SUNY Center for Professional Development

October 2024 Monthly Webinar

Project Management Community of Practice
October 24, 2024

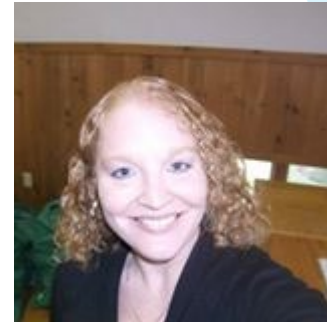# What is the Project Management Community of Practice?

- This Community of Practice is for Project Management Professionals inside and outside of the SUNY community. We aim to create a space where project management professionals can share best practices, initiate discussions around project management concepts and learn more about project management and topics that affect project management.

- We look to foster discussion and sharing through the following:
  - Monthly webinars on PM topics and concepts
  - Discussion posts from moderators and members
  - Polls
  - Training opportunities for those in a PM centered position

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October Monthly Webinar Speaker

For our October 2024 Monthly Webinar, David Ecker from Stony Brook University agreed to present their SUNY Technology Conference 2024 presentation again just for us! They will be joining us to present the following:

Building a More Effective Team Through Empowerment and Trust

Building effective teams is critical to the success of any organization, particularly in higher education institutions where collaboration and innovation are essential. This presentation will explore the key elements required to build effective teams (especially across departments and disciplines and with varied abilities and skill sets) that can work towards a common purpose. Specifically, we will examine how empowerment, trust, and a common purpose are crucial to the success of an IT team and how having strong bonds can help overcome challenges and lead to positive outcomes.

Upcoming Monthly Webinars

- Speakers and topics for upcoming webinars to be announced in the coming weeks in the SUNY PM Listserv. Save the dates for these upcoming webinars:

  – No Webinars in November/December due to the holidays.

  – **Save the Date!** - January Monthly Webinar
    - Thursday, January 23, 2024, 11:00 AM

Upcoming Professional Development Opportunities

- **Project Management Fundamentals**
    - Online Synchronous Class delivered via Zoom
    - Thursday, November 7, 2024, and Friday, November 8, 2024
    - [Register Here](#)

- **Advanced Project Management**
    - Online Synchronous Class delivered via Zoom
    - Thursday, November 21, 2024, and Thursday, December 1, 2024
    - Registration will be opening in the next couple of weeks

Questions?