Training Course on Agile Transformation for Enterprise-Level Scale

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	CEOs and Directors	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this training, participants will be able to:

1. Define and articulate the strategic necessity of Enterprise Agile Transformation in a Volatile, Uncertain, Complex, and Ambiguous (VUCA) world.
2. Analyze and assess their organization's current state of agility and identify key areas for Lean-Agile adoption.
3. Develop a compelling business case for large-scale Agile implementation, demonstrating clear ROI and strategic alignment.
4. Select and adapt appropriate Scaled Agile Frameworks for their specific organizational context.
5. Lead and champion cultural shifts towards an Agile mindset, fostering collaboration, transparency, and psychological safety.
6. Design and implement effective Agile Release Trains (ARTs) and value streams for optimized end-to-end delivery.
7. Master Lean Portfolio Management principles to align strategy, funding, and execution across the enterprise.
8. Apply DevOps practices and continuous delivery pipelines to accelerate time-to-market and improve product quality.
9. Empower and coach cross-functional teams to achieve high performance and self-organization.
10. Establish robust metrics and feedback loops for continuous learning, adaptation, and measuring organizational agility.
11. Overcome common challenges and anti-patterns associated with large-scale Agile transformations.
12. Leverage emerging technologies like AI and Machine Learning to enhance Agile processes and decision-making.
13. Drive sustainable change and build a culture of continuous improvement and innovation within the enterprise.

Organizational Benefits

Participating organizations will realize significant benefits, including:

- Faster delivery of valuable products and services.
- Improved responsiveness to evolving customer needs and feedback.
- Fostering a culture of experimentation and continuous learning.
- Empowered teams, increased morale, and better retention.
- Ability to quickly respond to market shifts and disruptions.
- Reduced waste and more efficient allocation of resources.
- Breaking down silos and improving communication.

- Embedding quality throughout the development lifecycle.
- Utilizing metrics to guide strategic and operational choices.
- Positioning the organization as a leader in its industry.

Target Audience

1. Senior Executives and Leaders (CEO, CTO, CIO, VPs)
2. Portfolio Managers and Directors
3. Program Managers and Release Train Engineers (RTEs)
4. Agile Coaches and Scrum Masters (aspiring and experienced)
5. Product Owners and Product Managers
6. Enterprise Architects and Solution Architects
7. HR and Organizational Development Leaders
8. Business Analysts and System Architects

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Module 1: Foundations of Enterprise Agility

- Understanding the imperative for **Business Agility** in the modern enterprise.
- Distinguishing between team-level Agile and **Enterprise-Level Scale**.
- Exploring the core values and principles of Lean and Agile.
- The impact of **VUCA** on traditional organizational structures.
- Identifying the initial triggers and drivers for **Agile Transformation**.
- **Case Study:** The transformation journey of a traditional manufacturing giant adopting Agile for product development.

Module 2: Assessing Organizational Readiness for Transformation

- Tools and techniques for conducting an **Agile Maturity Assessment**.
- Identifying organizational pain points and systemic impediments.
- Analyzing existing culture, leadership styles, and communication flows.
- Assessing technical capabilities and infrastructure for **DevOps**.
- Defining success metrics and KPIs for the transformation.
- **Case Study:** A global retail company's initial readiness assessment, revealing cultural resistance and siloed operations.

Module 3: Strategic Vision and Lean-Agile Leadership

- Crafting a clear **Lean-Agile Vision** and strategic themes.
- The role of **Servant Leadership** in an Agile enterprise.
- Leading by example: embracing transparency, trust, and empowerment.
- Aligning leadership across all levels for unified transformation efforts.
- Overcoming resistance to change and building psychological safety.
- **Case Study:** How a major telecommunications company's senior leadership effectively championed and communicated the Agile vision.

Module 4: Designing the Agile Organization

- Principles of **organizational redesign** for flow and value delivery.
- Moving from functional silos to cross-functional, customer-centric teams.
- Understanding different organizational structures
- Implementing **Agile Release Trains (ARTs)** and Value Streams.
- Defining roles and responsibilities in a scaled Agile environment.

- **Case Study:** A large financial institution's restructuring into value streams, improving collaboration and reducing dependencies.

Module 5: Lean Portfolio Management (LPM)

- Connecting strategy to execution with **Lean Portfolio Management**.
- Funding value streams, not projects: a shift in budgeting.
- Implementing Lean budgeting and guardrails.
- Prioritizing initiatives using Lean economics
- Establishing a Portfolio Kanban system for transparency and flow.
- **Case Study:** A government agency's adoption of LPM to reduce project delays and align spending with strategic priorities.

