

First name:	Surname:	Brief overview of your background and experience in this SIG subject matter: (maximum 150 words)	What motivated you to put yourself forward for election to the APM Programme Management SIG committee? (maximum 150 words)	What qualities, skills and experience do you think you'll bring to the APM Programme Management SIG committee? (maximum 150 words)
Nigel	Beecroft	I've been a practicing Programme Manager for over 15 years, working with a number of programmes in major change, IT, and construction. I've built up a wealth of experience in this time and my involvement in the APM has brought me into contact with peers within different sectors.	I have been volunteering for the Programme Management SIG for 3 years now, becoming co-Chair of the committee during the last year. I've contributed to the SIGs workstreams including writing Blogs, chairing committee meetings, helping to produce the business plan and planning and delivering the annual SIG conferences.	Experience, energy & enthusiasm. I'd like to continue to encourage other members of the committee and focus group members, to get fully involved in it's workstreams as this is an area where we can improve our outputs.
Richard	Cairnes	Experienced programme professional and Director in Currie & Brown's Pharmaceutical & Life Science team providing leadership and management to programme teams. Recent experience: § Department for Environment Food & Rural Affairs (DEFRA), Critical Works programme – Director responsible for service delivery on the programme comprising of over 100 live projects plus pipeline projects at various phases in the project lifecycle. The team has over 40 members of staff who are co-located with the wider Defra team, providing a fully collaborative delivery approach.	I am a motivated, experienced programme professional and a Fellow of the Association of Project Management (APM), with an interest in raising the awareness of programme management, as a specific discipline within the APM and the wider global industry. I have been a committee member of the APM Programme Management SIG committee since 2019 and being re-elected will help me give something back to the industry, profession and the APM and its members. I will do this through promoting programme management awareness, providing thought leadership on appropriate subject matter topics, collaboration, providing knowledge sharing and transfer in appropriate tools,	As a current and active Committee Member of the APM Programme Management SIG, I enthusiastically promote programme management awareness, provide thought leadership on appropriate subject matter topics, encourage collaboration, provide knowledge sharing and transfer in appropriate tools, processes and areas of good practice and champion a programmatic approach to delivery. I have presented at APM webinars and published several external thought leadership articles. Further details on my industry sector work over the last year are detailed below: § Modern methods of

			processes and areas of good practice and championing a programmatic approach to delivery.	construction: helping the Government build back better, faster and greener, APM blog published in November 2021. § Contracts and Collaboration in a post COVID world podcast, APM podcast published in August 2021. § The Construction Playbook - Setting projects up for success through the creation of effective contracting and sustainable contracting arrangements, APM blog published in May 2021. § APM Pharmaceutical and Life Science sector webinar in January 2021.
Chris	Davies	Have worked in a variety of industry sectors where programmes have been important including with Thames Water, Crossrail and currently in defence at the naval dockyard at Devonport. I am an experienced professional who has worked as a project manager in programmes and believe programme management will be ever more important going forward. I am a MSP Practitioner.	Have previously volunteered with the London Branch committee. Am keen to maintain volunteering but wish to switch to supporting on a more technical basis and programme management would be a good fit.	Experienced project professional, Fellow and ChPP. Have previous volunteering experience on the London Branch committee. Good organiser and especially enjoy disseminating experience to younger generations.
Stephen	Hardy	I have over 15 years' experience delivering complex large scale transformation portfolios, programmes and projects across the financial services and market data providers. Some of my recent clients include HSBC, LSEG & BNP Paribas.	Since joining the APM I've been looking for an opportunity to play a more active role within the APM, its branches and the various specific interest groups. I'm looking to help shape the future of the APM and the project management profession by sharing what I have learnt	I have an in-depth understanding of the various Project Management methodologies, the challenges faced by senior management and delivery teams and industry best practices for ensuring projects are delivered on time, within budget

