

# PMI Dallas Chapter Book Review Program

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The PMI Dallas Chapter's project management book review program was launched in March 2012. Here is how it works.

- PM World receives books for review from various authors and publishers;
- The books are delivered to the PMI Dallas Chapter;
- Books are offered to PMI Dallas Chapter members, in exchange for a commitment to read the book and prepare a review in a standard format (template provided to the reviewer);
- Reviewer must prepare a book review within 45 days, emailing the review in MS Word format to editor@pmworldjournal.net;
- The book review is formatted for publication and returned to the reviewer for final approval;
- Final book reviews are published in the online PM World Journal, at www.pmworldjournal.net

Examples of book reviews can be found at www.pmworldjournal.net



#### Benefits to Reviewer:

- > Free book to keep for your personal library
- Up to 10 PDUs, based on one PDU per hour for reading book and preparing review
- Visibility in PM World Journal when book review published

### **Benefits to PMI Dallas Chapter**

- > Service to chapter members, including free books and new way to earn PDUs at no cost
- > Goodwill from chapter members who receive free books and PDUs
- Chapter visibility when the book reviews are published

#### **Benefits to PM World**

- Content for the monthly PM World Journal
- Positive relations with authors and publishers of the books, who like the publicity when positive book reviews are published
- Positive visibility within PMI Dallas Chapter and more Dallas-area readers of PM World Journal

## **Expectations of Reviewer:**

- ❖ Book review in standard MS Word format (template provided), along with reviewer's background summary and photo (for the "reviewer profile" that will appear at the end of the book review)
- ❖ Timely submittal of book review within 45 days of receipt of book
- Serious, professional review reviewer receives a free book and PDUs, so a professional book review is expected – no one-sentence paragraphs. Honest but positive review – after all, it's a free book!

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