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## Charting the Future of Project Management with AI: Insights and Inspirations

Dear PMI Community,

As we continue to navigate the evolving landscape of project management, it's crucial to reflect on the strides we've made and the paths we're carving for the future. Let's **"Embrace curiosity"**, our next PMI **cultural value**, and make this our focus for upcoming month.

The spark ignited with an initial **survey on AI and Project Management** conducted in 2022. This initiative by the PMI Sweden Chapter captured the imagination of many sparking interest and excitement that laid the groundwork for deeper exploration and awareness. A passionate group of 32 project managers joined forces in 2023, and their endeavor quickly evolved into a global chapter-led initiative. This groundbreaking effort culminated in the **"Artificial Intelligence and Project Management: A Global Chapter Led Survey 2024,"** which offered profound insights into how AI is reshaping our field. Your enthusiastic participation and invaluable contributions made this exploration into the potential of AI a resounding success.

### Navigating AI In Project Management Report



Building on this foundation, we are excited to present **"Navigating AI in Project Management - A PMI Chapters Collaboration"** report. This new report dives deeper, bringing to light real-world examples of AI's impact on project management. From overcoming challenges to harnessing AI's full potential, the report is a testament to what we can achieve when we merge human ingenuity with artificial intelligence.

### Celebrating Our Milestones and Looking Ahead

Together, we've reached remarkable milestones. Our collective efforts have not only enriched our understanding of AI but have also strengthened our global community. It's a

celebration of innovation, collaboration, and the relentless pursuit of excellence. As we share these findings, we're not just disseminating knowledge but fostering a culture of continuous learning and adaptation.

We stand on the brink of new discoveries and advancements and our journey is far from over. The potential of AI in project management is vast and largely untapped. Through collaboration, creativity, and an unwavering commitment to progress, we can unlock doors to unprecedented efficiency and effectiveness in our projects.

We invite you to delve into the report, share it within your networks, and join the conversation about AI's evolving role in project management. Your insights, experiences, and questions are invaluable as we collectively push the boundaries of what's possible.

Together, let's shape the future of project management—a future that's smarter, more agile, and brimming with opportunities. The journey ahead is promising, and with AI as our compass, there's no limit to where we can go.

PMI Luxembourg Chapter

## News from PMI Global Summit and LIM in Berlin 2024



PMI Chapter Luxembourg is excited to share highlights from the recent **PMI Global Summit(GSS) & Leadership Institute (LIM) meeting** in Berlin. The events were a fantastic opportunity for project management professionals to collaborate, learn and have fun!

The theme of the event was **"Embrace Curiosity,"** which led to key insights and learnings about AI, wicked problems, understanding and influencing people; and the importance of Embracing an **"Entrepreneurial Mindset"** - all essential skills for project managers.

A highlight and to quote our CEO **Pierre Le Manh** "PMI are going to lead the transformation of AI in project management" echoing our ambition to not only embrace the opportunities AI brings to the project management world but also to lead the way.

**Richard Woodham, Aurora Gualtieri, Guzel Afanaseva, Laila Munajed Lahham,** and the full **PMI Luxembourg Chapter** team are committed to taking the collaboration to the next level to maximize project success and elevate our world. As project managers, we are not just passengers but pilots in our projects. We set the course, lead the way, make things happen and turn challenges into opportunities and ideas into reality!

The event reminded us that "What you do matters, but you matter too." Participants were encouraged to take smart risks and addressing challenging problems. Keynote speeches, interactive workshops, and enriching discussions with all leaders across PMI Europe created an inspiring atmosphere that fueled us with new ideas. **PMI Chapter Luxembourg** will continue engaging and nurturing our valued project management community in Luxembourg by sharing these key insights and memorable highlights from **GSS and LIM Berlin 2024.**

Let's ignite change and chart new paths together!

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## Campfire with Jas - Navigating through storms together: Conflict Resolution



A fun & informative workshop in April about Conflict resolution in Project Management opened our 2024 Power Skills – Campfire Series. Our facilitator **Jas Madhur** set the context with an introduction to conflict resolution through the lenses of different types of conflicts:

- Task-based
- Value-based
- Relationship-based.

These conflicts were then explored by a series of mini campfires where the attendees “deep dived” into some conflicts and models and tools to work with conflicts.

