

Agile Product Owner Foundations

How to use Just-in-time requirements management to help your Agile teams excel

The rapid and flexible nature of Agile delivery requires timely management of requirements for success. An Agile Product Owner is constantly eliciting new requirements, refining the backlog, and interacting with their Agile team to ensure the right things are being delivered.

This course introduces Agile methodologies, with an emphasis on Scrum, from a Product Owner's perspective. It covers Just-in-time requirements management from elicitation and product vision through to iteration release. Product Owners will learn how their role impacts their Agile team, how to create and manage User Stories, and how to help the team deliver on time and on budget.

Length: 2 days

Audience: Product Owners, Business Analysts, Product Managers

Counter-requisite: Agile Foundations

Topics

- What is Agile and why is it happening?
- Lean and Agile concepts
- Scrum and Kanban Frameworks
- The Product Owner's role in an Agile team
- Product planning in an Agile environment
- Writing Vision Statements
- Business Canvases
- User Story maps
- Release plans and Roadmaps
- Writing User Epics and Stories
- Tracking progress with burn-down charts

- Forecasting schedules with burn-up charts
- Vertical story slicing
- Splitting User Stories

The course is interactive using hands-on exercises, analogies, and games to make learning easy, fun, and long lasting. Participants will learn techniques they can start applying right away.