



**SUMMARY OF POST EVENT SURVEY**  
**2009 PMI-GTISLIG Presentation Meeting Evaluation –**  
**FINAL**

**Event Date:** November 19, 2009  
**Topic:** PMI-GTISLIG Presentation PM in Public Sector  
**Speaker:** Susan Ksiezopolski, PMP.  
**Location:** U of T St. George Campus: OISE building  
**Total Attendance:** 61  
**Total Responded:** 23

**Is this the first PMI Chapter Meeting you have attended?**

Yes	4	17%
No	19	83%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Reason for Attending**

Geographic Location	2	9%
Speaker/Topic	19	83%
Networking	1	4%
Other	1	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Rate the following**

Top number is the count of respondents selecting the option. Bottom % is percent of the total respondents selecting the option.	Low	2	3	4	High	Not Applicable
Value of Topic to you	1 4%	0 0%	4 17%	7 30%	11 48%	0 0%
Speaker	1 4%	0 0%	5 22%	6 26%	11 48%	0 0%
Handouts/Materials	0 0%	0 0%	4 17%	2 9%	4 17%	13 57%
Networking	1 4%	2 9%	9 39%	4 17%	6 26%	1 4%

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Venue	4 17%	5 22%	8 35%	3 13%	3 13%	0 0%
Event Organization	0 0%	0 0%	5 22%	10 43%	8 35%	0 0%

Geographic Location	0 0%	2 9%	1 4%	9 39%	11 48%	0 0%
Parking or Transit	1 4%	0 0%	1 4%	5 22%	15 65%	1 4%
Food Quality	0 0%	1 4%	10 43%	8 35%	4 17%	0 0%

### Why did you attend this event?

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Topic	5 22%	18 78%
PDU Value (1.5)	10 43%	13 57%

### How did you learn about the event?

GTISLIG website	0	0%
GTISLIG newsletter	4	17%
SOC website	7	30%
SOC News Briefs (e-blasts)	6	26%
SOC newsletter	6	26%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>100%</b>

### What did you like best about this program and why?

- 1 A chance to network.
- 2 The topic was the main reason for attending, and Susan spoke on her experiences working in OPS which gave a good outlook into the Ontario PM practice.
- 3 Involvement of audience was very good - gave a better perspective of the topic and its importance
- 4 Easy way to keep up with PDU requirements.
- 5 Topic very relevant
- 6 Interactive - lots of questions Well informed, down to earth speaker.
- 7 Interesting concept for public sector
- 8 I'm exploring IT project management opportunities in the government and this program provided a wealth of information.
- 9 Topic was AMAZING!
- 10 Excellent overview. Speaker understood both public and private sector challenges.
- 11 The speaker was quite engaging; I enjoyed learning more about a sector that I am not otherwise familiar with.
- 12 Susan was an excellent speaker with an interactive presentation style that greatly enhanced the value of the topic to her audience.

13 excellent speaker, very knowledgeable, interested in group discussion, willing to talk afterwards and offer assistance

14 Speaker's willingness to share and be open for discussion and also willingness to discuss one on one afterwards.

### **Please suggest 3 things we could do to improve our programs**

(1) Providing more handouts and notes.

1 (2) Providing some more seminars re. soft skills related to project management for future presentations.

(3) Inviting speakers from a more diverse field of industries.

2 The room itself was not ideal: too many noise distractions (subway, other events running in other rooms).

Geographic Location was good because it's off the TTC. Central GTA is better (North York?).

3 Venue - OISE building is very noisy because of the subway

4 The OISE building is conveniently located; however the subway noise was disruptive when listening to the presentation.

- Location/room should be avoided in the future. It sits on top of the TTC and the rumbling is too intrusive.

5 Explore whether other rooms in OISE are less affected.

- Speaker was constantly tripping on the cords. Ensure connections/power are out of the way.

6 Maybe start at 6:30, but I guess that is hard for some  
encourage networking

7 ice breaker

larger display for back rows

8 The noise-level from the subway was very disruptive. It was extremely difficult to hear speakers in the audience.

Venue was rather disturbing.

9 The event header said dinner and there were only snacks.  
No hand sanitizers?

10 The subway noise was terrible.

(1) Find a venue with fewer noise distractions.

11 (2) Make presentations/other relevant material available online promptly.

(3) Try using simple icebreakers to prompt networking during the hour between when registration begins and when the presentations begin.

12 The train noise

13 Location

### **Please indicate your ideas for future speakers and/or topics**

1 Speakers coming from private sectors such as in industries such as pharmaceutical, food, consumer goods manufacturing, automotive, construction, electronics, etc.

2 Six Sigma

3Failed projects

4 I was unable to attend the networking session several weeks ago so would like to see it repeated.

5Maybe a partner presentation with the URISA Ontario Chapter?

6I would definitely like to learn more about Agile Project Management.

7Communication skills, team motivation, stakeholders analysis and contracting management, procurement and tendering.

8Job fair and Resume workshops for government positions.

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