



**NEW BRUNSWICK CHAPTER REPORT**

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**Submitted by Peter Trask**



## President's Message

Competing priorities would have to be the theme of my second year as President of the New Brunswick Chapter of IPMA. Many different, exciting challenges have faced the local Human Resources community and as a direct result of these challenges our chapter has experienced some ups and downs throughout the past ten months.


However, the chapter has continued on with the formulation of a strategic plan and the executive is looking forward to getting back on track for the upcoming fiscal year. In addition, a subcommittee of executive members created the first IPMA-NB Chapter executive handbook.

The present executive is very excited and committed to move forward with a revised strategic plan with the hopes of re-establishing IPMA - NB as a leader in promoting Human Resources.

Peter Trask  
President  
IPMA - NB Chapter



## Chapter Executive 2004-2005

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### Certification

Currently, IPMA-NB has 33 certified members in the New Brunswick Chapter.

Barb McClenaghan, IPMA-CP  
 Director of Certification  
 IPMA - NB Chapter

### Membership



As of May 1, 2005 the New Brunswick Chapter of IPMA had 85 members. This includes 52 individual members, 33 certified members, 1 chapter honorary life member, 1 national honorary member and 1 Emeritus.

Ryan Jacobson  
 Director of Membership  
 IPMA - NB Chapter

## **Professional Development**

IPMA NB held a very successful PD session on May 5th 2005. Laurie Young, acting Manager of Learning & Wellness for the Department of Public Safety, facilitated an information session on "Wellness through Times of change". Roughly 20 participants attended the session. The material was very well organized and very informative.

The chapter has a Professional Development schedule in place for Fall 2005.

Paula Trites  
Director of Programs & Professional Development  
IPMA - NB Chapter

## **Publicity**

The main activity undertaken by the Publicity group this year was to build a thorough marketing plan for the chapter. A draft plan was developed in May and should be adopted in early June.

Julie Bourque  
Director of Publicity  
IPMA - NB Chapter



## **Communications**

A spring newsletter is ready in draft format and should be released in early June 2005.

Sonia Grenier  
Director of Communications  
IPMA - NB Chapter