologies to Succeed on Modern Projects developed by Mark Tolbert and Susan Parente.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: WAY OF WORKING(Technology)**



## SESSION SPEAKERS - 3 PM



**URI GALIMIDI**

Uri spent most of his career in senior consulting and IT positions including as a Partner with Accenture, VP with Oracle Corporation, and Senior VP with PwC.. Ten years ago, Uri switched from active consulting to coaching, mentoring, writing, and speaking on topics of Project Management and Leadership. Uri's webinars have been viewed by more than 160,000 project managers from all over the world. Uri holds a MSc degree in Bio-Medical Engineering and a MBA degree. Uri is a certified PMP and is also credentialed as a Professional Certified Coach (PCC) by the International Coaching federation (ICF).

### **SESSION: Charting Your Career Roadmap**

In this presentation Uri will discuss the importance of charting our Career Roadmap including a description of the three phases on our careers: Exploration, Growth, and our Career North Star. Uri will include strategies for discovering our Career North Star and charting our roadmap to achieving our long-term career goals. In addition to focusing on the long term, Uri will discuss strategies for shining and being the best that we can be in our current role so as to position ourselves for the next milestone in our career. The presentation includes a real-life case story, practical strategies for becoming highly competitive, and engaging discussion with the audience.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)**



**JIM SOENSKEN**

Jim has over 20 years of experience in the information security, financial services, and technology industries. Conveying the knowledge and conviction it takes to fight cybercrime, Jim offers a realistic view of today's security, privacy, risk issues, and remedies for the business community. He blends business goals with technology, training, policies, and improved processes to provide the appropriate program and regulatory compliance for each individual company. Jim is a SME in data privacy, information security, cybersecurity, FFIEC, Red Flags Rule, FACTA, FCRA, GLBA, PCI, NIST, COBIT 5, COSO, and ISO 27000/22301/31000. Additionally Jim has an in-depth understanding of HIPAA and HITECH Act regulatory compliance laws, and state/country data breach notification laws.



### **SESSION: Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) and Cybersecurity**

- How can AI & ML help improve Cybersecurity Detection & Protection?
- How can Project Manager's utilize AI & ML in creating and advancing better, faster, and more efficient Cybersecurity Defenses and Best Practices?
- What does the Future Hold for AI&ML in the Cybersecurity World and how can you prepare to be a significant part?

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: WAY OF WORKING (Technology)**



## SESSION SPEAKERS - 4 PM



**AVINASH PATIL**



Avinash possesses 20+ years of experience in managing complex global PMO's, portfolios, and programs in enterprise and consumer products and services, with domain experience in SaaS, mobile Apps, transformations, and Cybersecurity. A "Stanford Certified Program Manager", Certified Scrum Master, Certified Scrum Product Owner, Certified SaFE practitioner, and Kanban practitioner, Avinash has a "Master of Technology" degree from Mysore University, India. His corporate experiences include working with Hewlett Packard, Cisco & VMware. Currently he drives strategic initiatives for VMware based in Palo Alto, California.

### SESSION: Project Management in New World of Work

The future of work is here, and it is hybrid, remote with highly distributed workforce. The business environment will be volatile, ambiguous, and uncertain. The pace of change is going to be exponential. We need to learn to manage in this new world of work and survive and thrive as project managers. This will bring new challenges and opportunities. We will learn how to thrive in this new world as project manager.

**1 PDU - CATEGORY: Power Skills (Leadership)**



**MARK MULLALY**



Mark Mullaly is a consultant, facilitator and speaker, and the president and chief organizational therapist of Interthink Consulting. He is passionate about helping strategic leaders deliver meaningful value. In a world of uncertainty, where the right answer always depends, Mark provides the process and perspective to know what the answer depends on. His presentations give you the confidence to embrace complexity, navigate politics and deliver results that matter.



### SESSION: Narrating the Future of Project Management

In this presentation, the speaker explores the potential pathways and possibilities of how project might evolve, and the implications that they might have for the practice, structure and tools that we use. You'll gain an appreciation of the forces in play, the influence they have and what the future might look like as a consequence. While the future is always a little uncertain, forewarned is forearmed. Get the insights you need to succeed and thrive in the coming years and decades.

**1 PDU- CATEGORY: BUSINESS ACUMEN (Strategy)**



## PANELISTS - 5 PM



**PAUL RUNDZIEHER** 

Paul Rundzieher joined RGP in 2008 and manages the global Project Consulting Services (PCS) team for RGP. PCS is the consulting arm of RGP, a publicly traded professional service firm also offering On-Demand Talent, Permanent Search and Business Process Outsourcing. Paul was central in the maturity of RGP's consulting capabilities over the past decade and lead the formation of PCS in 2018. Paul is a subject matter expert in financial business processes and systems. He has led several full life cycle system implementations as well as conducted numerous assessments focusing on people, process and technology. He has more than 30 years' consulting and international corporate management experience. In addition, Paul has expertise in program and project management, organizational change management, data governance and the establishment of shared service centers.

