

# Praxis™

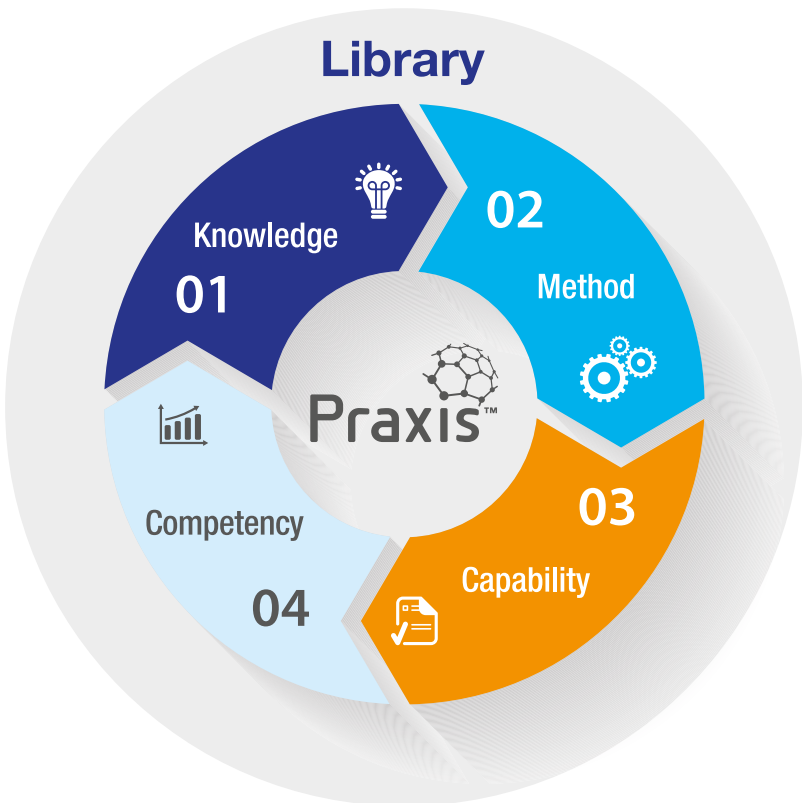
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IMPROVING PROJECT MANAGEMENT;  
ENABLING SUCCESS



Praxis is a free, community driven framework which can help you and your organization realize the intended benefits of projects, programs and portfolios. The Praxis Framework™ is a combination of four types of best practice guidance; Knowledge, Method, Competency and Capability and is the first framework to integrate projects, programs and portfolios in a single guide.

A testament to the framework's quality; volunteers have donated their time to translate the entire framework from English into French, Spanish and Italian.



## The Most Comprehensive Framework in the Market

There are numerous best practice guides available, but none that look at all the areas needed to effectively deliver a project, program or portfolio - Knowledge, Method, Capability and Competency. Praxis encompasses all the elements needed for successful delivery, all in one framework.

	Knowledge	Method	Capability	Competency	Library
<b>PROJECTS</b>					
Praxis Framework™	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
PRINCE2®	✓	✓			
PMBOK® Guide	✓	✓			✓
APM Body of Knowledge	✓				
<b>PROGRAMS</b>					
Praxis Framework™	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MSP®	✓	✓			
PMI® Program Management Standard	✓	✓			
APM Body of Knowledge	✓				
<b>PORTFOLIOS</b>					
Praxis Framework™	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MoP®	✓	✓			
PMI® Portfolio Management Standard	✓	✓			
APM Body of Knowledge	✓				

**“It’s a great day to day resource; you can access the entire framework anytime online to refresh your knowledge. You don’t have to reinvent the wheel as there are templates available to download. What’s more - all of this is free.”**

**Dr Dimitris Antoniadis, Head of Program Management Office**

**Improving Project Management; Enabling Success:**

- An entirely free framework. Available on the internet and subject only to a Creative Commons licence.
- Praxis is an integrated framework, encompassing knowledge, method, competency and a capability maturity model. As it uses a common taxonomy and terminology across all elements, there is no need to cross reference or translate between guides.
- The Praxis Framework recognizes one size does not fit all and can be easily tailored. Your organization can insert their own process model, templates and content into the framework.
- The framework is community driven, you can suggest improvements or extensions to any page and these will be considered for inclusion. Just use the comment function.
- Supported by a wealth of free resources. An encyclopaedia of tools and techniques, templates, articles, a 360° capability maturity assessment tool, a glossary of project management terminology and much more is available on the Praxis website.

These features result in greater efficiency in the adoption and implementation of good practice -reducing training and operating costs and decreasing the time needed to develop and maintain an effective project delivery infrastructure.

## Capability Maturity Assessment Tool

The assessment tool not only evaluates the capability maturity of a project, program or portfolio; but also acts as a checklist to help embed good practice.

### Improving project management through:

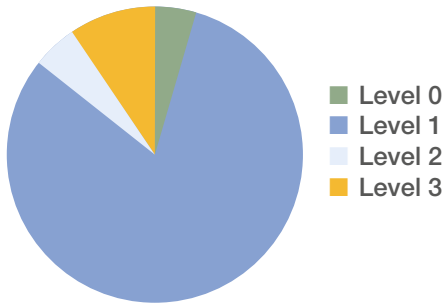
- A 360° assessment that enables managers, team members and stakeholders to contribute to a rounded view of how the project, program or portfolio is being managed.
- Allows projects to be consolidated with programs and portfolios to give an integrated view.
- Provides instant feedback and creates a real-time dashboard of how good practice is being applied.

The tool is completely free and available at [www.praxisframework.org](http://www.praxisframework.org).