			<p>from 15 years in the industry and look forward to learning more from other like-minded project professionals.</p>	<p>and to agreed levels of quality. As a project management professional, I have experience across the full spectrum of project management activities and responsibilities from Strategy, Governance, Execution and Capabilities that help deliver change from start to finish; planning, resourcing, finances, risk, change control, stakeholder management, quality assurance, Management reporting and everything in between.</p>
James	Lesingham	<p>I have been working in the project/ programme space for over 5 years with a range of roles in the technology and engineering industries. Experience within this area ranges from supporting business change, leading business improvement projects within a programme of work and more recently working as project manager within a PMO function. In addition to my work experience, I have also been an active volunteer with the ProgM SIG Committee for the last 6 years. During this time have been involved with a wide range of activities including coordination and creation of blogs, organisation of virtual and physical events and the creation of new knowledge content.</p>	<p>I have been volunteering with ProgM SIG for many years and really enjoy working with other like minded professional in an area that I have a passion for.</p>	<p>One key quality I can bring to the SIG is my drive to get things done. This is an area I am passionate about so keen to get stuck in. Having been with the SIG for many years I am able to bring past experience on many aspects of SIG activity that allow us to continually improve.</p>

Matthew	Mousley	I am working as a programme manager for a business unit at UKAEA with a team of 12 project professionals. I built the group with relevant processes and guidance for both the PM Staff and the research staff to improve project delivery performance	Keen to get more involved Keen to expand my knowledge and experience Keen to give back, support my role as mentor	Nearly 20yrs in PM across 4 sectors, power transmission, rail, fission and fusion, and many years in leadership and mentoring positions
Penny	Pullan	I have worked on programmes for much of the last 20 years. My initial qualification in programme management was Managing Successful Programmes in 2006 (I think). I am now one of the authors of the latest MSP guidance (5th Edition), released in 2020. I'm particularly interested in the ways of working for programmes of change in this new world of work, and how creative collaboration and virtual leadership can make all the difference. Over the years, the SIG have asked me to provide a number of webinars and conference talks on these subjects for members, which seem to have hit the spot!	I'd like to keep giving back to this SIG and to work alongside fellow committee members to continually improve the guidance that they provide for those working in this sometimes challenging area. I'm also keen to continue delivering a great conference, which I have been involved in for several years and has been brilliant for networking and learning.	I bring my experience of a wide range of programmes and projects, my skills as an author and speaker, my wide-ranging reading and research, and my wide network, with lots ideas for great speakers for our sessions. I've also been a chair of two SIGs in a volunteering stint for APM lasting over 15 years.
Duncan	Ross Russell	I have over 30 years in Project and Programme management experience and am regularly called to troubleshoot schemes that are not going to plan. I find the most pressing issues are at the programme level. In recent years I have led the development of programme	Having worked closely with the APM for many years, I believe the Specific Interest Groups are a key player in the way the APM can lead the Project and Programme Profession, shaping the profession and raising its profile. I would like to see the Programme Management SIG supporting	Over 30 years of project and programme management experience. I am a skilled project and programme troubleshooter. where I am skilled in finding solutions that ensure the benefits are delivered. I have experience in

		<p>management at Northumbrian Water Group and am a Programme Management Consultant on a major Programme preparing the National Railway Museum for the 200th anniversary of the Stockton to Darlington Railway (the birth of the modern passenger railway). I am working with the Atkins Digital Futures programme to develop a digital approach to Programme Management Services that is revolutionising our delivery of programmes. I am a leader within the Atkins/F+G Project Community, responsible for leading our ChPP development programme and our business relationship with the APM. I am a former chair of our global Heads or Professional Project and Programme Management Forum, a top level forum that shares ideas and expertise horizontally across a very large global business to ensure best practice is shared widely across the business.</p>	<p>the APM in this role through providing thought leadership, expertise, personal development and specialist advice. I am keen to join the Programme Management Specific Interest Group to both offer my experience to the group and learn from the group.</p>	<p>developing digital systems to support programme management, helping to define the requirement and test the efficacy of the solution. My focus is on systems that collect quality data empowering the project professional to deliver their role more effectively and efficiently ensuring they engage with the system on a daily basis. I have experience in leading the profession from within a major project organisation.</p>
James	Taylor	<p>I am a chartered project professional with more than 20 years experience in project programme and portfolio management as well as sponsorship. During that time I have been accountable for major infrastructure projects costing more than £500m and multiple change projects and</p>	<p>I have been a member of this SIG for three years and find it enjoyable, rewarding and beneficial to my personal development in programme management. It also gives me the opportunity to help others, which is a major reason for seeking re-election.</p>	<p>I bring willingness to take on activities and dedicate time to the committee. I bring skills of collaboration and team working especially forming a team from Benefits and Value SIG members and wider APM members. I bring the experience of three years</p>