Paul holds a BS in Accounting from Clemson University and an MBA from Wake Forest University. Paul is also a certified Project Management Professional (PMP).

 **ANNELI DRIESSEN, Ph.D., Ph.D., MCC**

Anneli has been at the forefront of personal and corporate change for over twenty years. Since 1978 she has been a successful clinical therapist, business executive, consultant, confidant, mentor, and Master-certified coach to CEOs and other C-level executives serving clients in North and South America and Europe. In addition, Anneli has been a metaphysical scholar for over 30 years and is well-respected for her work in leadership development and metaphysical education. She is the founder and CEO of the International Metaphysical Academy in Victoria, BC, Canada ([www.MetaphysicalAcademy.com](http://www.MetaphysicalAcademy.com)), with its early beginnings in 1995. Her book, "*Spiritually-based Leadership – 7 Keys to High Performance*" is a unique guide to assist individuals in accelerating personal and career performance by integrating divine principles and universal ethics rooted within most religious and spiritual traditions.



**KARLA EIDEM** 

Karla Eidem, PMP, is the North America Regional Operations Manager for the Project Management Institute. In this highly collaborative role, Karla is part of the team responsible for developing and executing key strategic initiatives to grow PMI's reach and deepen the impact to stakeholders across the United States, Canada and the Caribbean. Karla previously worked at Sanford Health where she was an enterprise senior project manager. Her most recent project included working with Sanford's executive leadership team to manage the rollout and implementation of the COVID-19 vaccine in the region. She is a graduate of South Dakota State University. She speaks English, Filipino, Spanish and Ilonggo. Karla was recently the Vice President of Programs at the PMI Sioux Empire Chapter and resides in Sioux Falls, South Dakota with her husband, 2 stepsons and her American

Eskimo dog. She loves spending time with her family and friends, enjoys traveling, calligraphy, brush lettering, and ice fishing.

### **Choose Your Own Career Adventure: A Roundtable Conversation with a Consulting Practitioner, Master Certified Coach and PMI Regional Operations Manager**

While the pandemic was devastating overall, it was also a huge disruptor that ultimately provided the opportunity for many to reevaluate what matters most and how to apply that to their careers. Three career pivot experts discuss the excitement of forging a new path, address the challenges of connecting the dots on a resume and in an interview and explore the world of consulting.

### **1 PDU- CATEGORY: BUSINESS ACUMEN (Strategy)**



## PANELISTS - 5 PM



**LUIGI ROSA** 

Luigi Rosa is a Professional Engineer (PE), Project Management Professional (PMP), MSCE, PMI, CMAA, and ASCE mentor with 25 years of experience throughout NYC, Europe, and the Middle East in managing mega railway projects. He is currently part of the MTA leadership team assigned to deliver one of the new MTA Mega-Projects, the Penn Station Access Project (PSA).

Before joining the MTA, Luigi worked on several transformational projects that changed the lives of millions of people: the Italian High-Speed Railway program that revolutionized people's lifestyle and mobility in Italy and the Omani National Railway Project that aims to be part of an integrated logistic network that will enhance the primary global trade routes considering that Oman is the first point

of entry to the growing markets of MENA, Indian subcontinent, and Africa.

Luigi has been part of a team of reviewers to update the Construction Extension of the PMBOK. He is an active member of the PMI Community since 2012 and is passionate about project management and leadership and is always trying to find the way to build bridges to understand the current and future trends of project management.

 **NICK APRIGLIANO**

Nick Aprigliano holds Bachelorette degrees in Economics and Italian. He also obtained a Master of Business Administration Degree and his PMP certification in October 2009.

Nick has over 30 years of professional experience and has been a Hospital Project Manager/Program Director since 2003. Nick led the "Cutover" from a legacy, dated, electronic medical record system to the industry leader, Epic, for 11 Acute Care Hospitals, 1 Long Term Care Hospital and all of their associated outpatient clinics. Prior to New York City Health + Hospitals, Nick managed all types of projects at Mount Sinai, Continuum Health Partners and the Northwell Health System.



Nick has a long history with PMI and the New York City Chapter. He became a member of the chapter in 2010. He has also been deeply engaged and committed as a volunteer with the Chapter since June 2019. He is currently the Director of the Chapter's Mentoring Program. He started as a mentor back in 2019 and then proceeded to hold progressive positions within the Chapter culminating in being appointed as the Director of Mentoring in September 2022.

