

**Application letter of Bogdan Cristian VOICU
for the position of President
from PMI Romania Chapter's Board of Directors**

1) Statement of compliance with the rules and procedures of the Board of Directors of PMI Romania Chapter [mandatory]

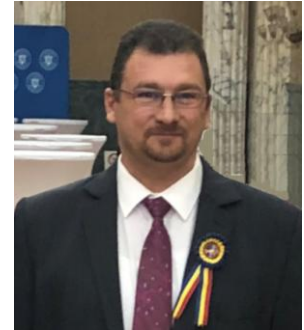
I, Bogdan-Cristian VOICU, declare to abide by the rules and procedures of the Board of Directors of PMI Romania Chapter. I declare that all the information provided below, in the candidate form and its appendices are true.



2) Biographical summary of maximum 250 words [mandatory]

I was born on the December 13, 1970, in Bucharest.

In 1996 I have graduated at University "Politehnica" of Bucharest, Thermal Power Plant, Engineer and in 1997 I have graduated at University "Politehnica" of Bucharest, Management of Energy Systems at UNESCO Chair, M.Sc.



Since 1996 I have activated as a project team member at ISPE Bucharest working in National Energy System Development and Prognosis Department, from 2001 I was Technical Coordinator of Eurosport Romania TV Channel and from 2006 I am working in Civil Construction Industry. At this moment I am Chief PMO and General Manager at S.C. Genesis Development S. A.

In my professional life, I am technical consultant, certified site inspector and certified trainer and I am activating as Project Manager and Consultant for projects covering different fields as following: MEP, HVAC, Constructions, IT, AV, Facility Management and Building Administration.

I am member of PMI and PMI Romania Chapter from June 2011 and in December 2011 I have become a volunteer of PMI Romania Chapter and member of Election Committee. From March 2012 I am PMP certified. From 2013 to 2015 I was elected VP for Membership and Recruitment from PMI Romania Chapter's Board of Directors.

I am Founder Member of ClubFORD Romania Non Profit Association, I have good experience working in Non Profit or volunteer based organizations and I am involved as a volunteer in charity activities for abandoned children's.

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3) Motivation for applying for this position – maximum 250 words [mandatory]

As future President of PMI Romania Chapter I am convinced that I have the mission to continue the projects already started by my colleagues and also to maintain and support the development of our chapter using the knowledge accumulated during last years.

I have to mention some of the projects/actions I have started during the period I was Vice-President from Membership and Recruitment:

- develop and maintain chapter membership plan in order to growth the number of the members and to retain the actual members;
- promote the value of PMI and chapter membership;
- involve PMI Romania Chapter and present its activity at: Job Fairs, Exhibitions, Educational Programmes, Professional Meetings and Symposiums;
- liaison with potential PMI members and encourage them to be members or volunteers for our chapter;
- maintain and develop a continuous dialog with actual members and potential members;
- promote PMI Chapter also in other industries: Construction, Pharmacy, Entertainment, etc;

Unfortunately those actions were discontinued.

I have also observed in the last year only few Monthly Meetings with free participation for chapter members were organized in Bucharest and were replaced by meetings with payed acces having expensive taxes even for members. Practically during last year PMI Romania Chapter wasn't present on the market as previous years.

PMI Romania Chapter should became one of the most important Project Management Organizations in our country and should be an active part in educational programmes of our Universities and High Schools.

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4) Main accomplishments as PMI Romania Chapter member – maxim 250 words
[mandatory]

During the period I was Vice-President from Membership and Recruitment (Feb 2013 Dec 2015) I had the following accomplishments:

- increasing the retaining rate of existing members;
- natural growth of new members;
- helping and developing Sibiu branch - 2015;
- coordinating volunteers of Election Comitee;
- Monthly Meetings participation and organization in Bucharest;
- PMDays (PMI Romania National Conference – 2 days) team member in 2014, 2015
- presenting PMI Chapter and PMI Educational Program to schools;

(78 words)

5) Statement of vision of maximum 250 words [mandatory]

In my opinion PMI Romania Chapter, as part of an international brand like PMI, have to regain his position and become the most known PM organization from Romania.

As a future President of PMI Romania Chapter I know that along with new members of the Board of Directors and the ones which continues their mandate, we will continue to develop and improve existing projects and implement the actions presented above in a joint action program. Target has to be achieved and program started has to be continued.

Using my the experience accumulated as VP for Memembership and Recruitment I am prepared to accept the responsibility of Presidency of this chapter for the next period as a mandate from you, PMI Romania Chapter members. I believe that I have the knowledges, determination, experience and dedication this role is requiring. I believe that project management skills are skills for life and it is all about applying logic and common-sense.

In this period, there is a huge need for qualified project managers in Romania (schools, universities, public and private organizations) and we could continue to create something valuable for our country.

President have to dedicate his effort and knowledge, not only in managing the Board and continue the work done, but also in determine and implement strategic actions for a sustainable development of project management and PMI Methodology in Romania.

Having your mandate as President of PMI Romania Chapter I am sure I can and I will do it! (246 words)

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6) Digital photography [mandatory]

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7) How do you see the project management community: SWOT analysis of PMI Romania Chapter as a promoter of an active project management community from the perspective of the position for which you apply for – maximum 300 words [mandatory]

STRENGTHS
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- PMI EMEA support- one community of professionals who want to share knowledges- one of the most powerful Project Management international brands- certification in project management recognized also in Romania
WEAKNESSES
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- not well promoted- not using, during the last years, the partnership and projects developed by previous Boards with companies and organizations like: Adobe, Teamnet, ASE, Freescale, Ericsson, Endava, etc- members don't see the benefits to become and remain members of our Chapter- less than 1 meeting per month in Bucharest- high taxes for some events even for chapter members- membership costs
OPPORTUNITIES
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- growing up a local brand and developing representation in branches over the country- students and academic life can be a new development direction- partnership with local media, universities and other professional organizations- multinational companies are looking for PMP certified candidates- opening of PMP certified persons to share their knowledge
THREATS
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- economical situation of Romania;- is not mandatory to be PMI member in order to maintain PMP certification- Romanian certification which is not compliant with PMI methodology- Transforming PMI Romania Chapter into a commercial and profit orientated organization

(199 words)

8) Statement of compliance with Election Activity Rules of the Board

As a condition of my potential nomination or candidacy, I, Bogdan-Cristian VOICU, agree that I will not initiate, encourage, accept or endorse any conduct on behalf of my potential nomination or candidacy which is in violation of the policy relating to the election as adopted by the PMI Board of Directors.

- **Only one-on-one communications focused on candidate qualifications are allowed; references to a candidate's personal life or professional involvement are forbidden**
- **Mass communications regarding candidates, as well as promoting one candidate or another are prohibited. These include but are not limited to LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.**

The violation of this policy may result in revocation of my nomination by petition or candidacy for board.



Date: 05.12.2018