

Lean Six Sigma and project management – triangles and (virtuous) circles!

Date	Wednesday 6th July 2011
Time	6.00pm Networking in the Café Bar Marzano (refreshments available for purchase) 6.30pm – 8.00pm Presentation.
Venue	The Cube inside The Forum , Millenium Plain, Bethel Street, Norwich, NR2 1TF
Presented by	Elisabeth Goodman and John Riddell
CPD	Up to 2 hours (find out more about CPD)
Cost	Free

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Lean and Six Sigma are key process improvement methodologies and like project management, focus on the triangle of time, cost and quality. Although the origins of Lean and Six Sigma are in the design and improvement of manufacturing processes, could the principles and tools play a part in achieving successful projects in any sector? could effective project management enhance the implementation, embedding and sustaining of continuous improvement initiatives? Does project management enable Lean Six Sigma or does Lean Six Sigma enable project management?

This interactive session will look at delegates' and speakers' experiences of Lean and Six Sigma and project management and light-heartedly and interactively explore which comes first. We will discuss how to integrate simple Lean and Six Sigma tools into projects, and how to make Lean and Six Sigma sustainable as part of a project. Whatever their previous level of exposure to Lean and Six Sigma, participants should gain some new insights to explore further and/or apply in their work.



Elisabeth Goodman is the owner and Principal Consultant of RiverRhee Consulting. She has 25 years' experience in Pharmaceutical R&D, where she has held management roles in Information and library management, and internal training and consultancy roles supporting business teams on a global basis. Elisabeth is an experienced and certified practitioner in change management and Lean Six Sigma, and an expert in knowledge management, with a proven track record in improving team performance and leading business change projects.

John Riddell is an Associate with RiverRhee Consulting. He has held technical, operational and project management roles in pharmaceutical manufacturing working with both small and large teams from a local to a global basis. John is a certified practitioner in Lean Six Sigma and is highly experienced in knowledge management. He has developed a successful programme to coach leaders in developing teams that have multiple cultures and are spread across global locations.

