

Call for IPMA Research Group Members (2024-2026)

IPMA Research is a crucial part of the IPMA ecosystem. It serves as an incubator platform for project management professionals by providing researchers and practitioners with new insights, theories, techniques, and tools that help improve their work. IPMA Research also serves as a scientific foundation and think tank for decision-making concerning the development, promotion, implementation, and launch of IPMA's products and services, as well as those of its Member Associations (MAs) and Global Partners. To ensure the continued growth of IPMA, its MAs, its Global Partners, and the entire project management research and practice community, it is essential to establish a dynamic, innovative, and dedicated IPMA Research Group, including both researchers from practice and academia.

The responsibilities of a Member of the IPMA Research Group include:

- Collaborating in developing and editing IPMA publications, such as IPMA magazines, conference proceedings, training materials, Research Evaluation Baseline, and so on.
- Evaluating applications and making recommendations for IPMA Research Awards.
- Conduct research, analyze data, and promote methods that aid decision-making for IPMA MAs, Global Partners, and PM professionals.
- Reviewing completed and early-stage research papers submitted for the IPMA Research Conference.

IPMA Research Group volunteer their services, with the personnel working in task force teams.

Benefits for Members of the IPMA Research Group:

- ✓ **Professional Development:** Members have the opportunity to enhance their skills and knowledge in project management by collaborating on various IPMA publications, including magazines and conference proceedings.
- ✓ **Research Opportunities:** Engage in cutting-edge research, data analysis, and method promotion that impacts decision-making for IPMA Member Associations, Global Partners, and project management professionals.
- ✓ **Recognition and Rewards:** Contributions are acknowledged through rewards like project budgets, travel reimbursements, conference and publication fee waivers.
- ✓ **Networking and Collaboration:** Members work with a diverse group of international researchers and practitioners, offering a rich environment for networking and collaborative learning.
- ✓ **Leadership Opportunities:** There's a chance to become a member of the Scientific or Organizing Committee of the Research Conference, enhancing leadership skills and professional standing.
- ✓ **Contribution to the Profession:** Members contribute significantly to the project management profession by creating knowledge-based products and advancing the field.
- ✓ **Global Exposure:** Working in an international environment exposes members to global project management practices and standards.
- ✓ **Personal Growth:** The responsibility and challenge of being a member foster personal and professional growth.

IPMA Research Group for 2024-2026 is currently inviting new members to join. If you are interested in becoming an IPMA Research Group member, please carefully review the following requirements and confirm your agreement:

- You should understand IPMA's products, services, and operating systems well.
- You need to demonstrate an extensive experience in either project management research or practical project management.
- You should be able to devote up to 100 hours of volunteer time per year to work with the IPMA Research Group.

- You need to adhere the IPMA philosophy, Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct, and the bylaws.

This opportunity is suitable for individuals passionate about project management research and development, seeking to contribute to the field while advancing their own skills and careers. Both researchers from practice and academia are encouraged to apply, regardless of the career stage. Those who hold IPMA-related certifications will be given preference.

Please email Dr. Marija Todorovic, IPMA Global Research Coordinator, with your **resume and a brief statement outlining your reasons for joining** and what you hope to accomplish by **May 1, 2024**. Her email address is marija.todorovic@ipma.world. The IPMA Research Remit will announce the results on **May 15, 2024**.

Read more about IPMA Research activities: <https://ipma.world/ipma-research/>

Thank you for your support to the IPMA Research Remit and your interest in joining the IPMA Research Group. Your dedication and expertise will greatly contribute to driving our collective mission forward and advancing IPMA's global impact.



With kind regards,
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