



### About Digital Celerity

#### Clarity PPM Expert Services & Solutions



- > Awarded <u>Premier</u> CA Technologies Partner & Growth Market Reseller
- > 1999 Beta Client/Partner Niku 2.0 PSA
- Contributed Specs for RCM/WFM Module in Niku 2.0
- > 42 Clarity PPM Expert Practice Members Globally (No America, Mexico, India, Europe)
- > Exceptionally Referenced by Dozens of CA Clarity PPM Clients
- > Leading Expert Services Provider of Clarity PPM for IT, and New Product **Development (NPD)**
- > Renown Clarity PPM Transformation, Education, Coaching-Mentoring and Self-Paced, **Computer Based Training Packages** 
  - Clarity PPM v13 Alpha/Beta Partner ILT/CBTs | CA AGILE VISION
- CA Clarity PPM Training Partner
- CA Service Management Expert Services Training & **Solutions**
- Registered Education Provider Project Management Institute
- ITIL v3 Certified Process Compliant













### Representative Clients









































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- Clarity PPM v13 Alpha/Beta September 27, 2011 October 12, 2012
- Digital Celerity's Clarity PPM v13 Alpha/Beta Testing Team
  - Seven (7) Senior Clarity PPM Practice Members
  - Representing all Clarity PPM Functional, Technical and Integration Practice Disciplines
  - Tested Clarity PPM v13
    - Components, Configuration, Performance, Documentation (online only), & Entire Product

#### Enhancements

- Improvements to the User Experience
- Interactive Gantt View
- Object Actions
- Grouping Attributes on Cost Plans
- Processes on Cost Plans
- Configurable Notifications







#### Outcomes

- Filed 38 Cases with CA for Defect Resolution or Unexpected Behavior (none critical)
- All Alpha Test Cases Closed on October 11, 2012
  - 3 Admin Cases Remained Unresolved
    - All dealt with consistent UI experiences such as not having a Return Button on a view
- Progressed to Beta Testing October 17, 2012 November 11, 2012

- Filed 23 Cases with CA for Defect Resolution
- Continuing Issue Widget Printing of More Than One Page
- Financial defect in 12.1.1 was noted as remaining present in v13 Beta release: Inaccurate roll-up of Cost Plan data when costs are zeroed out directly in plan
- Service Connect for Remedy to Clarity v13 PPM was successfully tested
- The Installation Process for v13 was 45% Faster than comparable installations of 12.1.1





#### **Some Upgrade Experiences**

- Instance Rights Issues
  - Hanging/Excessive Upgrade Time
    - Data Base size found to be inflated
    - Upgrade failed/took over 24 hours
  - Cause was multiple overlapping Instance Rights
  - Later versions of upgrade script resolved hangs, but some instance rights are lost
  - May be resolved in v13.1
- Customized Portlet Views
  - Not all Portlet Views are Retained, especially Portfolio views
  - Fix: Can XOG in v12 Views

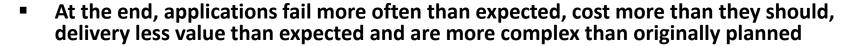






#### MSP and Schedule Connect

- Documentation for the MSP Settings
  - None in the User Guides, Only in the Green Books
  - Does not Cover all Scenarios, especially for non-admin users
  - Follow Guidelines Carefully
- Expect to execute a full un-install and re-install, may fail on initial attempt
- Dependencies Data not displayed in Gantt View: to be fixed in 13.1
- As a result, there is no global view of the lifecycle of an application to objectively make optimal decisions
  - Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)
  - Determine source of production failures
  - Business benefit attainment
  - Skills required to manage application
  - Costs in terms of "business currency"
  - Application consolidation or expansion
  - When to enhance, upgrade or retire









#### PMO Accelerator Install Issues

- The Add-ins Appear to be Installed, But Many Not Accessible
  - Uninstall the add ins.
  - Review the files which the install tool is installing.
  - Identify the files in the order of dependency
  - · XOG in each of the files in order.



#### Some Miscellaneous Issues

- Need to Insure Documents are in a Different Path from the Core Clarity Folders
- If Your System has Very Large Portlets, May need to Increase Memory for the Upgrade
- Be Sure to Re-run Index jobs/Recreate all Indexes





#### Conclusions



- CA Clarity PPM™ v13 represents an exceptional opportunity for your organization to enjoy enhanced productivity, Clarity PPM adoption and governance
- Knowing the issues that can impact your v13 upgrade in advance is like having a compass in the forest
- Teaming with CA Technologies or a trusted partner for the upgrade can be a significant success factor, and worthy of consideration





