

# ACMP TORONTO CHAPTER

*Advancing the discipline of change management in the GTA*



## April 2013 Newsletter

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## 2013 ACMP Global Conference

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Attended by around 1000 change management professionals, the 3 day Association of Change Management Professionals Global Conference took place from April 14 to 17 at LA Live in downtown Los Angeles.

There were over 60 presentations and 3 amazing key note speakers.

Day 1 - Dr David Rock - co-founder of the Neuro Leadership Institute

Day 2 - Erik Wahl - graffiti artist, author and inspirational speaker

Day 3 - Morten Hansen - co-author of Great By Choice

The key note speakers, inspired everyone's thought process each day with lively and entertaining conversation.

The Discussion themes this year covered Culture, Emerging Trends, How to Best Practices, Industry, Insightful Ideas, Measuring Change/ROI, Neuroleadership and Organizational Change Management.

Exploring the science of the mind in relation to change was definitely a new and thought provoking series of discussions. Discussions on measuring change and best practices in change development were very well attended and reflected the desire for learning from all professionals in attendance. Some different experiences around games and practical play to understand change really pushed the envelope on how to translate change to new and developing groups of people. There were also some opportunities to hear from experienced professionals, giving views and talking about their own time within change management and how they had experienced working in the profession for a

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number of years.

Next year's Global Conference will be in Orlando, Florida from March 30 - April 2. [Registration is now open for the 2014 conference by clicking here](#). With a \$250 saving for members the reduction is more than the annual membership fee, currently \$174, but this only lasts until May 1, 2013. We look forward to seeing you there.

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## **Change 2013: The Art and Science of Leading Change**

The Association of Change Management Professionals Toronto Chapter is very pleased to be partnering with the Conference Board of Canada for this exciting event! As a partner, we're able to offer our readers a special rate to attend. Use the rebate code below when registering to save \$460 off of the total registration fee!

### **May 9-10, 2013**

The Sheraton Centre Toronto Hotel

123 Queen St W

Toronto ON M5H 2M9

800-325-3535

### **Registration for Event**

Register online for this event and quote rebate code **PRM6** to save \$460 off of the total registration fee! You may use this rate for yourself or a colleague, but please note that it is available for non-registered delegates only.

For more information and to register, please

visit: [http://www.conferenceboard.ca/conf/change/default.aspx?utm\\_source=confpartner&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=PRM6ACMP](http://www.conferenceboard.ca/conf/change/default.aspx?utm_source=confpartner&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=PRM6ACMP)

If you have any questions on the event, or this special rate, contact Joel Elliott at [elliott@conferenceboard.ca](mailto:elliott@conferenceboard.ca).

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## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We continue to look for Toronto Chapter members to volunteer and help build the chapter! If you are interested in volunteering, we have several opportunities:

- Communication development
- ACMP Toronto Chapter Website creation and management
- Support for Chapter Sponsorship
- Program and event support roles

If you are interested please contact us [acmptoronto@gmail.com](mailto:acmptoronto@gmail.com) to discuss how you can help

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## April New Member Prize Draw

Our ACMP Toronto Chapter has grown from 42 members to well over a hundred in the last 9 months. This is a fantastic achievement and represents the local interest in our profession, but we want more! The strength of the chapter lies in its membership and the stronger our membership is the stronger we are as a chapter.



## ACMP TORONTO CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

Please feel free to forward this newsletter to your colleagues and change management professionals.

Contact us for more information:

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tweet: [@acmptoronto](#)

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You can also find us on the chapter pages of [www.acmpglobal.org](http://www.acmpglobal.org)

We want to hear from you!

[Click here to sign up to our mailing list](#)

### Keep the Date - June 11

ACMP Toronto Chapter members will have the opportunity to

We want to invite all of our Change Management colleagues, friends, and contacts to become official ACMP members in April. ACMP members receive membership benefits including exclusive invitations to ACMP events, access to a members-only online networking website, and regular communications and updates on ACMP Global progress. In addition, as Toronto Chapter members you will be connected with a local community of Change Management professionals who all share a desire to see the profession grow within our local community. If you are already a member we encourage you to recommend someone to sign up and start reaping the benefits of ACMP membership.

As a reward, we will be holding a draw to give one lucky member free entry to the Conference Board of Canada “Change 2013: The Art and Science of Leading Change” event in Toronto from May 9 – 10.\* To be eligible for the draw, you must either register as an ACMP member in April, identifying Toronto Chapter with your registration, or be an existing member who recommends a new member to sign up during the month.

On May 1st we will draw one lucky winner to receive this prize of free admittance to the May 9-10 Conference Board of Canada conference – worth \$1855.\*

experience an exciting change learning event this May and June. More details to follow soon but mark your calendars now and keep the evening of June 11 free.

### **New Toronto Transition Board Member**

The Board are pleased to welcome Merrill Matthews to the Transition Board. Merrill will be taking the Director of Communications portfolio whilst Kathy Cowan Sahadath takes a personal leave of absence. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Kathy for her enthusiastic dedication and continued constructive contributions over the past year and look forward to her return to the team later this year.

Good Luck!

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