

## ***Project Management Seminar: Achieving Empowerment***

**PMI-NNV's 7-PDU seminar is set for July 24, 2010, at the Grand Sierra Resort in Reno, NV.** This one-day event has something for every-one, from seasoned PMPs to novice project managers in all industries. Presentations and breakout sessions provide empowering concepts and tools useful professionally, personally and in your community.

Plan now to attend this powerful day full of ideas and tools from local, regional and international speakers to achieve personal empowerment, increase your skills and move forward in your career.

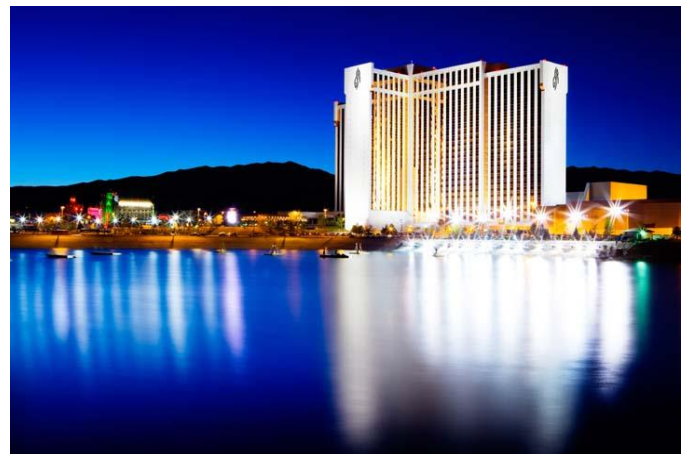
- **PMI's international Project of the Year award winner, Newmont Mining (Elko, NV),** will present a case study keynote address by Richard Gerspacher and Patricia Downing showing how they over-came many obstacles to complete this significant coal-fired energy plant 10 weeks early and under budget (see below)
- **Four Breakout Sessions in two areas: Project Leadership and The PM Toolkit –** provide workshops on topics vital to all levels of project managers
- **Job Seekers –** attend the keynote by Mahmood Khan from PMI-Silicon Valley Chapter and speak with regional recruiters on hand during lunch and afternoon breaks; network with PMI members from many western states
- **People Skills –** learn ways to motivate people to achieve and succeed from coach and author Idora Silver. Hone techniques for recruiting and retaining volunteers from noted author Linda Lysakowski

### ***PMI International Project of the Year Keynote Presentation***

\*\*\* Newmont Nevada Energy Investments Ltd., partnering with Fluor Enterprises, Inc. was awarded the 2009 Project Management Institute (PMI®) Project of the Year Award at the annual PMI Global Congress held on October 10-13, 2009 in Orlando, Florida. They were given this international honor after building a 242-megawatt coal-fired power plant near Elko, Nevada. Newmont and Fluor delivered this project 10 weeks ahead of schedule, saving \$25 million while battling a talent shortage and seismic activity. This project endured 3 million work hours without a single lost-time accident. See ***PM Network***, 11/09 issue.

### **The Grand Sierra Resort**

- Free 10-minute airport shuttle
- Convention, hotel and casino facilities
- Many themed restaurants
- Water golf, paintball, bowling
- Arcade games
- Movie theatre with sofas
- Outdoor pool and cabana
- Gym & spa
- Boutique shopping
- Comedy club & musical performances



PMI-NNV 1-day PM Seminar – July 24, 2010				
8:00-9:00 am	Registration, Networking, Continental Breakfast			
9:00-9:30 am	Welcome and Project of the Year Introduction with video			
9:30-11:30 am	<p align="center"><b>Keynote: PMI's International Project of the Year</b>  <i>Richard Gerspacher (Fluor), Patricia Downing (Newmont Mining)***</i></p>			
11:30 am -12:30 pm	Lunch provided Regional Recruiter tables & Vendor/Sponsor displays open			
12:30-1:30 pm Breakout A	Track 1: PM Leadership		Track 2: PM Toolkit	
	Newmont / Fluor	<b>Competing for Project Awards</b>	Eric Baryol	<b>Using MS Project &amp; Project Server</b>
1:45-2:45 pm Breakout B	Linda Lysakowski	<b>Recruiting, Training &amp; Retaining PMI Volunteers</b>	Sharp & Landfried	<b>Using Visio &amp; SharePoint</b>
2:45-3:15 pm	Break, refreshments, networking Regional Recruiter tables & Vendor/Sponsor displays open			
3:00-3:30 pm	<p align="center"><b>Brief Q &amp; A Session: PMI and Its Resources</b>  <i>Panel of Region 7 and PMI-NNV volunteers</i></p>			
3:30-5:00 pm	<p align="center"><b>Career Enhancement: Job Search Techniques</b>  <i>Mahmood Khan, PMP from PMI-Silicon Valley Chapter*</i></p>			
5:00-6:00 pm	<p align="center"><b>Motivating People to Achieve and Succeed</b>  <i>Idora Silver, <u>The Chutzpah Connection: Blueprint for Success</u></i></p>			
6:00-6:15 pm	Closing and presentation of PDU certificates			
6:15-7:00 pm	Networking with No-host bar Regional Recruiter tables & Vendor/Sponsor displays open			
* Sunday Brunch meeting: Starting a Job Search Program will be No Host				

## Register Today!

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Online Registration at <a href="http://www.pmi-nnv.org">www.pmi-nnv.org</a>	PMI Member	Non-Member
<b>Early Registration:</b> Before May 31, 2010	\$149	\$169
<b>General Registration:</b> June 1 to July 22, 2010	\$189	\$209
<b>Onsite Registration:</b> July 24, 2010	\$225	
Registration payment via check or credit card when registering		
<b>Discounted Lodging at Grand Sierra Resort</b>		
Contact GSR at 1-800-648-5080 by 6/23/10; request rate for Northern Nevada Chapter of PMI		
Friday & Saturday – 2 night minimum	<b>PMI-NNV Seminar Rate</b> \$79/night = regular room, \$100/night = luxury suite	

For more information, please go to [www.pmi-nnv.org](http://www.pmi-nnv.org) or email [president-elect@pmi-nnv.org](mailto:president-elect@pmi-nnv.org) .