Implementing SAFe®

Implementing a Lean-Agile transformation in the enterprise

Become a leading agent for change—and enable your enterprise to succeed in a disruptive marketplace—when you certify as a SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC) 6.0.

During this four-day course, you will learn how to lead a Lean-Agile transformation by leveraging the practices and principles of the Scaled Agile Framework® (SAFe®). You will also gain insights and practice how to coach programs, launch Agile Release Trains, build a Continuous Delivery Pipeline with DevOps culture, and empower a Lean Portfolio. The first two days of the course—Leading SAFe®—will provide you with the basis to teach SAFe to leaders. The final two days focus exclusively on what it takes to successfully implement SAFe in the enterprise.

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Who will benefit?

- Professional Services Consultants
- Internal Change Agents, Lean-Agile Center for Excellence (LACE) participants, Agile Working Groups
- Business and Technology Executives, Leaders, Managers, and Directors
- Portfolio Managers and Fiduciaries, Project/Program Management Office (PMO) personnel
- Development, QA, and IT Managers
- Program and Project Managers
- Product and Product Line Managers
- Process Leads and Lifecycle Governance personnel
- Enterprise, System, and Solution Architects

What you'll learn

To perform the role of a SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC), you should be able to:

- Lead an enterprise Lean-Agile transformation
- Implement the Scaled Agile Framework
- Empower with a Lean Portfolio
- Align the organization to a common language and way of working
- Perform Value Stream identification
- Launch and support Agile Release Trains, and coordinate Large Solutions
- Build and execute an implementation rollout strategy
- Configure the Framework for a specific enterprise context
- Train managers and executives in Leading SAFe®

Topics covered

Leading SAFe Days 1–2

- Introducing the Scaled Agile Framework
- Embracing a Lean-Agile Mindset
- Understanding SAFe Principles
- Creating High-Performing Teams and Programs
- Experiencing Program Interval (PI) Planning
- Exploring, Executing, and Releasing Value
- Leading a Lean-Agile Enterprise
- Empowering a Lean Portfolio
- Building Large Solutions
- About the Exam

Implementing SAFe Days 3–4

- Reaching the SAFe Tipping Point
- Designing the Implementation
- Launching an ART
- Coaching ART Execution
- Extending to the Portfolio
- Sustaining and Improving
- Becoming a SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC)

Prerequisites

All stakeholders in a Lean-Agile transformation are welcome to attend the course, regardless of experience. However, the following prerequisites are highly recommended for those who intend to take the SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC) 6.0 certification exam and practice as a SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC):

- 5+ years of experience in software development, testing, business analysis, product, or project management
- 3+ years of experience in Agile
- One or more relevant Agile certifications

Eligibility to train others in SAFe

As a SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC), you can continue the learning journey by achieving validation to license and teach SAFe courses. Courses available for validation are:

- Leading SAFe®
- SAFe® for Teams
- SAFe® Product Owner/Product Manager
- SAFe® Scrum Master
- Advanced SAFe® Scrum Master
- SAFe® Release Train Engineer
  (additional requirements apply)

Professional Development Units (PDUs) and Scrum Education Units (SEUs)

- You may be eligible to apply for 30 PDUs toward your continuing education requirements with the Project Management Institute (PMI) for PMP, PgMP, and PMI-ACP certifications

- You may be eligible to apply for SEUs under Category C, toward earning or renewing your CSP through Scrum Alliance

What you get

Class registration includes:

- Attendee workbook
- Preparation and eligibility to take the SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC) 6.0 exam
- One–year membership to SAFe Studio
- Course certificate of completion

Attendees must attend all four days of the course in order to qualify for the exam.

SAFe® Curriculum

The extensive and evolving Scaled Agile curriculum is a cornerstone for implementation success and a key part of an overall transformation. Our full portfolio of world-class courseware helps organizations unlock business results, retain teams, and attract new talent. And our in-demand certifications help individuals thrive as key players within a SAFe organization and advance throughout their career in practicing, consulting, or training others in the Framework.

SAFe courses and certifications include:

- **Implementing SAFe®**
  with SAFe® Practice Consultant (SPC) 6.0 certification

- **Leading SAFe®**
  with SAFe® Agilist (SA) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® for Teams**
  with SAFe® Practitioner (SP) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® Scrum Master**
  with SAFe® Scrum Master (SSM) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® Advanced Scrum Master**
  with SAFe® Advanced Scrum Master (SASM) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® Release Train Engineer**
  with SAFe® Release Train Engineer (RTE) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® Product Owner/Product Manager**
  with SAFe® Product Owner/Product Manager (POPM) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® DevOps**
  with SAFe® DevOps Practitioner (SDP) 6.0 certification

- **SAFe® for Government**
  with SAFe® Government Practitioner (SGP) 5.0 certification

- **Agile Software Engineering**
  with SAFe® Agile Software Engineer (ASE) 5.0 certification

- **SAFe® for Architects**
  with SAFe® Architect (ARCH) 6.0 certification

- **Lean Portfolio Management**
  with SAFe® Lean Portfolio Manager (LPM) 6.0 certification

- **Agile Product Management**
  with SAFe® Agile Product Manager (APM) 6.0 certification

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