		programmes with costs in excess of £100m. I am currently running a portfolio management office for a portfolio of works that is spread across the rail industry and has an investment cost of c.£150m. Prior to my projects and programme experience I led manufacturing operations in a multi national enterprise working in Asia, North America and mainland Europe.		working on this SIG, knowing the APM support team, understanding how APM SIGs work, and working collaboratively with a core group of SIG committee members who are motivated to do their best for the SIG, APM, APM members, and the wider community of project professional. Finally I bring myself and the experience I have gained working for nearly forty years across different industries, in different countries, with different cultures within both the private and public sector.
Vivianne	Walters	Over 30 years managing multi-national, multi-disciplinary teams. Starting background in civil engineering. Has progressed to supporting professional bodies and construction/engineering organisations successfully complete major transformation, assurance and improvement of their project, programme and portfolio to clients.	Having added RPP and ChPP to my accredited, I am keen to continue being part of the updating of the 2nd edition of the “APM – Introduction to Programme Management” and creating a specific programme-related framework of skills.	My ability to communicate with APM stakeholders worldwide, recognise excellent qualities and how this is able to promote APM’s brand as currently the only chartered project professional body in the world.
Leigh	White	As a project manager I am an integral part of my project and programme delivery supporting my direct reports, virtual team and stakeholders, I delivers strategy, policy outputs and benefits to the business, I face challenges on a daily basis, I have to listen, direct, guide and deliver carry out promises, I also have to listen and demonstrate change	The Sig committee is integral part of the community for delivery of Programme & Project Management for the APM. The sig committees deliver first class service, supports the APM with the delivery of policy and process, delivers on promises, commitments offering support and guidance to branches and members alike, It identifies new ways of working, new	The skills and experience I have come from an inclusive and diverse stakeholder background off over 40 years, I have passion, drive, and ambition. now that we can get out and about its important that we get out to the heart of community and focus on driving meetings, events, training, CPD, bringing professionals

		<p>is happening for the better and take on board feedback I also look to get the better out of my teams by changing things, moving people around, change ideas, learn, develop from ourselves, bring on newer team members using skills and experience develop key areas so lessons can be learnt, take on previous projects learning into account through lessons learnt and develop from this KPIS as well as understanding others and listening.</p>	<p>processes, listening, demonstrates to the community why learning, development, networking coming together is key, Increasing numbers , going out to communities throughout the UK, and delivering key messages, so more people can understand, engage, be hungry and thirsty for learning, change, development, this excites me, knowing we and I are making a difference. Covid has caused struggles and not fared well for some, but we now can go out and energise the community and family again, I want to be part of this change and make a difference, increase numbers, presence and thirst for life.</p>	<p>on-board, drive-up attendance at both meetings and conferences. Support individuals and groups to start using technology available, being mindful remembering not everyone is comfortable in using technology how can we promote, encourage, use of this. Listen to the community of what they would like to see hear, not what the just what would we like, choose monthly topics, advertise, and promote differently, stand out from the crowd.</p>
Ben	Whitlock	<p>Following 20 years' in industry delivering major international Aerospace & Defence programmes, I am now a management consultant helping some of the best known companies in the UK setup and run their PMOs and Programme delivery functions. Formerly Head of Project & Programme Management for a FTSE 100 company, I have seen most aspects of how to (and how not to) develop PM professions and give them the tools and processes to deliver. I am an APM Chartered Project Professional (ChPP) and PMI Project Management Professional (PMP) who has worked in most aspects of project delivery. I am a practising</p>	<p>I particularly enjoy being able to give something back to the profession; helping to define / capture best-practices and bringing the community together through our focus groups and the annual PgM conference. I've really enjoyed working with the PgM SIG for the past couple of years and believe there is a lot more we can do over the next year to move the discipline forwards.</p>	<p>I bring great experience of applying traditional programme management, but also of introducing new approaches such as Agile and adaptive frameworks to delivering programmes. I believe that programme management needs to adapt and innovate to remain relevant in the future's changing landscape. The last few years, I helped organise the APM South West conference. This year the 4th event is celebrating 50 years of Project & Programmes in the region – it is exciting how far we have come and what we can learn from looking back. I would like to</p>

		<p>Agilist / Scrum master and an active Change Management Practitioner; also a University guest lecturer on Programme Management and have contributed to APM publications. Currently I am going through the motions to become a certified trainer for future PM practitioners.</p>		<p>bring this experience and the ideas raised to the PgM SIG. Recent global events have shown programme management to be a discipline that cuts across industries to make responses work – having been involved in this from many angles, I would like to be part of building on what we have learned and the increased recognition that programme management has received.</p>
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