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### Bio:

Following the key motto of my childhood saying that “only the best is good enough for our customers” (by Laurin & Klement, the founders of Skoda Auto company within VW Group) I have focused on achieving excellent results in the past 30 years. That’s why I have moved from R&D area to project / programme / portfolio / service / account management across many industries as e.g. IT, automotive, aerospace, finance, pharma, energetics or retail to help bridge the great management gap with already managed 170+ projects worth EUR 23+ mio. An essential part of my practice is the continuous key knowledge sharing via THE PPPM OBSERVER, which serves as an practical online digital handbook for Project / Programme / Portfolio Managers (and not only for them).

### Summary:

Probably everyone in our project/programme/portfolio management profession sooner or later come across the so-called maturity models. Very often there are some negative associations related to them regarding insufficient maturity/ability/success/etc., but we feel like adults already. Then, we are of course thinking how to overcome the potential gaps – quickly and unnoticed.

And that’s exactly the aim of this contribution to gain a much better understanding of maturity models, their purpose, never ending time evolution and especially focus on shift from theory to real maturity growth in real time.

To bridge the gap between theory and practice we are concentrating our attention to the balance of theoretical approaches/models (as e.g. a holistic body of maturity) and practical single source of truth (SSoT) cloud-based solution.

### Key takeaways:

- What is the key success factor for your project/programme?
- Do PPM maturity models really help us?
- How to deal with PPM maturity assessment “fragile” results?
- How could the holistic everyday excellence approach look and work?
- What is the body of excellence / maturity?
- Live DEMO of the SSoT-wide solution used to address typical problems and challenges.