### **Your Turn-**

### **Share Your Experiences**









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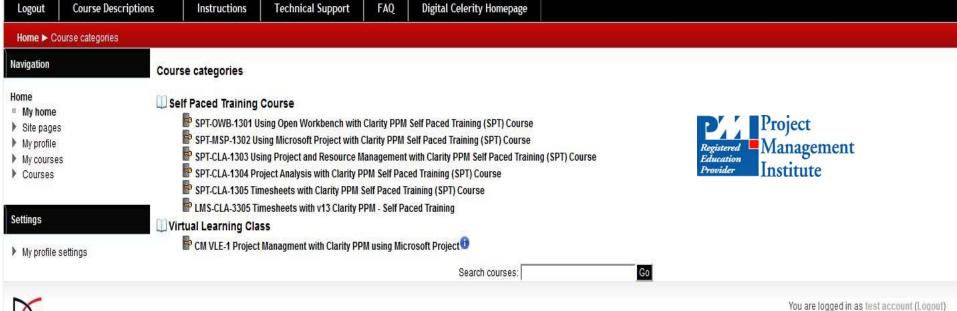


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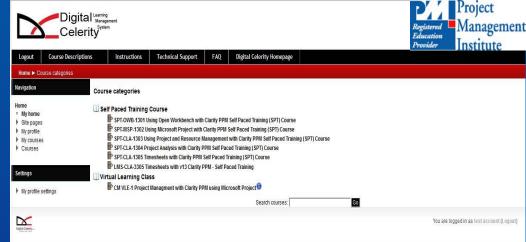


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Lucky Raffle Winners Please Contact Digital Celerity's Expert Clarity PPM
Training Practice Manager: Noland.Eidsmoe@DigitalCelerity.com
For your online Clarity PPM course of choice!







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#### Clarity PPM v13 Education Practice Course Catalog - Sept 2012



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						LMS Class	s Information	DVD Class	Information	ILT Class	ILT Class Information	
	Course	PMI	PMI /REP	_	Clarity v13Course Name		BASE		BASE		BASE	Clarity
Item	Number	REP	Status	HRS	CA Clarity ™ Project &	LMS	PRICE	DVD	PRICE	ILT	PRICE	Server
					Portfolio Management Version 13	LMS Courses are for a		PMTREP Does Not Apply		ILT Courses are for a base of 15 Class		Provided
						base of 15 Class		to DVD		Dase of 15 Class		
1	SPT-CLA-3300B	NG			Clarity v13 Differences - Project Manager Level - Self Paced Training	Х		_	_		_	_
2	SPT-CLA-3300b	NG			Clarity v13 Differences - Team Member Level - Self Paced Training	X		_	_		_	_
3	LMS-OWB-3301	YES	Pending	12	Open Workbench with v13 Clarity PPM - Self Paced Training	Ж	\$4,500	_	_		_	_
4	LMS-MS P-3302	YES	Pending	12	Microsoft Project with v13 Clarity PPM - Self Paced Training	Ж	\$4,500	_	_		_	_
5	LMS-CLA-3303	YES	Pending	12	Project and Resource Management with #13 Clarity PPM-Self Paced Training	Ж	\$4,500	_	_		_	_
6	LMS-CLA-3304	YES	Pending	7	Project Manager Financial Planning with v13 Clarity PPM- Self Paced Training	Х	\$3,000	_	_		_	_
7	LMS-CLA-3806	YES	REP Registered	1	Time beets with v13 Clarity PPM- Self Paced Training	ж	\$1,000	-	_		_	-
8	DVD-OW8-3311	40			Open Workbench with v13 Clarity PPM- Self Paced Training		_	х	\$25,000		_	_
9	DVD-MSP-3312	40			Microsoft Project with v13 Clarity PPM- Self Paced Training		_	х	\$25,000		_	_
10	DVD-CLA-3313	40			Project and Resource Management with v13 Clarity PPM - Self Paced Training		_	х	\$25,000		_	_
11	DVD-CLA-3314	40			Project Manager Financial Planning with v13C larity PPM - Self Paced Training		_	Х	\$20,000		_	_
12	DVD-CLA-3315	40			TimeIseets withv13Clarity PPM-Self Paced Training		_	Х	\$5,000		_	_
13	VLE-O WB-3331	YF3	Pending	16	Open Workbench with v13 Clarity PPM – VLE Course	×	\$6,000					
14	VLB-MSP-3332	242	Pending	16	Microsoft Project with v13 Clarity PPM – VLE Course	×	\$6,000					
15	VLE-CLA-3333	YF3	Pending	16	Project and Resource Management with v13 Clarity PPM – VLE Course	×	\$6,000					Yes
16	VLE-CLA-3334	712	Pending	8	Project Manager Financial Planning with v13C larity PPM -VLE Course	×	\$4,000					Yes
17	VLE-O WB-3335	YF3	Pending	32	Project Management with v13 Clarity PPM using Open Workbench - VLE Course	×	\$12,000					Yes
18	VLB-MSP-3336	792	Pending	32	Project Management with v13 Clarity PPM using Microsoft Project - VLECourse	×	\$12,000					Yes
19	ILT-O WB-3341	YES	REP Registered	14	Open Workbench with v13 Clarity PPM – ILT Training					х	\$6,000	
20	ILT-MSP-3342	YES	Pending	14	Microsoft Project with v13 Clarity PPM – ILT Training					X	\$6,000	
21	ILT-CLA-3343	YES	REP Registered	14	Project and Resource Management with v13 Clarity PPM – ILT Training					х	\$6,000	Yes
22	ILT-CLA-3344	YES	REP Registered	7	Project Manager Financial Planning with v13 Clarity PPM – ILTTraining					х	\$3,000	Yes
23	ILT-CLA-3345	YES	REP Registe red	1	Timesheets with v13 Clarity PPM – ILTTraining					х	N/A	
24	ILT-CLA-3346	YES	REP Registe red	14	Financial Management Planning with v13 Clarity PPM – ILT Training					х	\$6,000	Yes
26	ILT-CLA-3348	NG			v13 Clarity PPM Administration – ILT Training (3-day class)					Х	\$9,000	Yes
26	ILT-CLA-3349	YES	Pend ing	7	Agile Project Management with v13 Clarity PPM – ILTTraining					×	\$3,000	Yes
26	ILT-CLA-3350	YES	Pend ing	14	Portfolio Decision Making with v13 Clarity PPM – ILT Training					х	\$6,000	Yes



