



Annual SC.GMIS Project Management Workshop

Please join us for our annual SC.GMIS Project Management workshop! As with all of the SC.GMIS workshops, this workshop is free to the attendees due to the generosity of our wonderful sponsors! Anyone who is employed by a government agency, or is contracted to do work for a government agency, is invited to attend.
Contractors require written permission from their SC.GMIS Member Agency to attend (email is fine).

When: July 28, 2011

Where: Saluda Shoals
5605 Bush River Rd
Columbia, SC 29212

Cost: *Free for SC.GMIS members (Join Today!)*
\$50 for non-SC.GMIS members
\$35 for PMI Charleston and PMI Midlands members
(registration fees are not refundable)

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Agenda

(subject to change)

- 8:30 – 9:00 am** **Networking, Coffee, and Danish**
Now is a good time to make new friends, to develop a stronger network, to renew old acquaintances, or to make new project management contacts.
- 9:00-9:30** **The Good, The Bad, and the Ugly – Your Lessons Learned**
In hopes of helping your professional community, please share your stories of how more recent projects at your agency have gone, good, bad, or just plain ugly! Let's learn from one another's experiences
- 9:30 – 10:30 am** **Six Sigma and ASQE**
Jennifer Starnes, Richland County
American Society for Quality offers several certification programs that help all IT team members – including managers, developers, and analysts – create top quality processes and products. We will discuss what is involved with earning the Six Sigma Black Belt and Software Quality Engineer certifications and how earning these certifications enables you to contribute more to the success of your organization's projects.
- 10:30 – 10:45 am** **Break**
- 10:45 – 12:15 pm** **Risk Management Techniques**
Dan Furlong, MUSC
One of the primary responsibilities for a project manager is to forecast, manage, and mitigate risk in our projects. This session will be an interactive workshop focused on improving our risk management skills and introducing new techniques for managing risk.
- 12:10 – 1:00 pm** **Lunch**

Attention PMPs: You will earn 6 PDUs (Category 4) at this workshop!

1:00 – 2:00 pm

Project Scope Management

Tom Brewer, University of South Carolina

This session will cover the foundations for project scope management and provide an overview of the Practice Standard for Work Breakdown Structures – Second Edition (Reaffirmed) from the Project Management Institute (PMI)®.

2:15 – 2:30 pm

Break

2:15 – 3:30 pm

The International Institute of Business Analysts

Dave Bieg, Chief Operating Officer, IIBA

This session will describe the role of the business analyst and the value that business analysis brings to projects as well as provide information on the International Institute of Business Analysts organization.

3:30 – 4:00

Presentation of Elite Achievers Awards and Closing Remarks

Steve Collins, SC.GMIS President