



PMO SIG January 2018 Meeting Summary

Introductions

SIG attendees introduced themselves briefly

Member Discussion Topic 1/9/18: PMO - To insource or outsource?

Category: Strategic

Summary

- Insource/outsource considerations:
 - Duration - how long
 - Processes to implement
 - Data repositories
 - Change control
 - Go Live periods
- Some examples of PM locations include 5% onshore, 95% off shore
- For an onsite staff, consider:
 - Enforce PMO process
 - “Extreme PMO”
 - “Methodology patrol”
 - Keep dates of processes in order vs change control
 - Satisfy regulators
 - “Did you do what you said?”
 - No rules got broken
 - PWC type audits
- A PMO can have 1500+ staff, including PMs
 - A layout can usually include PMO staff as employees, PMs as contractors
 - Usually larger companies
- Benefit of outsourcing can include fresh ideas

SIG Meeting adjourned.

Next Meeting

Next meeting is February 13, 2018

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