

2020 in Review and the Year Ahead

This past year was certainly one to remember (or try to forget) as a global pandemic changed the landscape of just about everything we do. For the discipline of Resource Management (RM), the RMI, and its members, we continued to advance the cause and bring the latest in best practices and innovation for resource and workforce management.

Looking back here are some important highlights from 2020:

- Membership continued to grow rapidly, more than doubling (again) and the pace is accelerating
- RMI research continues to demonstrate the RM discipline has become more mainstream when compared to other important business disciplines like Project Management
- While our in-class training was put on hold due to covid-19 concerns, our online and on-demand venues exploded in a most positive way
- Due to covid-19 concerns we had to reschedule our annual RMI Symposium to 2021, but also ran our first virtual event we called '[RMI Connect](#)' with great success and enormous attendance
- We introduced a new Advanced Resource Management course intended as additional training for our growing population of Resource Management Certified Professionals (RMCP)[®]
- We added four new research reports, four new Power UP sessions on high impact topics, new articles, white papers and more!
- We implemented our new portal for RMCPs for purposes of recording, tracking, and managing your continuing education and recertification efforts

For the year ahead we have a lot of new developments in store for members. Some things to look for:

- We will continue RM focused research with four new studies planned, and four additional Power UP webcasts on topics of interest to our members
- The annual State of Resource Management webcast will highlight the latest in RM industry research and news
- Our [third annual Symposium](#) is planned for Dallas on September 23-24 with a new theme "Future Proofing Resource Management"
- We will continue to expand the industry domains we focus on, the newest and next in line are under consideration with legal, accounting, and construction industries looking interesting
- Our curriculums will continue to evolve and improve for all things RM related

The RMI and its dedicated team of professionals will remain committed to helping companies improve the processes and supporting technology needed to drive better business outcomes in human capital-intensive organizations.

On behalf of the RMI, thanks for your continuing support helping us grow the RM community!

Happy New Year!

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