

PMI DALLAS

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

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History - PMI

Founded	1969
Headquarters	Newtown Square, Pennsylvania
About	PMI delivers value for more than 2.9 million professionals working in nearly every country in the world through global advocacy, collaboration, education and research
Member Benefits	• Free Download for the PMBOK Guide • Save money on globally recognised certifications & more • Master new skills through FREE webinars and events • Stay ahead of deadlines using 1000+ FREE tools and templates • Join local community to make local & global connections
Membership	Over 500,000 members worldwide from over 208 countries & territories
Website	www.pmi.org

History – PMI Dallas

Founded	1984
Location	Dallas, Texas supporting the DFW Metroplex
Mission	To support the growth and development of project management practitioners as well as build awareness of the project management discipline and its critical role in business and organization success.
Vision	The PMI Dallas Chapter will be recognized as the professional organization and resource of choice for project management within the Dallas area.
Initiatives	Project Management, Membership Involvement, Corporate Involvement
Membership	**4,800** Members and Growing!
Website	www.pmidallas.org



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2024 Board of Directors



Chapter's Board of Directors

Position	2024 Officers
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- Elections held every year no later than November
- All positions are elected for 2-year terms

Please visit the Chapter's Who's Who page for the most up to date contact information.

https://pmidallas.org/who

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Monthly Dinner Meetings



Dallas Chapter Dinner Meetings are on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 5:30 to 8:00, Location varies. For a break down of the event, refer to the meeting info on the chapter website.

Dress code is business casual unless otherwise noted.

Food and drinks are provided with event registration.

Alcoholic beverages are available for purchase.

Refer to registration FAQ's and the Cancelation Policy on the chapter website.

Chapter Military Program

Are you a veteran?

Dallas Chapter Military Initiative is designed to help transitioning military or veterans navigate project management and coveted certifications.

Sign up on our Chapter website to get in contact with a mentor!

https://pmidallas.org/form.php?form_id=49





Chapter Mentor & Mentee Program



Looking for a mentor or becoming a mentee?

Dallas Chapter Mentorship Program offers an experience that enables, empowered and provides an opportunity for others to advance their knowledge-base in the profession.

Sign up today to be connected with someone in the chapter.

https://pmidallas.org/form.php?form_id=25

Education and Learning

Chapter members are able to develop skills to becoming more competent and confident when talking to other people; both in prepared speeches and impromptu conversations. Register online to participate in our next Toastmasters' session.

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www.toastmasters.org

We are thrilled to be an official partner with PMTraining, a premier provider with a significant commitment to providing the highest quality education resources and support to chapter members. This partnership will provide our members with discounts on exam prep training for certifications. Visit the link below for additional resources.

https://pmidallas.org/PMTraining

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Chapter Book Review Program

Are you a bookworm and interested in expanding your knowledge in the project management field?

Visit the Book Review Table at the next Chapter dinner meeting to select a book to review. Books are available on a first come first serve basis.



Chapter Job Posting



At every dinner meeting, there is a networking opportunity for members engage in “green dot” / “blue dot to help connect job searchers with hiring chapter members.

Dallas Chapter Members also gain access to local job listings and space to post a job.

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Interested in becoming a sponsor?

Contact our sponsor team to view our packages.

Become a Corporate Ambassador

The Corporate Ambassadors are a group of individuals which act as liaisons between PMI's Dallas Chapter and their respective companies with their main function is to ensure close alignment between the groups. They are also focused on increasing engagement / membership at their respective companies. Corporate Ambassadors meeting virtually on a Bi-Monthly basis to collaborate and share information.



If you are interested in joining, please contact CorpAmbassador@pmidallas.org

Want to Get Involved?



Interest in getting involved?

We are always looking for volunteers to help us serve our chapter.

Volunteer Network:
https://pmidallas.org/Volunteer

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Any Questions?

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Welcome and Thank you for your time!