

ACMP TORONTO CHAPTER

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Summer 2013 Newsletter

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Thriving in Turbulence with Linda Hoopes

June 11 Chapter Event



We were delighted to have Linda Hoopes share her insight, knowledge and experience of personal resilience with our change management community at the Toronto Metro Convention Centre. Shawn Castonguay of The Cooperators joined Linda to share his experience of the practical application of resilience development in the workplace.

All attendees received their own resilience profile, giving insight into their own strengths in resilience and discussed how personal and professional changes challenge and enhance our resilience muscles the more we know about them. Lively round table discussions enabled attendees to share their experiences and relate their personal resilience within the group.



The audience was privileged to have first sight of some of the recent research development in personal resilience and to have Linda explain how resilience benefits the way we as professional change managers can apply the tool in supporting and enabling effective workplace change.



Some lucky attendees didn't go home empty handed. Linda gave away 3 copies of her book on Managing Change with Personal Resilience as door prizes. All attendees have had copies of the presentation emailed to them along with supporting reference pieces from Linda.



Feedback from attendees was very positive with 100% positive responses for the presentation, objectives and information shared on the night. The Chapter is extremely grateful to Linda for giving her time.

Here's what the attendees said about the event:

"Really enjoyed the experience" - "Great"

"Shawn's presentation was brilliant" - "Great Meeting"

"Good job" - "Thanks for an enjoyable evening"

"Very Informative" - "Looking forward to your next event"

"Great way to meet other change management people"

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We are looking to fill 2 specific volunteer roles:

- **Communication and Website Development Assistant** - to support the Director of Communications in developing general communications for the Chapter and the development of the ACMP Toronto Chapter Website.
- **Chapter Event Support and Planning Assistant** - to support the Director of Events and Director of Programs in Event planning, promotion and logistics.



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If you are interested in either of these positions please contact us by email at acmptoronto@gmail.com detailing how you can best support the Chapter within either role.

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Summer Social

We will be holding a Summertime Social for Chapter members, friends and colleagues on August 21. A special invite notice will go out to all on our mailing list, but you can definitely mark your calendars now.

This will be an evening of networking with fellow professionals and an opportunity to discuss the Chapter development in an informal setting with like minded individuals and members of the Board.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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Summertime Communications

This is our summer newsletter and we will not be issuing monthly newsletters through the summer months. We will be returning in September with exciting news about our Fall events program. We hope you find time to rest and relax over the summer months .

ACMP Toronto Chapter Survey Coming This Fall

This fall, the ACMP Toronto Chapter will be conducting its annual survey in order to gain insights into how the Board can support the development of our profession, as well as members within the profession, while also promoting and facilitating networking, collaboration and peer learning through local programming of events.

Stayed tuned for more information.

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