



GAPPS

Global Alliance for the Project Professions

Thought Leadership Forum #58

21st & 22nd October 2023
Cape Town

THE FUTURE OF PROJECTS

Get involved!

GAPPS will be holding its next **Thought Leadership Forum** on **21st & 22nd October 2023** face to face in Cape Town and online via Zoom.

The main themes will be:

- **Preparing Projects for the Carbon Economy** – starting this discussion, inspired by our hosts, PMSA
- **Organisational PM Capability** – continuing development of a guiding framework
- **PPPM Standards – Update & Mapping** – subject to numbers & interest

Join us to:

- Network with like-minded project professionals
- Keep up to date with latest developments and thinking in the field
- Share knowledge and ideas, gain insights and practical takeaways
- Make a difference

Facilitators



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Face to face and online sessions - Registration: <https://tinyurl.com/GAPPSTLF58>

GAPPS TLF#58: 21st to 22nd October 2023

Workstreams

Preparing Projects for the Carbon Economy

What do we need to do in projects to facilitate traceability, transparency, and trust in the supply chain to support sustainability and emerging regulatory and ESG reporting requirements?

Inspired by initiatives underway in South Africa, at this TLF we will open discussion about what needs to be done at the project level to address the needs of projects in the present and in the future.

Organisational PM Capability

How can organisations prepare their projects for the future? At GAPPS TLF#54 several experts shared their knowledge of and experience with organisational PM capability standards, guides, models, and excellence frameworks. At TLF#55 it was agreed that although there are many models out there, they are either proprietary, not readily available, or don't provide a practical basis for assessment and improvement. At TLF#58, we will continue work on a freely available assessment model for OPM capability by looking at the approach and coverage of existing frameworks.

PPPM Standards – Update & Mapping

Standards for PPPM are evolving. Learn what is happening in PPPM standards development and contribute to the GAPPS comparative mapping of global standards and qualifications.

Daily Session Times: Sat 21st & Sun 22nd October 2023 SAST

8:30 am to 5:30 pm daily (finish times may vary slightly each day)

Location

Rosebank College, Cape Town Campus - And online – check for your time zone

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About GAPPS

All resources developed by the GAPPS are open source and available free to the wider project community.

The Global Alliance for the Project Professions (GAPPS) is a volunteer-driven, not-for-profit organisation that has been working with practitioners throughout the world since 2003 to develop competency frameworks for project managers, program managers, project sponsors and project controls and provide a basis for comparison of project related standards and qualifications.

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