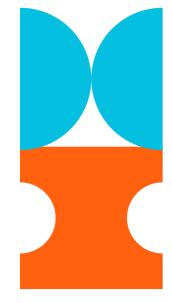


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## **Chapter President**

Dear Members of the PMI North Saskatchewan Chapter,

As we close out the fourth quarter of 2024, I want to take a moment to reflect on the incredible progress and milestones we've achieved together this year. One of the highlights of this quarter was our Fall Professional Development Day (PDD), held on October 24th at the Prairieland Convention Center.



The Fall PDD was a tremendous success, bringing together professionals from across the region for a full day of learning, networking, and inspiration. A standout moment of the day was the keynote address by Jill Heinerth, an acclaimed explorer, filmmaker, and author. Her talk captivated the audience with stories of resilience, innovation, and teamwork drawn from her extraordinary experiences exploring the underwater world. Jill's insights left a lasting impression on everyone who attended, and we are deeply grateful to her for sharing her journey with us.

I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to everyone who attended and contributed to making the event memorable. Your participation and enthusiasm are what drive the success of our chapter events.

This December, we held our Annual General Meeting (AGM), where we reflected on the year and made important plans for the future. I want to take this opportunity to extend my deepest gratitude to our 2024 Board of Directors for their outstanding leadership and dedication throughout the year.

Congratulations to our newly elected 2025 Board of Directors! We are excited to see the energy and vision you will bring to your roles as we continue to grow and strengthen our chapter. I encourage all members to support the new board and actively engage in our initiatives in the year ahead.

Wishing you all a joyful and restful holiday season. Here's to an exciting and productive year ahead in 2025! I look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events and engaging with you in the months to come.

As I conclude my term as Chapter President, I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to each of you for your support of the PMI North Saskatchewan Chapter during my tenure. It has been an honor to serve this incredible community of professionals.

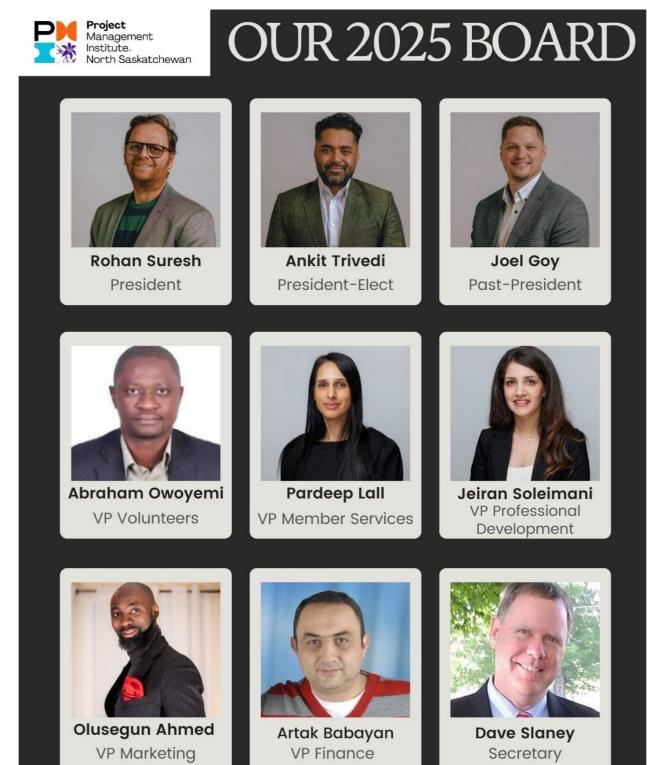
Warm regrads,

Joel Goy, PMP, P.Eng Chapter President PMI North Saskatchewan

# MEET OUR 2025 BOARD

#### Meet the Team Driving Our Mission Forward

We're thrilled to introduce the exceptional individuals leading us into a year of growth and success. Each member of our team brings passion, expertise, and vision, committed to driving our mission forward. Together, we're ready for a year of meaningful impact and collective success. Get ready for an inspiring journey as we work together to make a difference!



### PDD 2024

#### Thank you for helping make PDD 2024 a success!

We had an amazing day of learning, networking, and professional growth at our signature Professional Development event on October 24  $\searrow$  The event showcased the strength of our project management community, providing us with valuable insights, opportunities to share experiences, and a chance to broaden our knowledge on a variety of topics essential to our continuously evolving profession. A huge thank you to all the participants, speakers, and volunteers who contributed to making this event a resounding success. Your time, expertise, and dedication helped create an inspiring and enriching experience for everyone involved.