#### Clarity v12 Education Practice Course Catalog v6



							LMS Class Information		DVD Class Information		ILT Class Information		
	Course	РМІ	PMI/REP	PDU	Course	Clarity v12 Course Name		BASE		BASE		BASE	
ltem	Numb er	REP	Status	HRS	Туре		LMS	PRICE	DVD	PRICE	ILT	PRICE	
						CA Clarity™ Project & Portfolio Management		LMS Courses are for a base of 15 Class Participants		PMI REP Does Not Apply		ILT Courses are for a base of 15 Class Participants	
1	SPT-OWB-1301	YES	REP Registered	12	LMS	Using Open Workbench with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training	Х	\$4,500					
2	SPT-MSP-1302	YES	REP Registered	12	LMS	Using Microsoft Project with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training	Х	\$4,500					
3	SPT-CLA-1303	YES	REP Registered	12	LMS	Using Project and Resource Management with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training	Х	\$4,500					
4	SPT-CLA-1304	YES	REP Registered	10	LMS	Project Analysis with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training	Х	\$4,500					
5	SPT-CLA-1305	NO			LMS	Timehseets with Clarity PPM - Self Paced Training	Х	\$1,000					
6	SPT-OWB-1311	NO			DVD	Using Open Workbench with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training			х	\$25,000			
7	SPT-MSP-1312	NO			DVD	Using Microsoft Project with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training			Х	\$25,000			
8	SPT-CLA-1313	NO			DVD	Using Project and Resource Management with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training			Х	\$25,000			
9	SPT-CLA-1314	NO			DVD	Project Analysis with Clarity PPM – Self Paced Training			Х	\$25,000			
10	SPT-CLA-1315	NO			DVD	Timehseets with Clarity PPM - Self Paced Training			Х	\$5,000			
11	VLE-OWB-1331	YES	REP Registered	16	VLE	Open Workbench with Clarity PPM – VLE Course	Х	\$6,000					
12	VLE-MSP-1332	YES	REP Registered	16	VLE	Microsoft Project with Clarity PPM – VLE Course	Х	\$6,000					
13	VLE-CLA-1333	YES	REP Registered	16	VLE	Project and Resource Management with Clarity PPM – VLE Course	Х	\$6,000					
14	VLE-CLA-1334	YES	REP Registered	14	VLE	Project Analysis with Clarity PPM – VLE Course	Х	\$6,000					
15	VLE-OWB-1335	YES	REP Registered	32	VLE	Project Management with Clarity PPM using Open Workbench - VLE Course	Х	\$12,000					
16	VLE-MSP-1336	YES	REP Registered	32	VLE	Project Management with Clarity PPM using Microsoft Project - VLE Course	Х	\$12,000					
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20	ILT-CLA-1344	YES	Pending	14	ILT	Project Analysis with Clarity PPM – ILT Training					Х	\$5,000	
21	ILT-CLA-1345	NO				Timehseets with Clarity PPM – ILT Training					Х	N/A	
22	ILT-CLA-1346	YES	Pending	14	ILT	Financial Management Planning with Clarity PPM – ILT Training					Х	\$5,000	
23	ILT-CLA-1347	NO			ILT	Clarity PPM Administration – ILT Training					Х	\$5,000	



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