



SUMMARY OF POST EVENT SURVEY
2009 PMI-GTISLIG Evaluation –
FINAL

Event Date: March 28, 2009
Topic: So you are a good PM. How confident are you to lead IT projects?
Speaker: Dhanu Kothari
Location: U of T Bahen Centre
Total Attendance: 194
Total Responded: 29

Is this the first PMI Chapter Meeting you have attended?

Yes	10	34%
No	19	66%
Total	29	100%

Reason for Attending

Geographic Location	3	10%
Speaker/Topic	17	59%
Networking	3	10%
Other	6	21%
Total	29	100%

Rate the following

	1	2	3	4	High	Not Applicable
Value of Topic	1 3%	1 3%	2 7%	13 45%	11 38%	1 3%
Speaker	0 0%	2 7%	4 14%	15 52%	7 24%	1 3%
Handouts/Material	0 0%	0 0%	9 31%	15 52%	4 14%	1 3%
Networking	2 7%	8 28%	10 34%	6 21%	2 7%	1 3%

Please rate the following:

	1	2	3	4	High	Not Applicable
Venue	0 0%	0 0%	2 7%	14 48%	12 41%	1 3%
Event Organization	0 0%	0 0%	2 7%	14 48%	12 41%	1 3%
Geographic Location	0 0%	0 0%	3 10%	12 41%	13 45%	1 3%

Parking or Transit	0 0%	1 3%	5 17%	14 48%	6 21%	3 10%
Food Service	1 3%	2 7%	8 28%	11 38%	4 14%	3 10%
Food Quality	2 7%	1 3%	9 31%	12 41%	3 10%	2 7%

Why did you attend this event?

	1	2
Topic	16 55%	13 45%
PDU Value	13 45%	16 55%

How did you learn about the event?

GTISLIG website	4	14%
GTISLIG newsletter	5	18%
SOC website	7	25%
SOC News Briefs (e-blast)	8	29%
SOC newsletter	4	14%
Other Please specify	4	14%

- 1 GTISLIG management
- 2 PMI Lakeshore chapter mail
- 3 colleague
- 4 Friend

What did you like best about this program and why?

- 1 Good value, good location
- 2 The speaker was very experienced and knowledgeable. Also, his interactive approach was very effective, building on the audience's real life PM challenges.
- 3 Topic content
- 4 Solid information. Little fluff.
- 5 I'm not in IT and I wanted to get a different perspective on the same issues I face - to that end, it was useful.
- 6 The topic is of my interest
- 7 Speaker. He had a command of his topic.
- 8 I cannot remember what we covered in the lecture. I would suggest sending this review form soon after the lecture instead of waiting six weeks.
- 9 \$ pdu's
- 10 Placed things into perspective in a well organized fashion.
- 11 Reinforcement of topics covered in recent PMP IT course.
- 12 The speaker and his effective approach to project management
- 13 Energetic speaker
- 14 The Speaker livened up an otherwise dull topic
- 15 It's been too long. Can't remember

16 Dhanu was simply amazing in his breakdown of the topic

17 It was my first ever PMI session and validated my desire to become a member. I have since passed the exam!

Please suggest three things that we could do to improve our programs further?

1 more frequent

2 Keep the same excellent standards in organizing the event.

3 Central Location, Parking facility, Good refreshment

4 None

5 No need for draw for the handouts.

Announce the winner for the book draw and have the person pick the book after the meeting.

Provide more coffee and beverages for the meeting.

6 1-Speaker did not finish his talk

and only got halfway through his slides

2-Material was some old stuff,

3-break for networking

7 Downtown locations preferred. U of T is an excellent location.

8 (1) healthier snacks

Other than that, everything else was fine.

9 Send out the survey sooner while the thoughts are still fresh in my mind.

10 sorry, no suggestions....yet

Please indicate your ideas for future speakers and/or topics

1 - projects in distress

- scheduling

- teaching sponsors how to be sponsor

2 Personal aspects of successful project management (attitude, confidence, psychology??, communications).

3 Scrum

4 none.

5 cutting edge content

and/or specialized content

not pmbok rehash

6 Anything related to construction management or project management of construction projects would be well received.

7 Leadership style

Working with Executives with no project experience

Working with Teams with no project experience

8 None at this time

9 additional certifications such as ITIL foundations - how they relate/complement or not, the PMP