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## Wideman PM Website updates announced for March 2019

### PM EDUCATION NEWS

1 March 2019 – Ontario, Canada – **Max Wideman** has announced updates to his popular and educational project management website, [www.maxwideman.com](http://www.maxwideman.com). According to Max:

As we reported last month, we have been working on a project that we have had in mind for several years now. It is to resurrect the original **Project Management Body of Knowledge** (dubbed "PMBOK" by me) published by the Project Management Institute in 1987, and to do so as a modern PDF document. Remember this original PMBOK publication was before personal computers were readily available, and the PDF file format was not yet invented.



**Breaking News:** Well, now it is here. Want a copy? See **PMBOK-1987 Reborn** under the heading *Other Areas and Interests* on my home page [www.maxwideman.com](http://www.maxwideman.com). The original PMBOK document has required considerable editorial work to correct grammar, spelling errors and repetitions. It is of interest because it is a *statement of project management* and not a *Guide*. As such it contains advice still of value today.

**Musings:** Sound advice on two issues - (a) What are the characteristics of your ideal project sponsor? And (b) 15 items that characterize what constitutes Good email etiquette, and when you DON'T HIT THE SEND BUTTON.

**Project management tip of the month** — The accelerating technology principle: If the idea is so crazy, is it crazy enough to be the right one?

If you are looking for answers, guidelines or templates, check out Max's **Issacons** - "Issues and Considerations" - that are presented in bullet form for quick and easy reference by project managers.

Have you seen Max's book **A Management Framework for Project, Program and Portfolio Integration**? For information or to order a copy, visit [http://www.maxwideman.com/papers/framework\\_book/intro.htm](http://www.maxwideman.com/papers/framework_book/intro.htm). Do you have a project management question? Find the answer at: <http://www.maxwideman.com>.

**Max Wideman** is one of the world's best-known project management authorities. An engineer and professional project manager, his experience includes systems, social and environmental projects, as well as design and engineering projects. He is a Fellow of the Project Management Institute, of which he is past president and chairman and for which he led the development of the 1987 version of the Project Management Body of Knowledge. He is also a Fellow of the Institution of Civil Engineers (UK), the Engineering Institute of Canada, and the Canadian Society of Civil Engineering.

His personal web site at <http://www.maxwideman.com> is a source of superior project management knowledge and information. It is free to the public.