



TRAINING COURSE OUTLINE

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*Pragmatic Agile*TM Adoption and Transformation – 1 Day

An increasing number of organisations are now moving towards the use of Agile methods for products and projects where complexity, uncertainty and change are critical challenges. However, success with Agile requires significant change in working practices, processes, and even organisational structures and culture. As such it can be a major challenge, particularly for those organisations that where traditional ‘waterfall’ practices are well embedded.

This one-day course provides a pragmatic understanding of the risks and issues involved in making a sustainable transformation to the use of Agile methods, drawing on experience and expertise gained over many years on Agile initiatives large, small. It employs practical work, case studies and interactive discussion to enable delegates to better formulate their own Agile adoption strategy and plans, and to set the foundations for a successful agile adoption and transformation.

Audience

This course will benefit anyone involved in a move towards Agile methods – either to replace or to complement their current processes.

Content

- Agile Rationale and Benefits
 - Building a Business case for Agile
 - Measuring Agile adoption success
- Agile Adoption Strategies and Critical Success Factors
 - Stakeholder Management
 - Engaging with Customers
- Agile Adoption Challenges
 - Third Party Suppliers
 - Large Scale, Enterprise Agile
 - Distributed Agile
 - Integrating or inter-operating Agile with Waterfall
- Agile Readiness Assessment
- Agile Adoption and Transformation
 - Overall Management and measurement of the initiative
 - Planning and delivering Agile training and education
 - Planning and delivering Agile coaching and support
 - Developing and managing Agile standards and guidelines
 - Developing Agile capabilities in the wider organisation
- Agile Audit and Healthchecks

Additional Details

- Duration** 1 day **Maximum Number of Delegates:** 10 to 15, exceptionally up to 20
- Setup** Laptop projection; flip charts; space for groups of three or four to work together in comfort
- Options** This course can be delivered with a focus on any chosen method or combination of methods: generic Agile, Lean, Scrum, DSDM Atern, the Agile/Open Unified Process or any client-specific local practices.