### **Project Management Certifications (2021-09-09)**

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**I. Project Management Institute** [**pmi.org**](http://pmi.org)

*Certification types:*

 Project Management Professional (PMP)

 Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM)

 PMI Professional in Business Analysis (PMI-PBA)

 PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)

 Portfolio Management Professional (PfMP)

 Program Management Professional (PgMP)

 PMI Risk Management Professional (PMI-RMP)

 PMI Scheduling Professional (PMI-SP)

 PMI Agile Hybrid Project *Pro -* a badge to add to your PMP

A [comparison document](https://www.pmi.org/-/media/pmi/documents/public/pdf/certificationframeworkv11.pdf?v=ec920620-38bf-4ee3-a5c7-ab725f58d093)

*Certification Process:*

 Eligibility criteria for each certification differs

 Completion of an application

 Application review

 Payment

 Preparation for the exam

Exam

Once certified, there are requirements to earn ongoing PDUs to keep certification.

**II. Exam preparation sites and resources:**

[Udemy.com](https://www.udemy.com/)

Skillport (check if available via employer)

[Coursera (Google course)](https://www.coursera.org/professional-certificates/google-project-management?utm_source=google&utm_medium=institutions&utm_campaign=gwgsite-gDigital-paidha-sem-sk-pjm-exa-glp-br-null&_ga=2.4654131.1262180770.1628525253-218864566.1628525253&_gac=1.262276990.1628525253.CjwKCAjwpMOIBhBAEiwAy5M6YPm1tRgCE3ZGwxDkgiwBs4YGjg9bA5m93t8fgy_v2nNDa-Q0zBpWTBoCeUwQAvD_BwE)

Phone apps

Gale courses (via your public library)

[PMI on-demand PMP exam prep](https://www.pmi.org/shop/p-/elearning/pmi%C2%AE-authorized-on-demand-pmp%C2%AE-exam-prep/el034)

[Project Management Academy](https://projectmanagementacademy.net/) - pricey

**III. UK certification:** [**Prince2**](https://www.prince2.com/usa)

**Acronyms:**

* **PMBOK** - Project Management Body of Knowledge
* **PMO** - Project Management Office

### *Application for taking the PMP (late 2020):*

#### For short application version:

<https://www.izenbridge.com/blog/how-to-fill-the-work-experience-details-in-pmp-application-form/>

**Track the following:**

Project Title: Project X

Organization: {who you did it for}

Job Title: {your title}

Functional Reporting Area: {IT, Library, etc}

Organization Primary Focus: {education, utility, …}

Approach/Methodology: {waterfall, agile, hybrid, etc}

Project Team Size:

Project Budget:

Start date: {month year}

End Date: {month, year or in progress}

Project Description:

Objective:

Role:

IN:

PL:

EX:

MC:

CL:

Outcome:

*Other Resources for studying:*

[Anki](https://apps.ankiweb.net/) - flashcard application