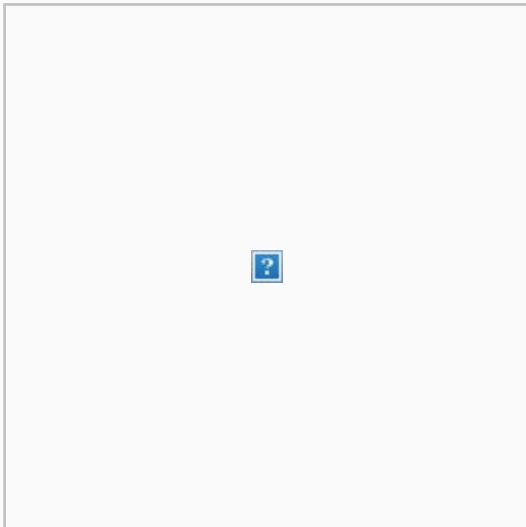


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## Upcoming Events

Visit the [PM Network events calendar](#) for additional details on these and other upcoming opportunities.

### July

8, 15, 22, 29 - PMP Credential Study Group  
13 - Coaching on Project Budgets  
19 - PMI Multi-Chapter Meeting | Taking Our Project Management Careers to the Next Level  
27 - SPARK Method Facilitator Training

*A note from our ASU PM Network President:*

I hope that everyone's summer has gotten off to a fantastic start and that you enjoyed your 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday! We are very excited to announce that registration has opened for the Arizona Project Management Summit 2023! The

ASU PM Network is working in close collaboration with the Phoenix and Tucson Project Management Institute (PMI) chapters to host this year's conference. The theme is "Re-imagine" and the conference will bring together the changemakers, leaders, and project professionals committed to helping you reimagine your future into reality. Learn to build a stronger future for yourself, your work, and your world. Both virtual and in person sessions will be offered taking place on Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup> (half day virtual) and Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> (full day in person at the Memorial Union on the Tempe Campus). We are in the process of finalizing our agenda and will provide an update when the agenda and speaker list has been released.

Early bird registration is available now through August 15<sup>th</sup>. Registration is discounted for ASU affiliates, use this code at checkout: ASUPMNetwork25. We look forward to seeing you there!

Register today: <https://pmiphx.org/azpmsummit-reg>

Have a great summer!



Elaine Miller

President, ASU PM Network

## Learn

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### **PMP Credential Study Group (Saturdays)**

**Date:** 7/8/23 - 8/26/23

**Time:** 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

**Location:** Online

**Cost:** Free for PMI Phoenix Members; \$50 for Non-Members

Study group is an opportunity for those seeking their PMP to study and prepare in a small group. You will review project management concepts and answer practice test questions.

[Register Here](#)

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## PM Network Coaching on Project Budgets

**Date:** 7/13/23

**Time:** 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**PDU:** 0.5 Leadership

Come join the PM Network Coaching Team to discuss project budgets. We invite you to rewatch the PM Network bootcamp session on project budgets before attending. At the coaching session, we will discuss the strategies of project budgets, best practices for managing, and much more!

[Register Here](#)

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## PMI Multi-Chapter Meeting | Taking Our Project Management Careers to the Next Level

**Date:** 7/19/23

**Time:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$5 for Members; \$10 for Non-Members

**PDU:** 1

The project management field is pretty crowded out there. It's no longer enough

to be just really good at what you do. You have to be more. It's no longer build it on time, on scope, and on budget. You have to add value over and above the normal requirements of project managers.

So how do we add value? How do we stand out in the crowd? How do we get recognized in this very crowded field?

Our speaker will get us thinking about what we can do to innovate our careers and get to the next level.

### **Learning Objective and Key Takeaways:**

- What is our industry looking for in a project manager these days?
- How can we stand up and be recognized in a crowded field?
- What do I need to do to ensure career success as a project manager?

[Register Here](#)

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## **ASU Spark Method Facilitator Training**

**Date:** 7/27/23

**Time:** 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Location:** University Center A, Tempe Campus

**Cost:** Free

The Organizational Performance Office (OPO) is offering training for university staff and faculty to be certified as ASU Spark Method™ facilitators.

The ASU Spark Method™ is a tool that allows teams to quickly move from discussing an opportunity or challenge to implementing an action plan built on the team's expertise and input. The Method empowers individuals at any level within an organization to approach the challenges they face with the tools needed to implement effective change. ASU Spark accelerates decision making, ignites motivation, lifts morale, and builds a culture of autonomy where each individual trusts and values the collective understanding that "Innovation starts with me™." In its simplest form, Spark is an easy-to-implement, effective method for guiding individuals and teams through a collaborative, action-

oriented, solution-generating process. Departments, units, or teams work through a Spark session under the guidance of a trained Spark Facilitator.

[Register Here](#)

