

# Project Management Institute



This is to certify that

Ralph Peter Eduard Bernath  
has successfully completed all prescribed  
requirements and is hereby designated by the  
Project Management Institute

as a

Project Management Professional

19 December 2005 - 31 December 2008

In testimony whereof, we have subscribed our  
signatures under the seal of the Institute.

PMP Number: 313696

Chair, Board of Directors

Chief Executive Officer



# Project Management Institute Project Management Professional Code of Professional Conduct

As a PMI Project Management Professional (PMP®) I agree to support and adhere to the responsibilities described in the PMI PMP Code of Professional Conduct.

## I. Responsibilities to the Profession

### A. Compliance with all organizational rules and policies

1. Responsibility to provide accurate and truthful representations concerning all information directly or indirectly related to all aspects of the PMI Certification Program, including but not limited to the following: examination applications, test item banks, examinations, answer sheets, candidate information and PMI Continuing Certification Requirements Program reporting forms.
2. Upon a reasonable and clear factual basis, responsibility to report possible violations of the PMP Code of Professional Conduct by individuals in the field of project management.
3. Responsibility to cooperate with PMI concerning ethics violations and the collection of related information.
4. Responsibility to disclose to clients, customers, owners or contractors, significant circumstances that could be construed as a conflict of interest or an appearance of impropriety.

### B. Candidate/Certificant Professional Practice

1. Responsibility to provide accurate, truthful advertising and representations concerning qualifications, experience and performance of services.
2. Responsibility to comply with applicable laws, regulations and ethical standards governing professional practice in the state/province and/or country when providing project management services.
3. Responsibility to act in an honest and ethical manner when interacting with PMI and when providing project management services.
4. Responsibility to maintain and respect the confidentiality of the contents of the PMP Certification Exam.

### C. Advancement of the Profession

1. Responsibility to recognize and respect intellectual property developed or owned by

others, and to otherwise act in an accurate, truthful and complete manner, including all activities related to professional work and research.

2. Responsibility to support and disseminate the PMP Code of Professional Conduct to other PMI certificants.

## II. Responsibilities to Customers and the Public

### A. Qualifications, experience and performance of professional services

1. Responsibility to provide accurate and truthful representations to the public in advertising, public statements and in the preparation of estimates concerning costs, services and expected results.
2. Responsibility to maintain and satisfy the scope and objectives of professional services, unless otherwise directed by the customer.
3. Responsibility to maintain and respect the confidentiality of sensitive information obtained in the course of professional activities or otherwise where a clear obligation exists.

### B. Conflict of interest situations and other prohibited professional conduct

1. Responsibility to ensure that a conflict of interest does not compromise legitimate interests of a client or customer, or influence/interfere with professional judgments.
2. Responsibility to refrain from offering or accepting inappropriate payments, gifts or other forms of compensation for personal gain, unless in conformity with applicable laws or customs of the country where project management services are being provided.

## III. Administration of Code of Conduct

By becoming a PMP, you agree to abide by this Code of Conduct. PMI reserves the right to suspend or revoke the certification of any PMP who is determined to have committed a violation of this Code or otherwise failed to adhere to the tenets of this Code.

  
Chief Executive Officer

6. 1. 2006  
Date

  
Signature of PMP