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# Welcome to Project Management Global: The new place for people in projects

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**Welcome to the PM-Career Whisperer, Project Management Global's in-house career coach.**

If you have ever wondered "what's happening with my PM career" or asked "what's the next step I should take on my career path" or despaired because your progression has

Stalled or come to a stop altogether, then this weekly section on Project Management Career advice is for you.

And what's more PMCW is a free and interactive part of the new Project Management Global service for the project community.

If right now, you aren't quite sure of where you are in your project career and worst still you are not sure of where you are trying to get to, then you are not alone!

As a busy project professional, you have unique gifts and talents, but you may not always have the time, support or encouragement to fully reach your potential. But like so many within the profession you are seeking more success, greater personal fulfilment from the work you are doing and to have a bigger impact on the world and society.

My goal is to empower ambitious project professionals from all backgrounds and regardless of level, to step into their fullest potential, embrace their dream project achievements and become the best version of themselves.

At Project Management Global we do this through the inspiring content that we publish, by highlighting the success stories and by showcasing the achievements of project practitioners and industry leaders, innovators and change-makers. To inspire you and show you what is possible.

By sharing and recommending the best skills, processes, tools and resources from across the wide spectrum of project activity. We will help you achieve your goals, raise your career aspirations and set you off to fulfil your mission of greatness!

We are here to provide the learning and development opportunities for your continued growth and success.

Just Imagine...



... A world where more projects succeed, and where highly qualified, experienced and passionate professionals from all backgrounds are driving the changes to society that we so desperately need to see....

Project Management Global's vision is to support the project profession to make this dream a reality.

***“The only way to lift us all up is to step into the leaders and change-makers we are all meant to be. Taking control of your unique personal career journey and owning your path to success!”***

### **Why I started Project Management Global**

I'm Nicola Benjamin, and I started Project Management Global to help passionate and ambitious project professionals achieve more in their careers.

During my 20 years as a project professional (practitioner, trainer and coach) I saw too many of my fellow professional in unfulfilling role, that left them feeling drained and uncertain of where to go to next.

Especially for those project managers who are independent or even working in large corporate organisations, project management can be a lonely and unforgiving environment.

What's more, now, more than ever, our industry needs talented, innovative and passionate practitioners. Ready to share their unique abilities, skills and experience in order to drive transformation global changes and create a future that we can all be proud to be part of.

I believe that when it comes to achieving our professional aspirations, whether you are just starting your career, or are further up the career ladder, it takes:

- Seeing great role models, whose experiences mirror our own, so we can see and visualise what is possible.
- Having the right mindset and support at every stage of our careers, to help us keep on track.
- Developing the essential habits and the necessary skills and experience to advance ourselves.
- Positive representation and leadership from others like us.
- Building key relationships with like-minded colleagues to help us identify opportunities and open new pathways for advancements.
- And learning and mentorship opportunities from those that have been there before.

That is the mission for Project Management Global.

Me and my team are here to help you make it happen and be the project leader that the world needs YOU to be!

**“32% of project managers are looking to change roles in the next 12 months. With the largest group being at mid-career level”. (APM 2023)**