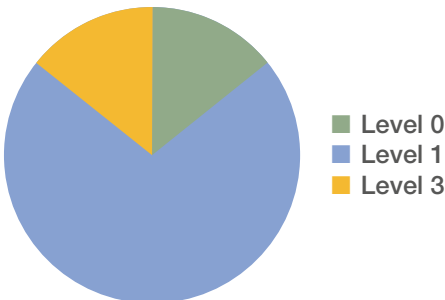
## Example of a Consolidated Project Report

### Overall level achieved

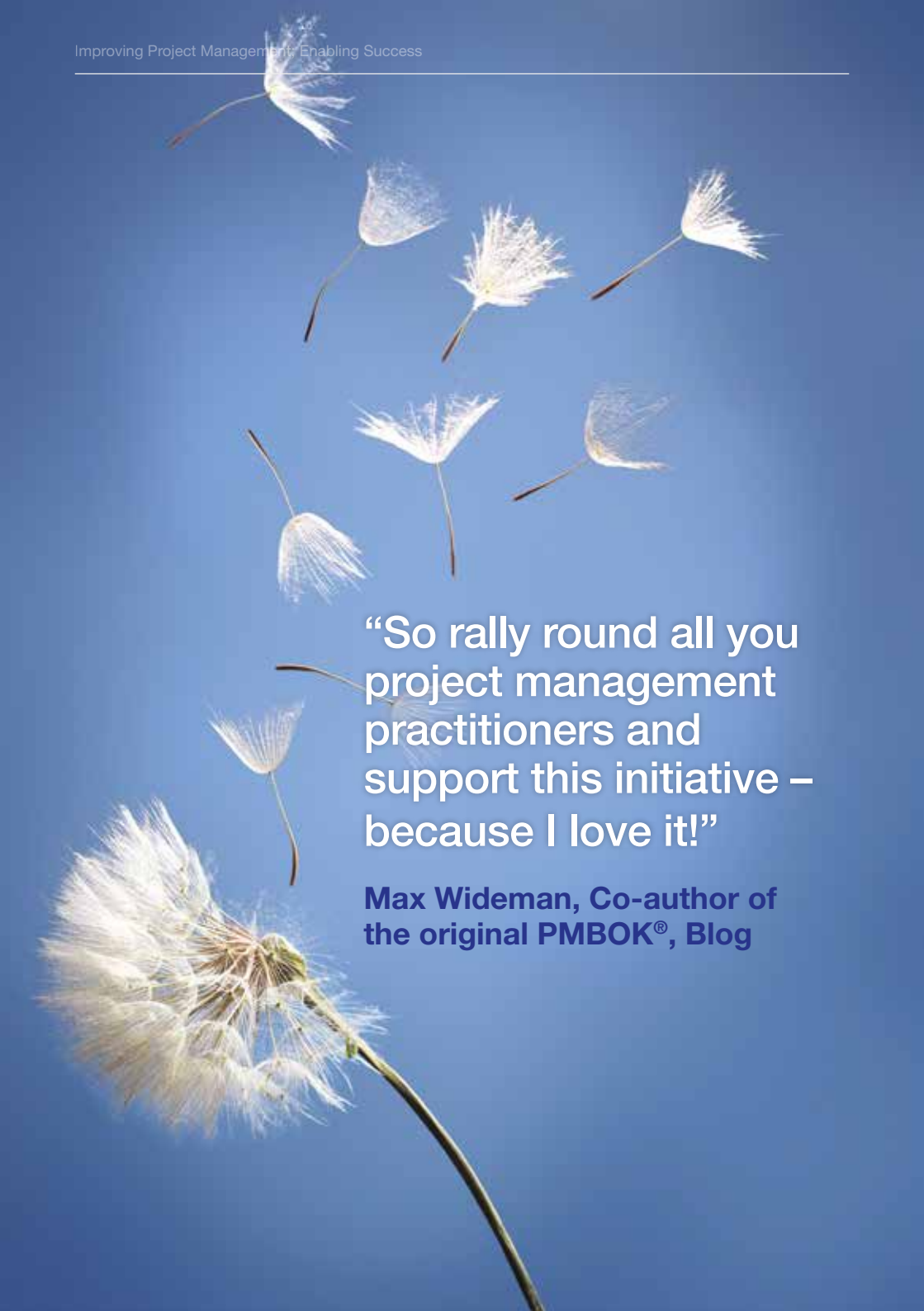
#### Functional capability



#### Process maturity



integrated



“So rally round all you project management practitioners and support this initiative – because I love it!”

**Max Wideman, Co-author of the original PMBOK®, Blog**

## **Praxis Certifications Available:**

### **Foundation**

Praxis Foundation equips you with an understanding of project and program functions and the processes and documentation used to manage lifecycle phases. Foundation enables you to work effectively as part of any project or program management team. It is a pre-requisite for the Practitioner certification.

### **Practitioner**

Praxis Practitioner builds on the understanding developed at Foundation level, providing you with the knowledge to apply and tailor Praxis to your organization's projects and programs.

### **Bridging Course**

The Bridging Course is for those who have previously undertaken training and would prefer to use a more integrated framework going forward. The course covers the similarities and differences between Praxis and other prominent frameworks; PRINCE2 and MSP - as well as the APM qualifications, PFQ and PMQ.

## **Who are the Praxis Certifications For?**

The certifications are designed for all current and aspiring project and program managers. If you or your organization is currently using a framework you will find the courses valuable as Praxis combines and builds on existing best practice.

These certifications are also appropriate if you wish to complete your first formal training – as you will gain the knowledge needed to be a modern-day project or program manager.

**Become Praxis Framework Certified and start delivering high quality projects and programs today:**

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