



Digital Government & CX

Leading Agile SAFe

TRAINING

A 2-Part training course for government professionals to support you with the skills necessary to lead a Lean Agile enterprise



Facilitated by
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Online

Day 1: Thursday, August 17, 2023

Day 2: Friday, August 18, 2023



This 2-Part *Leading SAFe*® training course, will support you with the skills necessary to lead a Lean-Agile enterprise.

We are excited to invite you to our first virtual training event with Agile SAFe® expert and trainer **Girish Khullar**. Join us for this comprehensive look at Agile SAFe® methodology and develop the skills needed to undertake SAFe® Agile certification.

Leading SAFe® is a course designed to teach individuals and organizations how to implement the Scaled Agile Framework® (SAFe®) to effectively manage large-scale software development projects. SAFe® is a framework that helps organizations improve their agility, increase their productivity, and achieve business results faster.

Leading SAFe® is a 2-Part training program that covers the essential elements of the SAFe® framework, including SAFe® principles, Team and Technical Agility, Agile Product Delivery, Lean Portfolio Management, and Lean-Agile leadership. You will also gain an overview of the various roles, activities, and artifacts that are part of the SAFe® framework.

Join other Executives, Directors, Managers, and Agile Change Agents leading the adoption and implementation of SAFe® within their institutions. Learn how to apply SAFe®, implement the framework, and facilitate its adoption across your enterprise.

Who Should **Attend**

CIOS, CDOs, COOs, CSOs and Directors/Heads of:

Information Technology, Information Security, Technology. Business Unit & Business Analysis, Digital & Digital Transformation, Development, QA, Delivery, and Infrastructure Management, Program and Project Managers, Product and Product Line Management, Portfolio Managers, PMO, and Process Leads, Enterprise, System and Solution Architects, Engineer, Systems & DevOps/DevSecOps Engineers, Operations Management

Key **Learning Objectives**

- **Gain a comprehensive understanding of the SAFe® framework to lead successful implementation within your institution.**
- **Learn to apply SAFe® to specific contexts for improved agility and productivity, resulting in faster time-to-market and improved mission outcomes.**
- **Align business strategy and IT execution with SAFe® methodology to maximize business value.**
- **Facilitate communication and collaboration across your organization for improved and more effective decision-making.**
- **Receive SAFe® 6 Agilist certification, demonstrating knowledge of the framework and ability to lead its adoption within your organization.**

Not Just a **Training Session**

- **Build your business agility and develop your team's technical agility in order to flourish in the digital age.**
- **Discover how to use Agile Product Delivery and build the skills needed to become a Lean-Agile leader.**
- **Build a deep understanding of Lean Portfolio Management and develop all of the skills required to undertake SAFe® Agilist certification.**
- **Learn how to lead the change within your organization.**

Meet Your Facilitator

Girish has over 16 years of experience in Agile and Waterfall Project Management, and Training Delivery. He is an Agile evangelist with learning knowledge of application delivery of new IT systems using Scrum, Kanban and Design Thinking at large scale digital transformation projects. Enabled with a unique skillset of lifting off Agile teams from scratch, an evolving leadership mindset towards agility, and the ability to setting effective OKRs and KPIs. He is also level 3 certified in Scrum.Org (among 900 certified people in the world) and hold many designations in the field of people, process, product and technology.



Apart from regular training and consulting projects, he has also managed agile transformation of multiple global organizations like Questrade, Rogers, Mobilelive, IHS Markit in full time roles. He has also been a featured speaker at various meet-up groups and Agile conferences. His latest speech was on Design Sprints at the annual Toronto Agile Conference. He additional works as a SAFe trainer with KnowledgeHut.

- Professional Scrum Master – Scrum.org (PSM-1, PSM-2, PSM-3)
- Professional Agile Leadership – Scrum.org (PAL)
- Professional Scrum Product Owner – Scrum.org (PSPO-1, PSPO-2)
- Professional Scrum with Kanban – Scrum.org (PSK)
- Certified Scrum Master – Scrumalliance.org (CSM, A-CSM, CSP-SM)
- PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)®
- Management3.0 Fundamentals Certified
- Site Reliability Engineering (SRE) Foundation
- Design Sprint Facilitator
- Kanban Management Professional – Kanban University (KMP-1, KMP-2)
- Kanban Maturity Model Certified – Kanban University (KMM)
- Kanban Coaching Professional – Kanban University (KCP)
- Scaled Agile Framework - Release Train Engineer (RTE)
- Scaled Agile Framework - SAFe Program Consultant (SPC)

Preparation

This workshop is highly interactive with group activities and discussions throughout. Come prepared with examples of current challenges you face within your organization.

To participate you'll need:

- A computer with camera and microphone
- Strong internet connection
- Quiet, well-lit space
- Examples of current process, automation, and services challenges that you face

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Early Bird

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**\$1,399 CAD /
\$1,099 USD**

Includes certification fee of
\$200

Save \$200

Standard Price

Register by August 17th

**\$1,599 CAD /
\$1,299 USD**

Includes certification fee of
\$200

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Explore the Agenda - Part One

DAY 1 | Thursday, August 17, 2023, 9:00am - 4:30pm ET

9:00am ET **Welcome from Public Sector**

9:10am ET **Thriving in the Digital Age with Business Agility**

- Understanding the principles of SAFe® and Agile in the digital age
 - Applying Lean Startup
 - Overcoming common challenges and barriers to business agility
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10:30am ET **Break**

10:45am ET **Becoming a Lean-Agile Leader**

- Understanding the role of Lean-Agile leaders in cultural improvement and develop key leadership skills and practices
 - Applying Lean-Agile leadership principles and mindset
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12:30pm ET **Lunch**

1:00pm ET **Welcome Back**

1:10pm ET **Establishing Team and Technical Agility**

- Developing high-performing, cross functional & Agile teams
 - Implementing Agile technical practices such as Continuous Exploration (CE), Continuous Integration (CI), and Continuous Delivery (CD)
 - Creating a culture of innovation, experimentation, and continuous improvement within the team and organization
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2:30pm ET **Break**

2:45pm ET **Building Solutions with Agile Product Delivery**

- Understanding the principles of Agile product delivery
 - Applying Lean-Agile product development practices
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4:30pm ET **End of Day 1**

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Explore the Agenda

DAY 2 | Friday, August 18, 2023, 9:00am - 4:30pm ET

9:00am ET **Welcome from Public Sector**

9:10am ET **Building Solutions with Agile Product Delivery (Continued)**

- Learning how to integrate customer feedback and market insights into the product development process
- Managing risk and uncertainty
- Aligning product strategy with business goals and customer needs

10:30am ET **Break**

10:45am ET **Exploring Lean Portfolio Management**

- Understanding the principles of Lean Portfolio Management (LPM)
- Learn how to establish a Lean-Agile portfolio
- Applying LPM practice

12:30pm ET **Lunch**

1:00pm ET **Welcome back**

1:10pm ET **Leading The Change**

- Understanding the importance of change leadership
- Learning how to create a compelling vision and strategy for change
- Developing a change management plan and approach that is aligned with Agile and Lean principles and practices

2:30pm ET **Break**

2:45pm ET **Practicing SAFe®**

4:30pm ET **End of Day 2**

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