
Agile Software Development Workshop

SPEAKER

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Date: Monday, October 22, 2007

Time: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Place: Colonel By Salon,
Ottawa Congress Centre
55 Colonel By Drive

Cost: OCRI members – \$150
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Online and pre-registration closes October 19 at 2:00 p.m.

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Agile software development is a new approach, a new way of thinking about developing and managing the development of complex products. First announced in the Agile Manifesto in 2001, agile processes such as Scrum and Extreme Programming have been in use since the early 1990's. Over the last several years, they have moved from early adopter status to more main stream usage and acceptance.

Agile processes are used in place of more traditional, prescriptive methodologies. Based on small, self-managing teams, they use iterative, incremental development with frequent inspections and adaptations to manage risk, optimize return on investment, and improve the quality of product delivered. Agile processes, however, require a new way of thinking, a change in "the way we do business." As such, Agile can't be implemented, it must be adopted - person by person.

The workshop will address:

- The Agile Manifesto
 - Origins and theoretical basis of Agile
 - Agile and Lean Thinking
 - An Agile process flow
 - Characteristics of Agile processes
 - Scrum and Extreme Programming (and other Agile processes)
 - Roles, Rules, and TimeBoxes
 - The ScrumMaster - the agent of change
 - Scrum Explored
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ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Ken Schwaber co-developed the Scrum process with Jeff Sutherland in the early 1990s to help organizations struggling with complex software development projects. He is one of the leaders of the Agile process revolution, as a signatory to the Agile Manifesto in 2001 and founder and Chairman of the Board of the AgileAlliance, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the creation of Agile software. Ken was also responsible for creating the ScrumAlliance. Ken is the author of "Agile Software Development with Scrum," "Agile Project Management with Scrum," and "The Enterprise and Scrum." He is an experienced software developer, product manager and industry consultant, with over 30 years of experience in various aspects of software development.

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