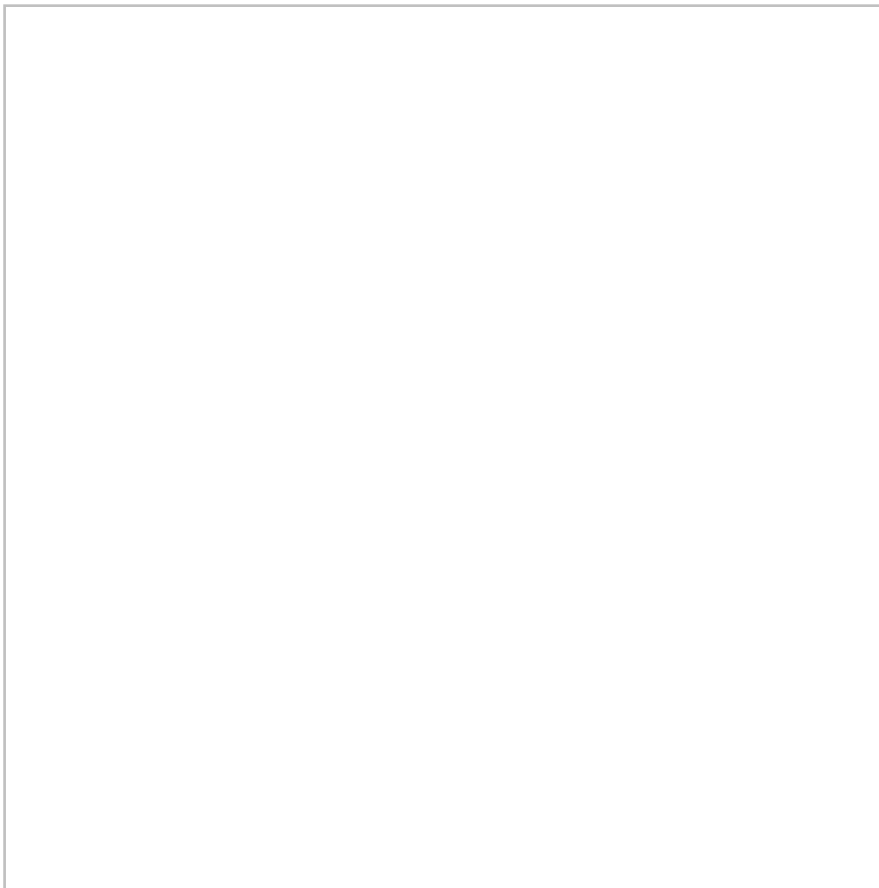
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For a complete list of PMI Phoenix training opportunities, [click here!](#)

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# Achieve

**Arizona Project Management Summit - Register Now!**



PMI Phoenix, ASU PM Network, and PMI Tucson are excited to bring together the changemakers, leaders, and project professionals committed to helping you reimagine your future into reality. Learn to build a stronger future for yourself, your work, and your world. Engage with speakers, start life-changing learning experiences, and experience great networking opportunities September 29-30, 2023.

This unique event will help you emerge stronger in the new post-Covid reality and future-proof your project leadership. Be part of a passionate global community of fellow change-makers.

Please note the speaker/presentation schedule is being finalized. More communication will be coming as the schedule slots are established!

## Early Bird Registration

Make sure to get in on the “ground floor” and secure your place at the summit registration. Early Bird pricing is available **now until August 15** and provides an additional **\$25 discount** for your registration.

## Everyone is Welcome

**You can register for one of the following options:**

- Virtual event (September 29)
- In-person event (September 30)
- Both virtual and in-person events (September 29-30)

Event prices for the different options will be displayed during the registration process.

If you are a member of PMI Phoenix, PMI Tucson, or Arizona State University, registration is discounted. For ASU, use the code below during the registration process to receive the discount.

**CODE:** ASUPMNetwork25

If you are not a member, we would still love it if you would attend. This program will have all sorts of elements to help re-imagine your career!

**[REGISTER NOW](#)**

## **Learn About Sponsorship Opportunities**

Interested in Sponsoring? We've expanded these opportunities at the event. Elevate your brand with global influences that are seeking solutions to advancing their projects. Email [sponsors@azpmsummit.org](mailto:sponsors@azpmsummit.org) to learn about options available for sponsorship!

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## **PM Network: Sign up for info on PMP training opportunities!**

ASU PM Network's PMBOK Team is looking forward to supporting the members of ASU community (and beyond) on their journey towards a PMP certification in 2023. Please fill out [this short form](#) to indicate your interest and stay in the loop on new PMP training opportunities.

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## **PMP 35 education hours**

As you may know, the release of the PMBOK® Guide, Seventh Edition coincided with changes to the PMP exam. [Visit PMI](#) for details about the

PMBOK® Guide, Seventh Edition. You can obtain the required 35 education hours for the PMP certification from the following sources:

- [ASU CareerCatalyst](#)
- [Udemy](#). See the PMP exam prep seminar by Joseph Phillips.
- [PMI® Authorized On-demand PMP® Exam Prep](#)

Follow our [Project Management Certification Prep](#) playlist on Career EDGE for a list of exam prep related courses.

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# Volunteer

Did you know that certified project managers can earn PMI PDUs by volunteering? Here are some opportunities for you!

## Arizona Project Management Summit 2023

The ASU PM Network in collaboration with PMI Phoenix and PMI Tucson are looking for volunteers to support the upcoming 2023 AZ Project Management Summit! The Summit is currently planned for **September 29th (Virtual) and 30th (In Person), 2023**.

**Note:** As a volunteer, your registration fee will be waived and you will attend the event for free!

If you are interested in volunteering for this event, please complete and submit the form by **July 28, 2023**.

[Complete volunteer form](#)

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## Volunteering for the PM Network

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for the PM Network to help with projects, training, or events, please complete the Volunteer Form.



**Complete volunteer form**

## PDU Resources

There are lots of additional opportunities to earn PDUs. Below is a list of websites with webinars & events that may be eligible for PDUs:

- **Career EDGE:** [Career-Edge.asu.edu](https://career-edge.asu.edu) (free webinars for ASU employees, including LinkedIn Learning).
- **Project Management Institute:** [pmi.org](https://pmi.org) (see “Learning & Events” tab).
- **PMI Phoenix Chapter:** [phx-pmi.org](https://phx-pmi.org) (on events tab, select “On Demand Webinars”).
- **ProjectManagement.com:** [projectmanagement.com](https://projectmanagement.com) (lots of free webinars for PMI members).
- **International Institute for Learning:** [iil.com/free-webinars](https://iil.com/free-webinars) (free webinars; IIL offers additional webinars and online conferences for a fee).

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