



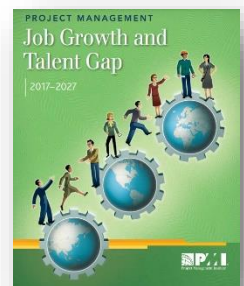
Show Me The Money!!!

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Occupational Outlook: A Word From Our Sponsors

2017 – Talent Gap Report

The phenomenal PM job growth projected by PMI was on point. [“Project Management: Job Growth and Talent Gap | 2017 – 2027”](#) alerted us to the coming shift in talent.



2021 – Talent Gap Report

The second PMI report titled [Talent Gap: Ten-Year Employment Trends, Costs, and Global Implications, the PMI](#) re-affirms natural attrition is creating opportunities for Project Management Professionals and angst for organizations:









By 2030, just 77 million project management employees out of the current workforce will be left due to retirement.



Industries to Watch

PMI's 2nd report shares these interesting statistics:

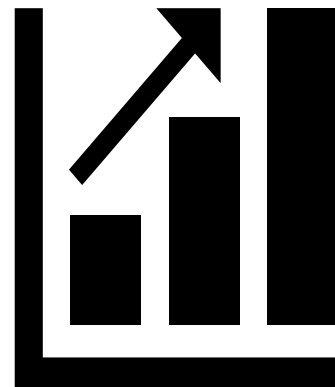
Global PMOE in Projectized Industries	2019	2030	% Change
 Manufacturing & Construction	54,237,834	61,414,110	13.2%
 Information & Publishing	17,110,254	19,706,016	15.2%
 Finance & Insurance	9,657,125	11,091,517	14.9%
 Management & Professional Services	8,481,757	9,436,704	11.3%
 Utilities	925,123	1,042,746	12.7%
 Oil & Gas	159,551	159,348	-0.1%
Total	90,571,644	102,850,442	13.6%

Do your homework and discover other industries adding more PM horsepower.

Expect Premium Pay

The laws of supply and demand are in your favor!

Project professionals **earn up to 78%** more than non-project professionals.



Conclusion

Ok - Read the 1st and 2nd full reports, Growth is happening faster in countries and regions that are not on your radar.

Remember, on average, up to 78% more money is flowing to PM professionals.

You are extremely valuable to the world economy and the dollars paid echo that sentiment.

Call to Action

The world needs PM Pros.

So, get equipped with PMI [Training](#) and [Certifications](#)!

Upping your game could put more greenbacks in your money sack!

Now, I know money isn't everything, but it is a thing we must consider in any career change.

We are living in extraordinary times for PM professionals. Stay liquid and find your best WFM, Hybrid, or Onsite opportunity.

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