

# PM READY NEWSLETTER



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## Meet PM Ready Ambassador: Om Kulkarni



Hello! My name is OM, and I am an eighth grader at the Inglewood Middle School in the state of Washington. I am looking to learn and contribute towards the field of project management and initiatives such as sustainability for the benefit of our community and the planet as a whole. Project management skills and mindsets can be applied in a variety of areas in the future.

### PM Ready Ambassador Roles

PM Ready ambassadors play many important leadership roles, including but are not limited to:

- Report a story of a youth-led or youth-involved project.
- Publicize PM Ready's virtual events with their local networks.
- Identify speakers for PM Ready's virtual events.
- Interview an individual or organization and write a blog entry.
- Facilitate a virtual meeting.
- Help with newsletter/graphic design/social media management.

### Why become a PM Ready ambassador?

- Get volunteer hours.
- Earn an ambassador certificate.
- Access unique leadership development opportunities.
- Stand out in college/internship applications.

**[Be a PM Ready Ambassador Today!](#)**

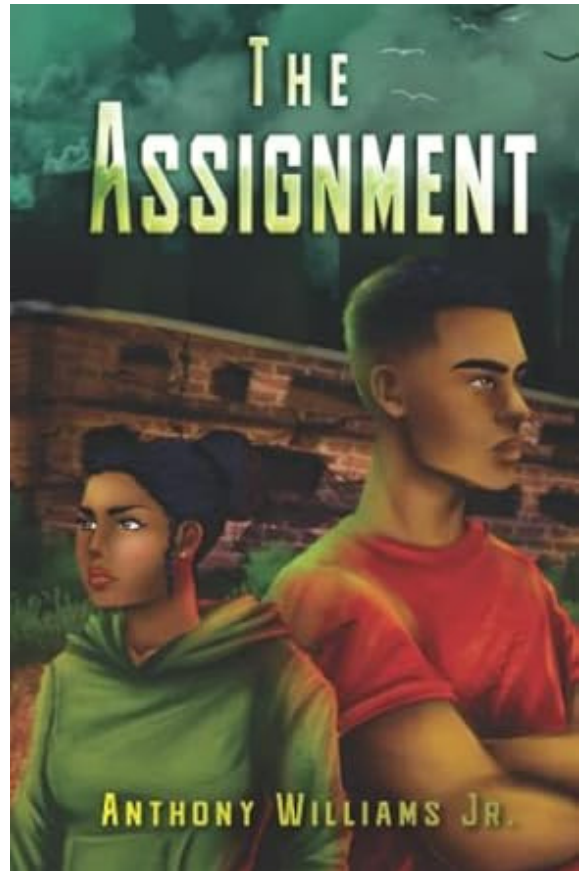
**Memorial Day Talk**  
**“Life and Leadership Lessons from the Military”**  
**May 20, 7-8 PM ET**



**Speaker**

Anthony Williams, Jr

Acquisition Professional | Active TS-SCI | Author | Speaker



PM Ready honored 2024 Memorial Day with a virtual talk by [Captain Anthony Williams, Jr.](#), author of the novel [The Assignment](#). Learn more about the speaker at [www.anthonywilliamsjr.com](http://www.anthonywilliamsjr.com).

[Watch the Recording.](#)

## PM Ready Spring 2024 Fundraising Campaign

In May 2023, PM Ready, the nation's first youth-led 501(c) nonprofit promoting project management learning among the younger generation, was founded originally as an online platform.

Since then, PM Ready is committed to partnering with individuals and communities and providing diverse resources to make project management learning accessible for young people of all backgrounds.

We cannot achieve our mission alone. We need your support.

If 100 individuals make a gift by May 31, a PM Ready supporting family will donate \$1,000.

Your partnership will make a significant difference in the lives of our young generation.

Specifically, you will help us

- \* Donate project management books to schools, libraries, and other youth-serving organizations, so we can cultivate more responsible and competent contributors for a project-driven economy!

- \* Provide scholarships for minority students from low-income families to get the Project Management Ready Certification, so we can build a more diverse leadership team for tomorrow!

Help us make this campaign a success by spreading the word.

**[Visit the webpage for different ways to donate](#)**

## PM Ready 2024 Summer Virtual Camp



Are you a middle or high school student with a big dream? Do you have a passion project that you want to start or complete? Do you desire to be a more effective team/club leader?

Look no further! PM Ready is thrilled to announce our exciting virtual summer camp!

**Eligibility:**

Rising grades 8-12

**Camp dates:**

August 12-23, 2024 (Two weeks)

**Camp schedule:**

August 12-18 (No virtual meetings; asynchronous learning only)

August 19-23 (Daily Zoom meetings, 7-9 PM ET)

**Application deadline:**

Friday, July 12, 2024

**Inaugural cost:**

\$269 (if paid BY June 30).

\$289 (if paid AFTER June 30).

Free for minority students from low-income households.

**[Visit our Youth Camp Webpage](#) for details and to apply**



PM Ready is for everyone, no matter who you are.

We would like to work with students, professionals, scholars, industry and community leaders, nonprofits, and local businesses, to build an inclusive learning community. We also welcome collaboration from PMI Chapters and PMI-certified professionals to promote youth and social impact initiatives.

Join our cause and help us grow!

Become an ambassador with us.

Recommend a book on project management.

Share your project story.

Deliver your book talk to a diverse, intergenerational audience.

Offer a virtual lecture or workshop to youth.

Publicize your youth-facing projects, programs, initiatives, or internships.

Let us help you train your volunteers on project management.

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**[Join Our Cause](#)**