A key learning from the campfire that “**Communication & Stakeholder Management**” is a key skill in the toolbox to manage conflicts and another critical **Power Skill**.

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## Networking event



Networking event for our members and volunteers. Come and Enjoy! 😊

PDU will be offered for this event.

 **When:** 25th of April 6:00-8:30 CEST.

 **Where:** Brasserie La Fontaine, 25 rue du fort Elisabeth, 1463 Pl. de Paris, Luxembourg.

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### NETWORKING EVENT

Thursday, April 25, 2024  
Brasserie La Fontaine

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# COMING SOON!

## WORKSHOP

Come to learn and apply the latest developments on **Generative AI** to Project and Ways of Working at our Pop-up: Seminar & Networking Event on **28th May**



## Power Skills Campfire

Stakeholder & Communication  
Management  
**June**




**New podcast episode!**

## PM Untold: Managing AI projects

**with Mark van Helvoort**

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 Our guest today is **Dr. Mark van Helvoort**. Mark is a PMP, PBA, senior member of IEE, KIV and EMC expert who has led and participated in a large variety of public-private partnership projects. He (co-)authored a high number of patents, scientific and technical papers, and has nearly 80 publications, including two books.

Mark has been working at Philips for 25 years, and he is currently responsible for Public-Private Partnership Programs with in Magnetic Resonance Imaging. He is also a part-time



post-academic teacher in various institutes and EU funded projects.

In this episode, Mark shares his journey from electronic engineering PhD to project management and his experience and challenges in managing AI projects in Philips.

**PDU** offered for listening the episode.

Special thanks to all who made this Podcast and this episode possible: [Guangyu Fu](#), [Ana Felisberto](#), [Balint Dudas](#), [Ditta Bezdán](#), [Tim Gaens](#), [Giuseppe DiMaria](#), [Quentin Valette](#), [PMI Luxembourg Chapter](#), [PMI Belgium Chapter](#), [PMI Netherlands Chapter](#), [Mark van Helvoort](#)

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Laila Lahham

## **PMP Certification: Elevating Quality Management to New Heights**

“Never neglect an opportunity for improvement.”

-William Jones-

Incorporating PMP certification into the fabric of quality management processes reinforces the importance of adhering to established best practices and industry standards. It underscores the organization's commitment to quality assurance, risk mitigation, and stakeholder satisfaction, positioning it as a leader in its field.

by **Laila Munajed Lahham**, **PMP**  
Management Consultant and Trainer  
PMI Luxembourg Chapter Vice President and Secretary

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NEW PROGRAM FOR NEW MEMBERS!

# PMI LX Buddy

with Paul Scharfe



## Welcome New Members! Navigate Your PMI Journey with a Personal Buddy!

We're excited at the PMI Luxembourg Chapter to launch PMI LX Buddy, a personalized program for our newly joined members, designed to empower your membership experience from day one. Your dedicated "Buddy," Paul Scharfe, will guide you on a customized 3-month journey, unlocking the full potential of your PMI membership.

### Why join PMI LX Buddy?

- Looking where to start? Paul will help you understand our chapter's mission, activities, and the immense value you gain as a member.
- New to Luxembourg? Paul can connect you with a network of like-minded professionals, easing your transition into the local work environment.
- Want to know more about PDUs? Paul will guide you towards earning valuable Professional Development Units through PMI events and resources.

### What does PMI LX Buddy offer?

- 1:1 Support Meeting: Get personalized guidance and address any questions you have.
- Engaging Activities: Dive into chapter events, workshops, and networking opportunities tailored to your interests.
- Expanded Network: Connect with industry professionals and build meaningful relationships within the Luxembourg Chapter.

Ready to embark on your PMI journey with a friendly guide? Sign up for the PMI LX Buddy program today! Contact us at [volunteers@pmi.lu](mailto:volunteers@pmi.lu)



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Episode #4: The Grey Zone: Where Project Management meets Consulting with Grégor Nicolas

Episode #5: Managing AI projects with Mark van Helvoort



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## Ask us anything

Some of you asked us for a “questions & answers” column and so here it is! You can submit your questions using the below button (anonymously, if you wish). We will answer your questions in the upcoming newsletter issues.

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