## Project Management in Spain: Monthly report

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## PMI Madrid held an event and its Annual Assembly

On March 30, 2023, the PMI Madrid Chapter held its General Assembly at Ilunion Hotel in Madrid, where new 2nd Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and member were elected:

President: Jesús Vázquez González

First Vice President: Carlos Pampliega

Second Vice President: Luis Eduardo Reyes Plasencia

Secretary: Manuel Ancizu

Treasure: Carlos Palma Ramirez

Officer: Susana López García

Officer: Isabel Madrid

Officer: Raúl Fernández Cuenca

Officer: José Barato

Officer: Francisco Javier Díaz Bermúdez.

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PMI Madrid new Board of Directors

This meeting was attended by about ninety members. Before the General Assembly, three presentations were made by José Barato, Alfonso Bucero and Lucilla Doto. José Barato made the presentation: "Let's stop calling them soft skills". Alfonso Bucero gave a presentation on "Artificial Intelligence and Project Management", and finally Lucilla Doto (PMI Brussels Office) made a presentation on the importance of "Power skills" for the project manager.

After the Assembly, President Jesús Vázquez and vocal Francisco Díaz presented a recognition to several volunteers of the Chapter, valuing their contribution to the Chapter in different tasks. The winners were; Daniela Rankovic (for her work organizing the Networking event for PMI Madrid), Alfonso Bucero (for his periodic presentations at the meetings of Members throughout the year), and Susana Moreno (for her performance as a former President of the Chapter).

From here we call for the selfless participation of the volunteers of the Madrid Chapter. New initiatives start every year and we need more volunteers. Cheer up and always go ahead.





Jesús Vázquez, Daniela Rankovic and Francisco J. Díaz

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The Madrid Chapter continues to provide service to its members by creating and maintaining work teams, new initiatives and regular events and the number of volunteers remains alive and active. From here we encourage you to participate in the next monthly meeting of the Chapter to be held at the Microsoft offices in La Finca (Madrid).

In such meetings, not only is there always a presentation, but there is an opportunity to make / maintain contacts with all attendees, as well as to listen to any new initiative that can create value for the members of our Chapter.

## **TODAY IS A GOOD DAY, and TOMORROW WILL BE BETTER!**

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