



## PMI-CPM GOVERNING BOARD 2005–2007

*President*

Neil Albert

(703) 506-4600

[President@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:President@pmi-cpm.org)

*Executive Vice President*

John Singley

(703) 428-6219

[ExecutiveVP@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:ExecutiveVP@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Finance*

Doug Fisher

(559) 760-5150

[VPFinance@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPFinance@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Administration*

Dale Gillam

(703) 431-6398

[VPAdministration@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPAdministration@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Conference & Events*

Susan Wood

(850) 892-3747

[VPConf&Events@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPConf&Events@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Education & Certification*

Frank Anbari

(202) 994-0404

[VPED@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPED@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Research & Standards*

Ray Stratton

(714) 318-2231

[VPResearch&Standards@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPResearch&Standards@pmi-cpm.org)

*Vice President of Communications*

Barry Schuler

(703) 456-0707

[VPCommunications@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:VPCommunications@pmi-cpm.org)

*Past President*

Eleanor Haupt

(937) 572-2586

[PastPresident@pmi-cpm.org](mailto:PastPresident@pmi-cpm.org)

*Continued from p. 5*

those who are seeking certification. The AACEI EVP is an excellent compliment to CPM's educational program, which provides more than 30 courses on EVM, cost analysis, and project control. Also, CPM has been involved in the latest update of the Project Management Body of Knowledge, attempting to get EVM and performance management as a critical factor in project management. Finally, CPM has continued its relationship with PMI Headquarters to support their annual review of research proposals for funding through the PMI Research Program. In fact, CPM has recommended EVM as a research area, which we believe will enhance CPM's ability to improve the performance management competency and support professional growth.

CPM has been active in supporting your interests and promoting the profession. We can always use volunteers to help us improve our benefits, provide educational support, and participate in new and exciting professional opportunities. I continue to expect the next years to be some of the best for the organization. I hope you all will join in.

**Announcing ...**



**ProjectRx, Inc.** specializes in assisting clients with the development and deployment of effective project assessment solutions.

*Our ProjectRx™ Framework features the integration of a proven assessment process, state-of-the-art tools, and supporting education, training and mentoring.*

*Our ProjectRx™ Pro and ProjectRx™ Ekg products are designed to leverage your existing investment in earned value management.*

Visit our website at: [www.projectrx.com](http://www.projectrx.com)

[customersupport@projectrx.com](mailto:customersupport@projectrx.com)

Long Valley, NJ 07853-4010 • 908-520-2283

## President's Message

By Neil Albert, PMI-CPM President and President and CEO of MCR



Through its Board of Directors, the College of Performance Management (CPM) has been working hard to bring the best in knowledge, to provide sound information, and to improve professional growth for the performance management community. I believe these efforts have made a significant difference for each member as they look at the benefits CPM offers. Take a look at what we have recently achieved.

### Promoting Integrated Performance Management

CPM continues to sponsor the Community of Practice (CoP) forum for Earned Value Management (EVM). The EVM Community of Interest (CoEye) is composed of leaders from the U.S. Government who meet on a regular basis to discuss issues in development, implementation, and maintenance of EVM and EVM systems (EVMS). The EVM CoEye has grown to more than 400 members who work at more than 63 government agencies. The meetings have been a cooperative discussion on key issues involving EVM including the system implementation, certification, and surveillance. In addition, CPM continues to support their Global Advisory Committee (GAC), which is composed of EVM leaders from countries around the world, to provide advice in training, promotion, and implementation of EVM in a global setting. To date, the GAC has 16 members from nine countries. The GAC has met via email and in person at the recent CPM Annual Meeting to discuss future activities. **Ms. Lauren Bone** is the currently the Chairperson of the group and is working to establish a robust agenda to address EVM global issues. I expect that information from each of these organizations will be published in future issues of *The Measurable News*.

### Disseminating Information

The cornerstone of CPM's dissemination of information is the Electronic Library. This library, which can be accessed from the CPM website ([www.pmi-cpm.org](http://www.pmi-cpm.org)), is an excellent repository of information and data available for viewing and/or downloading to support research, education, and training. The library is continuously updated with the latest resources on the topics of performance management, project management, EVM, and cost analysis. In addition, CPM has attracted numerous sponsors helping to promote and support the EVM community. Their support of our website, including the electronic library and discussion forum as well as our publications, has been critical to our ability to meet our membership's needs. Finally, we are now distributing *The Measurable News* through our website, which should make it easier to distribute and gain access. With more than 2,600 members in more than 75 countries, using our website as a focal point for information is critical.

### Improving Community of Practice

The CPM Annual Conference (EVM World 2007), the Integrated Program Management Conference, and our sponsorship of the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual CPM Japan Conference in Tokyo have all been outstanding in improving the Community of Practice, but they also bring the world together to better understand EVM and its importance to project management. All of these conferences bring the world's experts together to share their knowledge and expertise.

### Growing Professionally

As noted in previous "President's Messages", CPM has endorsed the Association for the Advancement of Cost Engineering International Earned Value Professional Certification (AACEI) as an excellent program for

*Continued on p. 4*