Module 6: Implementing Agile Release Trains (ARTs)

- Deep dive into the **Agile Release Train** concept and its benefits.
- Building and launching effective ARTs.
- Facilitating Program Increment (PI) Planning sessions.
- Managing dependencies and cross-ART coordination.
- Ensuring continuous integration and delivery within the ART.
- **Case Study:** A software company's successful launch of multiple ARTs, significantly accelerating feature delivery.

Module 7: DevOps and the Continuous Delivery Pipeline

- Understanding the synergy between **Agile and DevOps**.
- Implementing **Continuous Integration, Continuous Delivery (CI/CD)**.
- Automating testing, deployment, and infrastructure.
- Building a culture of shared responsibility
- Addressing security and compliance in a fast-paced environment.
- **Case Study:** An e-commerce giant's transformation through a robust CI/CD pipeline, enabling daily releases.

Module 8: Agile Coaching and Mentoring at Scale

- The evolving role of the Agile Coach in an enterprise transformation.
- Coaching leaders, teams, and the organization.
- Developing internal **Agile Champions** and communities of practice.
- Overcoming common coaching challenges in large organizations.
- Measuring the effectiveness of coaching interventions.
- **Case Study:** How an enterprise built an internal Agile coaching academy to scale its transformation efforts.

Module 9: Metrics, Measurement, and Continuous Improvement

- Defining meaningful **Agile metrics** beyond velocity.
- Measuring flow, quality, value, and predictability.
- Establishing feedback loops for continuous learning and adaptation.
- Using data to inform decisions and drive improvements.
- Avoiding vanity metrics and focusing on business outcomes.
- **Case Study:** A healthcare provider using objective metrics to track its Agile transformation progress and identify areas for optimization.

Module 10: Scaling Frameworks: SAFe, LeSS, Scrum@Scale

- Comparative analysis of popular **Scaled Agile Frameworks**.
- When to choose SAFe, LeSS, or Scrum@Scale.
- Key concepts, roles, and events of each framework.
- Customizing frameworks to fit specific organizational needs.
- Anti-patterns and pitfalls to avoid when scaling.
- **Case Study:** A financial services company's decision process for adopting SAFe and its subsequent implementation journey.

Module 11: Cultural Transformation and Change Management

- Understanding organizational culture and its impact on Agile.
- Strategies for leading profound cultural shifts.
- Communicating the "Why" and building widespread buy-in.
- Managing resistance and engaging stakeholders effectively.
- Sustaining the change and preventing regression.
- **Case Study:** A large media company's cultural shift from a hierarchical to a more collaborative and empowered environment.

Module 12: Agile Product Management at Scale

- Evolving the role of Product Management in an Agile enterprise.
- Crafting an enterprise product vision and roadmap.
- Techniques for managing a large product backlog.
- Collaborating with multiple Agile teams and ARTs.
- User-centric design and continuous discovery at scale.
- **Case Study:** A consumer electronics company's revamped product management approach, leading to more innovative and successful product launches.

Module 13: Technical Agility and Architecture

- The importance of **technical excellence** in enterprise Agile.
- Enabling emergent design and intentional architecture.
- Strategies for managing technical debt at scale.
- The role of architects in supporting Agile teams.
- Building quality in: test automation, TDD, BDD.
- **Case Study:** How a legacy software company modernized its architecture to support Agile development and faster deployments.

Module 14: Overcoming Challenges and Sustaining Momentum

- Addressing common roadblocks: organizational inertia, lack of funding, skill gaps.
- Strategies for dealing with dependencies and impediments across the enterprise.
- Maintaining leadership commitment and enthusiasm.
- Fostering a learning organization and continuous improvement culture.
- Planning for the next steps in the **Agile Transformation journey**.
- **Case Study:** A government agency's strategies for sustaining its Agile transformation over several years, despite leadership changes.

Module 15: The Future of Enterprise Agility: AI & Emerging Trends

- Impact of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning on Agile.
- Leveraging AI for backlog refinement, predictive analytics, and automation.
- The rise of Business Agility beyond IT.
- Exploring adaptive planning and distributed leadership models.

- Ethical considerations and future challenges in **large-scale Agile**.
- **Case Study:** A technology firm experimenting with AI-driven tools to enhance their Agile planning and delivery processes.

Training Methodology

Our training employs a highly interactive and experiential methodology to ensure maximum engagement and practical application:

- **Interactive Workshops:** Hands-on exercises, simulations, and group activities.
- **Case Studies:** In-depth analysis of real-world enterprise Agile transformations (e.g., large financial institutions, global tech companies, government agencies).
- **Facilitated Discussions:** Peer learning and sharing of challenges and best practices.
- **Practical Tools & Templates:**Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

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23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
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23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
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