



User Stories For Agile Projects



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1 day - 7 CDUs/PDUs

In this one-day workshop, participants learn how to leverage User Stories for agile product development. You will learn several techniques for capturing Users Stories to understand the features of your software product from the users perspective.

This course provides hands-on experience capturing (writing) User Stories, User Story Mapping, defining Acceptance Criteria, and understanding the lifecycle of a Story in an Agile product development framework.

During the hands-on simulation, participants will work in product discovery teams and use story mapping, product analysis and story capture, and workflow process mapping to identify and capture initial user stories. The teams will then organize the stories into an ordered product backlog, progressively elaborate the stories - looking at patterns for decomposing large stories into right sized stories, and refine the highest priority stories to a point where they have a shared understanding of the story and it meets the definition of ready.

Topics You Will Learn & Practice

- Understand the practices, principles, and values articulated in the Agile Manifesto.
- Build skills in identifying and capturing stories and building a product backlog.
- Gain experience writing “good” user stories and gain a deep understanding of the purpose and use of user stories throughout the product development lifecycle.
- Learn how to create a story map to identify and capture product requirements.
- Learn strategies
- Learn strategies to elaborate and decompose large stories in to “right sized” stories that are ready for development in future iterations.