



# San Diego Chapter

## 2026 Professional Development Forum:

### Managing Risk in Times of Uncertainty

**Change Management:  
Facing Fears During  
Unwanted Change**



**Jennifer Santoso**  
CEO,  
VAST Leadership  
Development

**Artificial Intelligence:  
Governance & Responsible  
Use**



**Sarah Hassaine**  
CEO/Founder,  
Effective Immediately  
AI Culture Strategy & Consulting

**Next Gen of  
Insurance & Risk  
Management**



**Daniel Perez**  
Program Manager,  
Spencer Educational  
Foundation

**AI Prompt Governance:  
A Critical & Overlooked Layer**



**Steve Doolittle**  
CRO, Herman Science



**Nick Dreyfus**  
VP of Business Development,  
i-NETT



Thursday, August 27, 2026



11:30AM–5:00PM



BioMed Realty  
4570 Executive Drive  
San Diego, CA

Free for Risk Professional & Student Members  
\$25 for Associate Members  
\$50 for Vendors

# SESSION AGENDA & HIGHLIGHTS

11:30AM TO 12:00PM

## CATERED LUNCH & NETWORKING

12:00-12:50PM

### AI GOVERNANCE & RESPONSIBLE USE RISK

Session 1: Presented by Sarah Hassaine, AI Culture Strategy Consultant & CEO of Effective Immediately  
AI adoption is rapidly becoming essential to stay competitive — but how is it being governed within your organization? Explore practical approaches to responsible AI implementation, stakeholder alignment, governance structures, and emerging risk considerations as organizations integrate AI into everyday operations.

1:00-1:50PM

### AI PROMPTING

Session 2: Co-Presented by Steve Doolittle, CRO of Herman Science & Nick Dreyfus, VP Business Development of i-NETT

One-size-fits-all AI tools assume all employees think the same. But cognitive diversity is real. Explore how good prompt training, governance and security actually make teams faster and more confident without drag or work arounds. Emerging technology provides an AI-powered trust and readiness system that measures how people think, adapts communication to each individual brain, and delivers personalized training that scales across an organization.

2:00-2:50PM

### CHANGE MANAGEMENT

Session 3: Presented by Jennifer Santoso, CEO of VAST Leadership Development

Change can be challenging, but it can also be an opportunity for growth. Learn strategies to proactively address resistance, navigate organizational pain points, and build engagement throughout the change management process.

3:00-3:50PM

### BUILDING THE NEXTGEN OF RISK PROFESSIONALS

Session 4: Presented by Daniel Perez, Program Manager of Spencer Educational Foundation

Discover how San Diego Risk Managers can help shape the future of the profession by partnering with Spencer Educational Foundation to develop, mentor, and recruit emerging risk management talent. Learn practical ways to strengthen the local pipeline and engage the next generation of professionals.

4:00-5:00 PM

## HAPPY HOUR & NETWORKING (ONSITE)

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