Chartered Management Consultant Masterclass

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Speaker Biographies

Emma Jones MCMI ChMC, Head Of Chartered Management Consultant, Chartered Management Institute



Emma is Head of Chartered Management Consultant (ChMC) award, the highest status that can be achieved by a professional Management Consultant, which is supported and managed by both CMI and MCA ensuring its relevance to both the individual and industry.

The Award has been developed for the purposes of setting and maintaining the highest standards in the management consulting profession, and recognises consistent and high levels of professional development and achievement.

Emma was the Chief Examiner for PRINCE2® with the APM Group Ltd, from 2008 to 2013, and has since been involved in the design and development of professional assessments such as Portfolio, Programme and Project Offices (P30®), Earned Value (EVM), Management of Value (MoV), PMD Professional (PMDPro), Project Management for Sustainable Development (PM4SD™), Application Services Library (ASL®), Business Information Services Library (BiSL®), Better Business Cases™ (BBC) with HM Treasury, APMG CP3P Certified Public Private Partnerships Professional with World Bank, Professional Services (PS) Professional®, Stakeholder Engagement, Facilitation, Business Relationship Management (BRM), ITWNET Digital Transformation, APMP® Bid and Proposal Management, and the Praxis Framework™.

Andy Bayliss MCMI ChMC, Senior Consultant, Whitetree



Andy is an accomplished Project Engineer and Manager with extensive experience encompassing Engineering, Electronics and IT. An incorporated engineer with a well-developed background knowledge in planning, report writing, maintenance and technical training. Highly motivated, competent and pragmatic, equally comfortable in management or team roles, consistently offering innovative solutions to a wide variety of challenges. Andy's style is light hearted, authentic, inclusive, open and honest. With a continuous improvement mindset, he is not afraid to challenge people, tools and processes to

achieve both tactical and strategic business objectives in pursuit of excellence. Andy champions collaboration with customers, peers, team members, stakeholders and partners to develop a clear vision that aligns with agreed strategic goals and desired outcomes, and has proven success in engaging, influencing and empowering people to follow. Passionate about people and leading by example, Andy actively supports the professional development of others as a coach and a mentor whilst maintaining a focus on his continuing professional development & leadership skills to continually improve performance and outcomes.

Shane McDonnell MCMI ChMC, Senior Consultant, Arup



Shane McDonnell is a Chartered Management Consultant (ChMC) at Arup with over 7 years of experience in change management, strategy development, and stakeholder engagement. His work focuses on helping organisations navigate transformation, particularly in areas involving workplace culture, process optimisation, and technology adoption. Having lived in Asia for 13 years before returning to Ireland, Shane brings a global perspective to his consulting practice, combining international experience with a strong track record of delivering impactful change.