

PM NEWS

Wideman PM Website updates announced for August 2020

1 August 2020 – Ontario, Canada – **Max Wideman** has announced updates to his popular project management website, www.maxwideman.com. According to Max:

This month we've posted the following:

Papers: Last month we found that (Canadian) tax authorities were quite prepared to include certain "front-end" costs as a part of a project's capitalisation cost, so why shouldn't project management pundits do likewise in recognition of the project life span? Doing so, it appears, could significantly improve the chances of project success. Max makes a compelling case for changing our understanding of the project life span (cycle) in **When Does a Project Actually Start - Part 2**.



Guests: Team manager, *Michael Dehoyos*, presents five compelling "core benefits" for adopting Agile Project Management for your business projects.

Musings: In this brief article: **10 Best Information Technology Tips & Apps for Successful Project Managers in 2020**, expert *James Dorian* offers *Five project management tips* that work for everyone and *Five apps for successful project management* to go with them.

Project management tip of the month

The near critical path principle:
When a near critical path becomes critical, it is already too late for corrective action.

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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

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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.