



2025 PMI Northern Utah Chapter Professional Development Conference



Day 1	Room & Track	Session Title	Speaker(s)	PDU Claim code
09:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Ballroom (Power Skills)	Opening Keynote: Derek Oaks - "The Confident Leader: Creating a Culture of Confident Decision-makers"	Derek Oaks	C105YDA907
Break Out Sessions 10:50 AM - 11:50 AM	Ballroom (Business Acumen)	PANEL: <i>Lessons from the C-Suite: Driving Value Beyond Project Diversity</i> Panelists: Chris Colosimo, Brian May, Gia Dowling, Quincy Chapman Host: Denee Hayes	Panel Format	C10524VE5F
	Room 105 (Power Skills)	<i>The Emotionally Intelligent Project Manager: What Does EQ Have To Do With Scope, Schedule and Budget?</i>	Byron Woertz	C105MT85Y9
	Room 209 & 213 (Power Skills)	<i>Game-Changing Leadership: What Project Managers Can Learn from Unconventional Coaches</i>	Reed Shell	C105WSKLFW
	Room 220 & 224 (Ways of Working)	<i>Navigating Project Roadblocks: Strategies for Success</i>	Dr. Carl Canlas	C10571K2ZI
	Room 229 (Business Acumen)	<i>Be the Hero: Pop Culture Lessons for Visionary Project Leaders</i>	Gaëlle Batot	C105VTWXGW
1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	Ballroom (Power Skills)	"Lead the Way and Give Back" at our Volunteer Activity	N/A	Giving Back Self reported
Break Out Sessions 2:35 PM - 3:35 PM	Ballroom (Ways of Working)	<i>The Anatomy of a Retro</i>	Amber Masterson	C1055Z50QF
	Room 105 (Ways of Working)	<i>AI and Project Management: Leading the Change</i>	Danielle Smithen	C105HG8RPQ
	Room 209 & 213 (Power Skills)	<i>Learn to Delegate: Empower Teams, Spark Growth, Drive Innovation</i>	Paula Weyen-Gellner	C105T0ZR9M
	Room 220 & 224 (Power Skills)	<i>Inclusive Agile 101: Agile Isn't Agile Without Inclusion</i>	Corissa Peck	C105VPDJN6
	Room 229 (Power Skills)	<i>Stepping into Leadership</i>	Jeff Lund	C105KMEQWG
Break Out Sessions 3:55 PM-4:55 PM	Ballroom (Ways of Working)	<i>Why NOT Scrum?</i>	Steve Ostermiller	C105KE8DPH
	Room 105 (Power Skills)	<i>Become a Leader in Your Project Environment</i>	Kip A. Davis	C105600O40
	Room 209 & 213 (Business Acumen)	<i>Beyond the Bottleneck: Sort Your Way Out of a Stalled Project</i>	Denee Hayes & Chris Colosimo	C105WKGK2A
	Room 220 & 224 (Ways of Working)	<i>Project Portfolio Management (PPM) Systems: Traditional, Agile and Hybrid Integration</i>	Matt Wagner	C105WNEJ26
	Room 229 (Power Skills)	<i>Breaking Free from Imposter Syndrome and Burnout</i>	Michelle Schumann	C105E8EP6F
Day 2	Room & Track	Session Title	Speaker(s)	PDU Claim code
9:20 AM-10:20 AM	Ballroom (Power Skills)	Opening Keynote: Cynthia Bee - "Building Teams that Thrive: Leading the Way by Inspiring Purpose-Driven Actions"	Cynthia Bee	C1057R0SAY
Break Out Sessions 10:55 AM - 11:55 AM	Ballroom (Power Skills)	<i>Truth, Love, and Radical Accountability</i>	Dave Durocher – The Other Side Academy	C105C4HJIW
	Room 105 (Power Skills)	"A Seat at the Table" Collaboration/Inclusion: Lead the Way – Embracing Diversity	Christine Chapman	C105ZCK5CX
	Room 209 & 213 (Business Acumen)	<i>Your Own Personal Vision — How the Personal Vision Makes the Team Better</i>	Derek Oaks	C105VC14GR
	Room 220 & 224 (Ways of Working)	<i>First Steps in Microsoft Project: Building a Solid Foundation</i>	Staci Warne	C105VAI9H6
	Room 229 (Power Skills)	<i>The Project Manager as Change Leader</i>	Byron Woertz	C105MT85Y9
Break Out Sessions 2:15 PM - 3:15 PM	Ballroom (Ways of Working)	<i>The Three Levels of Project Management</i>	Mike Berry	C1059SSON7
	Room 105 (Ways of Working)	<i>Master AI in Project Management with PMI Infinity</i>	Staci Warne	C105MYS2S6
	Room 209 & 213 (Ways of Working)	<i>Beyond the Job Title: How Project Management Can Elevate Any Role</i>	Nycole Rosen	C105KWGJJW
	Room 220 & 224 (Business Acumen)	<i>Stop Chasing Your Tail: Lead with Strategy and Purpose</i>	Abby Bird & Liz Brown	C1050DGBU2
	Room 229 (Power Skills)	<i>Psychologically Safe Feedback: Why Your Retros Are Failing</i>	Brett Barker	C105JECTDE
Closing & Keynote 3:45 PM-4:45 PM	Ballroom (Power Skills)	Closing Keynote: <i>The Joy of Project Management – Designing Experiences That Stick</i>	Bahaa Chmait	C105C1G9ZU