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PM World to support PM South Africa

Newly-signed MOU provides basis for long term cooperation and mutual support

18 October 2021 – Dallas, TX, USA and Johannesburg, South Africa – PM World has announced the signing of a formal “Memorandum of Understanding for Cooperation and Mutual Support” between the organization and Project Management South Africa (PMSA). PM World publishes the international PM World Journal (PMWJ) and maintains the globally-recognized PM World Library. PMSA is a professional project management association based in South Africa.

Under terms of the agreement, PM World will provide the following to PMSA:

- Post banner ads and promote PMSA’s annual conference on PM World websites;
- Publish news articles about PMSA activities and PM in South Africa;
- Publish articles, papers and other works by PMSA members;
- Provide monthly email of PMWJ Table of Contents for sharing with PMSA members;
- Identify PMSA as an Affiliate on PM World websites with links to PMSA’s home page.

PMSA has agreed to the following:

- Identify the PMWJ as a Media Partner on PMSA websites;
- Provide news and information to PM World as a basis for breaking news articles;
- Provide a PMSA member or leader to act as an International Correspondent for the PMWJ in South Africa.

According to PMWJ editor David Pells, “We supported several PMSA conferences as media partner some years ago, so I am happy to renew our relationship. With the wider international reach of the PMWJ now, we are in a better position to support their professional activities and mission. Hopefully we can publish works by PMSA members in the future as well as offer them new career development and learning opportunities.”

According to Prof Les Labuschange, PMSA Director, “Thank you for this new unexpected support. The current pandemic brought major disruption to PMSA at both leadership and operational levels. We are currently rebuilding, and revisiting our strategies and value proposition. We also see the role of professional societies
changing as members' needs change. This new relationship should provide tangible benefits to both our members and the association.”

About PMSA

PMSA is a Section 21 (not-for-gain) professional association representing the interests of project, programme and portfolio management practitioners in South Africa. PMSA is the South African Recognised Professional Body for Project Management designations. Their members are project management practitioners at various career stages representing various industries and organization types. PMSA sponsors regional and national conferences and other events on a regular basis. For more information, visit https://www.projectmanagement.org.za/

About PM World

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