## **MEMBER EVEN**TS

#### 1. Luncheon Presentation – January 14, 2025

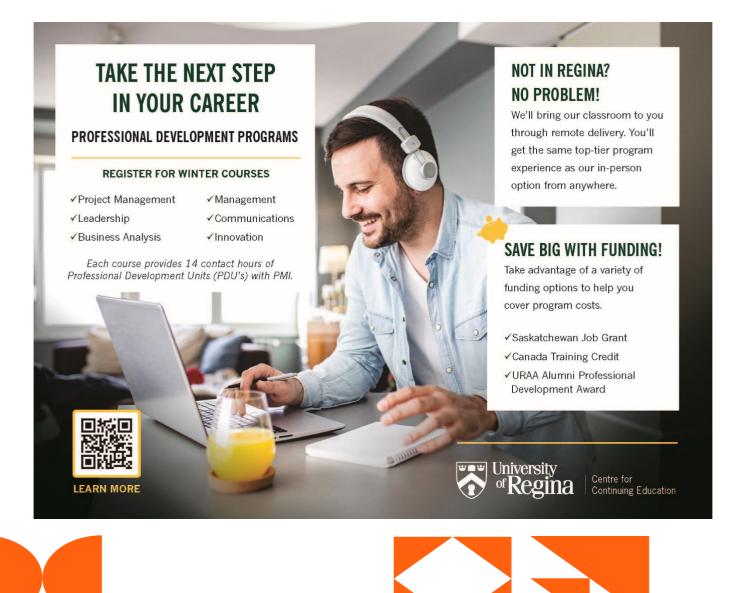
Mark your calendars for the January in-person luncheon! We're thrilled to have Kyle Drever present on the history of Saskatchewan's largest software implementation project and share valuable lessons learned. <u>Event info.</u>

#### 2. Luncheon Presentation – February 11, 2025

Join us for a virtual luncheon on February 15, 2025, and discover how to sell your ideas with Tim Duthie. Drawing from his extensive experience as a change agent across numerous projects, Tim will share insights into different sales approaches and key takeaways from both successes and setbacks. Learn practical strategies to advance your projects and career. <u>Event info.</u>

#### 3. PMXPO 2025, March 19 & 20, 2025

Register for PMXP0 2025 to unlock the skills and insights that empower you to drive meaningful change in your projects and our world. This free virtual event provides new and experienced Project Professionals the opportunity to explore our groundbreaking resources, earn PDUs, and discover how the project profession is making an impact on the world's biggest challenges. <u>Event info.</u>



### **PMI.ORG**

#### 1. Earn on demand PDUs - Webinars are live on the PMI North Sask Website!

Did you miss the chance to join us at Luncheon Presentations? We are now offering the chance to watch the recorded events and earn PDUs! Watch for future webinars as we look to add value to your North Sask membership.

- Click this <u>link</u> to view the available webinars
- Select the webinar you wish to view and complete the purchase (must be logged in)
- Once the purchase is complete, go to 'my videos' under your name drop down on the top right of the page
- Once you have viewed the webinar, you will manually claim your PDUs through the PMI.org website

#### 2. Authorized Training Partners with PMI

PMI Authorized Training Partners (ATPs) are organizations that we have approved to offer:

- Project Management Professional (PMP)® certification exam prep for the exam
- Disciplined Agile<sup>®</sup> training

• Courses that offer PDUs to maintain your PMI certification. Learn more.

#### 3. The Official PMI Blog

Perspectives on working in new ways and turning ideas into reality. Read more here.

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# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

#### Want to get involved?

Board Members and Directors provide important support for the Chapter.

#### What's involved in being a volunteer?

Build relationships with members and volunteers through effective stakeholder communications: Attend all Chapter events, when possible, such as AGM, dinner, and lunch meetings. Ensure timely payment to the vendors and service providers they engage. Adhere to Chapter policies and bylaws. Transition to their successor at the end of term for their position.

Board Member responsibilities:

Chair the Portfolio Committee, enabling it to work harmoniously and decisively together with all members. Participate in regular meetings and other business of the Chapter.

Director responsibilities:

Build good relationships with members and volunteers through effective stakeholder communication. Report to Board Member responsible prior to monthly Board and Director meeting. Manage initiatives specific to the Directorship position. Provide feedback to President-Elect for improvements to the roles and responsibilities.

Currently, our volunteer roster is complete, and we do not have any unfilled positions. However, we encourage you to register with us and join our waitlist. Your willingness to participate is greatly appreciated, and we will contact you promptly as soon as volunteer opportunities become available.





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