



As we approach the end of 2023, we want to express our gratitude for the learning journey we've been on together. Year-end is a time for reflection, renewal, and looking ahead to new opportunities. In these final months of 2023, we're not only pursuing personal and professional learning goals, we're cherishing the strong sense of community that has grown within our PG&E TAP learning platform. Join us at an upcoming event to connect with our team.

Our mission is to empower you with confidence and knowledge through our 14+ online courses led by industry experts. And there's more to come in 2024. We encourage you to use these resources to boost your teams and commit to ongoing business improvement.

In this newsletter, we take a moment to celebrate our dedicated instructors, emphasize the significance of continuous learning, showcase some of our most popular courses, and introduce new offerings on our platform. We deeply appreciate your support and collaboration within our community.

Join this exciting journey!

Our Most Popular Courses



Strategies for Unlocking Subcontracting Opportunities with Sheila Bright:

Understanding different business relationship models and supplier requirements is crucial for success. **Discover how subcontracting, value-added resellers, joint ventures, and strategic alliances can propel your growth.** Learn how prime suppliers collaborate to create opportunities for small and diverse firms.

[Enroll Now](#)



Ready to up your request for proposal (RFP) game? Our learners are raving about the highly popular course, **RFP Readiness with Marianne Ellis**. This course guides you through essential steps, from being RFP ready to mastering the critical go/no-go decision. Whether you're new to responding to RFPs or seeking to refine your approach, this course is your key to RFP preparation and better decisions.

[Enroll Now](#)

Disaster Preparedness Basics with Pamela Isom:

It's not a matter of if, but when a major disaster will strike. Don't underestimate the impact it can have on your organization. By proactively planning for unforeseen circumstances, you'll have a valuable resource to navigate the storm. Gain practical strategies



to manage your business before, during, and after a disaster, and access additional resources for ongoing preparedness.

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Discover **PG&E's Supplier Code of Conduct** with this informative course. Meet corporate expectations on **labor, ethics, health and safety, and the environment**. Avoid liabilities, protect your reputation, and align with industry standards. Suitable both for PG&E suppliers and non-suppliers.

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Monthly Coffee Chats

Join us to connect with your peers and network with the PG&E Supply Chain Responsibility Team. These virtual coffee chats are hosted by the PG&E Supply Chain Responsibility Manager, Tiffany Rodriguez.

Registration is only available through the PG&E Community. You must be a member of the community to RSVP on the News Feed.

Save the Dates:

Friday, November 17 at 11 a.m. PT
 Friday, December 15 at 11 a.m. PT

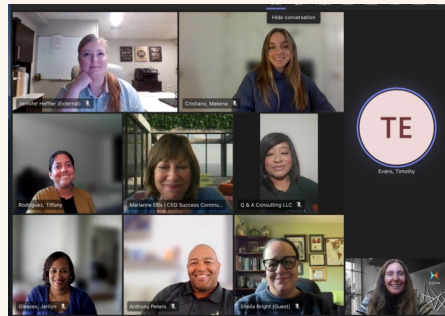


Photo from the October Coffee Chat. Join us next time. Virtual coffee chats are only 30 minutes!

[RSVP](#)

News from PG&E Supply Chain Responsibility Team

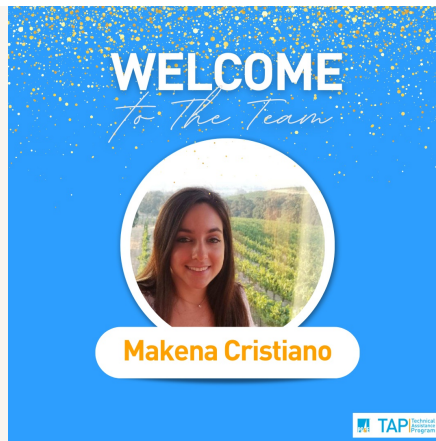


PG&E's Supply Chain Responsibility team members David Pell, Jerilyn Gleaves, and Timothy Evans at the National Minority Supplier Development Conference (NMSDC). [This year's theme was "Closing the Equity Gap"](#). The conference this year focused on identifying the barriers to reach economic equity and how a coalition of organizations, industry leaders, business owners, and policy changes needed to address these challenges.

Welcome Makena Cristiano to the PG&E

Supply Chain Responsibility Team!

Makena is a Supply Chain Responsibility Consultant Senior at PG&E. Although she is new to this role, she is excited to take on responsibility for PG&E's Supplier Technical Assistance Program. She works to connect small and diverse businesses with PG&E through various supplier diversity outreach events. She also oversees the development of the PG&E TAP Learning Management System and its engagement with the community.



The PG&E Supplier Diversity Business Summit brings together thought leaders, our largest suppliers, local community-based organizations, and small and diverse businesses. Join us to collaborate and network as we look to build a climate-resilient energy system for California's future.



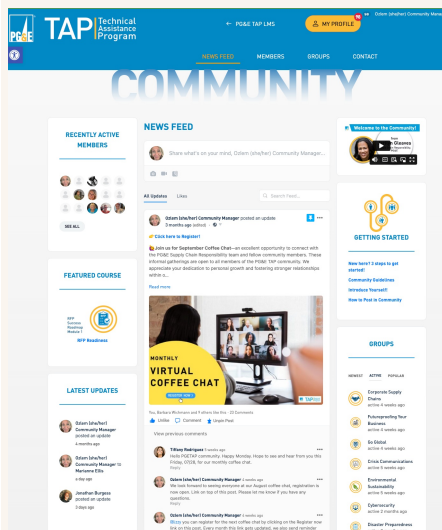
Wednesday, November 15, 2023

10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
Bishop Ranch Roundhouse Conference Center
2600 Camino Ramon, San Ramon, CA 94583

RSVP by November 10, 2023

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Are You a Community Member? Join today!



The PG&E TAP platform offers a **community** for our users. To join us, you must accept your community invitation first and then start connecting with others to exchange ideas, share experiences, and continue to learn from other business owners and experts. Not a community member yet? It's easy to join:

1. Log in to the [PG&E TAP](#).
 2. Enroll in a [course](#) of your choice.
 3. Look out for the community invitation in your email.
 4. Accept the invitation, and you're good to go!
- Check out the posts and conversations on the [News Feed](#).

[Learn More](#)



From **disaster preparedness** to **sustainability** to **future-proofing your business**, the [PG&E TAP LMS](#) offers courses that will help you build and grow your business. All courses are free and self-paced. Explore courses today to find a topic that interests you.

As always, PG&E is committed to an inclusive supply chain. Diverse suppliers include small business enterprises (SBEs) and enterprises owned by women (WBE), minorities (MBE), service-disabled veterans (DVBE), lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals (LGBTBE), and persons with disabilities (PDBE).

Reach out, connect, and take advantage of the resources and connections available within our community to improve your knowledge and grow your business.

Thank you for being a vital part of PG&E TAP. We welcome your feedback and suggestions for future topics. [Contact us](#).

Thank you for your continued support!

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