### **Adapt, Adopt, Thrive...or Not, Tales from the Trenches: A Peer-to-Peer Roundtable Discussion**

The pandemic disrupted business continuity and project priorities with long-term impacts on our ways of working. Many organizations quickly assembled a current state of operations that was ad-hoc and temporary. And yet we are still only halfway through our change journey with a return to a "new normal" at some point. And as the market heats up and the complexity of doing business continues to increase, individuals and organizations are seeking insights that might help them simplify things. How can we proactively prepare our teams to transition to a future state when there are so many unknowns?

2 Project Management Professionals from different industries share their innovative stories and inspirational lessons learned from various challenges and opportunities.

**1 PDU- CATEGORY: BUSINESS ACUMEN (Strategy)**

 **TRACK 2**

## MINDFULNESS SPEAKER - 12:30 PM



**NAIYI HUANG** 

Naiyi has been working as an IT project manager for last 25 years focusing on Supply Chain, ERP, and healthcare. She discovered yoga twelve years ago as a way to manage her stress, physical, mental, and spiritual well-being. She found it so inspiring and felt compelled to become a yoga teacher in 2014. She now teaches Mindfulness, Meditation and Yoga practices in studios in New York and virtually.

### **SESSION : Mindfulness for Project Managers**

This is a guided mindfulness practice session to calm our mind, reflect and rejuvenate. We'll practice together and experience the calmness and quietness of the mind. You will learn some simple techniques, which you may take away for your daily use.

## SPECIAL GUEST - 5 PM

 **FRANK SALADIS**

Frank P. Saladis, PMP, PMI Fellow is the Owner/Founder of Blue Marble Enterprises Inc. and Project Imaginers. Frank is an accomplished leader and contributor in the discipline of project management. He is the author of 12 published books, the past editor of the All PM Newsletter (an IIL publication) and the author of over 160 project management articles. Frank provides training and consulting internationally and has educated and entertained countless audiences with a special blend of project management knowledge and tasteful humor. He is also an experienced and well known project management instructor, consultant, professional trainer, facilitator, mentor, and keynote speaker.



Frank is the Originator/Founder of International Project Management Day which launched in 2004 and has been growing in recognition yearly. The goal of International Project Management Day is the worldwide recognition of the many project managers and project teams in every industry.

Frank was PMI's 2006 Person of the Year. Frank is a PMP, a graduate from the PMI Leadership Institute Master's class, and has contributed significantly to the organizations growth and knowledge base for more than 20 years. His leadership activity within PMI included President of PMINYC, President of the Assembly of Chapter Presidents, and Chair of the Education and Training Specific Interest Group. He also received the high honor of the " PMI Fellow Award" and the very prestigious "PMI Distinguished Contribution Award". Mr. Saladis is currently featured as a monthly contributor for the Project Management World Journal and is engaged in training programs for PMI's Seminars World ®.

**Moderator for Choose Your Own Career Adventure: A Roundtable Conversation at 5 PM**

**Special Musical Performance at 5:45 PM**

# CLAIM YOUR PDU's



## ACCESSING RECORDED SESSIONS

All participants will receive an email with links to the recorded presentations by 12/31/22.

## HOW DO I SELF-REPORT PDU'S?

All participants report PDUs directly with PMI.  
Please follow the steps below:

1.

Go to [www.PMI.org](http://www.PMI.org) and then click **"Login"**

2.

Click on your picture / name (upper right-hand corner) and then click **"Certification"** in the dropdown

3.

Scroll down to your PMP or other certification and then click **"Report PDU's"**

4.

Click on **"Course or Training"**



- Enter Provider Number: **CO21** PMI New York City Chapter
- Enter course name of attended session
- Enter description: (optional; you may add speaker's name for clarity if you wish)
- Enter date started and date completed
- Claim appropriate # of PDUs for the presentation you attended/ according to original description
- Click the checkbox to confirm the accuracy of the claim and click **"Submit"**

You will get 2 emails; one confirming your submission and one confirming approval. Please allow up to 24 hours for receipt of these emails.

# RAFFLE DRAWING



As we have a limited time during the PDD event and since we have a number of prizes, we have decided to conduct the raffle offline using a randomized process as outlined below:

- 1 All qualified registrants will be assigned a random number.\*
- 2 All qualified registrants will have a chance to win one prize – the first prize in which he/she is randomly awarded.
- 3 Using a random number generator: (<https://www.calculator.net/random-number-generator.html>), we will generate a series of numbers corresponding to the prizes we have.
- 4 We will announce the winners after the Panel Discussions. (Winners do not need to be present to win.)
- 5 We will email the prize winners shortly after the event. Addresses will need to be provided in order to ship books.

\*Note: All registrants except PDD Director, Board of Directors, Speakers and Sponsors are qualified for the drawing.

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